



City of Abilene

Mayor's Advisory Board for People with Disabilities Agenda

Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Mayor's Advisory Board for People with Disabilities of City of Abilene to be held on July 8, 2025 at 3:00PM at City Hall, 555 Walnut Street, Council Chambers, Abilene, Texas for the purpose of considering the following agenda items.

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public Comments on Any Item on the Agenda

MINUTES

1. Approval of Minutes (Discussion and Action)

AGENDA ITEMS

2. Marketing Presentation (Discussion)
3. Carver Park Playground (Discussion)
4. Champions Day (Discussion)

- July 26th

5. CityLink Update (Discussion)
6. CityLink Report (Discussion)
7. Upcoming Board Topics (Discussion)

- This item allows board members to recommend topics to be included and discussed at future board meetings.

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify the above meeting notice was posted on the bulletin board at the City Hall of the City of Abilene, Texas, on the 3rd day of July, 2025, at 10:15 a.m.

*Kaitlin Richardson, Deputy City
Secretary, TRMC*

Approval of Minutes



Mayor's Advisory Board for People With Disabilities Information & Community Awareness





Board Information & Community Awareness

- Mayor Hurt authorized the Communications & Marketing Department to produce two interview-style videos and a complimentary page on the City's website with the aim of defining the work of the board to the public as stated in its forming resolution and promoting community connection to the board.





Board Information & Community Awareness

- Resolution 132-2017 dated October 26, 2017 states:

The purpose of the Board is to serve as a point of contact and a voice for the residents of the City of Abilene to the City Council concerning matters of accessibility, use, and benefit to persons with disabilities, to review and discuss matters referred to the Board by the City Council and the City Manager, and to provide recommendations to the City Council.





Board Information & Community Awareness

- Given this direction, the Communications and Marketing Department has created a page on the City's website:

abilenetx.gov > Government > Boards & Commissions > Mayor's Advisory Board for People with Disabilities

Or the Quick Link: abilenetx.gov/disabilityadvisoryboard





Board Information & Community Awareness

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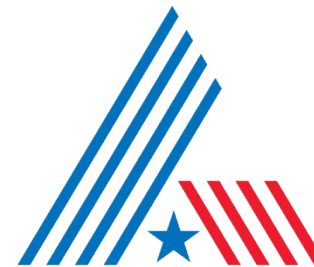
Boards & Commissions Listing

All City Boards and Staff contacts are listed in the [Boards and Commissions Contact and Vacancies](#) on each board.

- Abilene Convention Center Hotel Development Corporation
- Abilene Housing Authority
- [Abilene-Taylor County 911 Emergency, Communications District Board](#)
- Abilene-Taylor County Child Advocacy Center Advisory Board
- Abilene-Taylor County Public Health Advisory Board
- Abilene-Taylor County Venue District
- Airport Development Board
- Animal Services Advisory Board
- Betty Hardwick Center Board of Trustees
- Board of Adjustment
- Board of Building Standards
- Civil Service Commission
- Development Corporation of Abilene, Inc.
- [Keep Abilene Beautiful](#)
- Landmarks Commission
- Library Advisory Board
- Mayor's Advisory Board for People with Disabilities
- Mayor's Downtown Task Force
- Mechanical/Plumbing/Electrical and Swimming Pool Board
- Office of Neighborhood Services Advisory Board



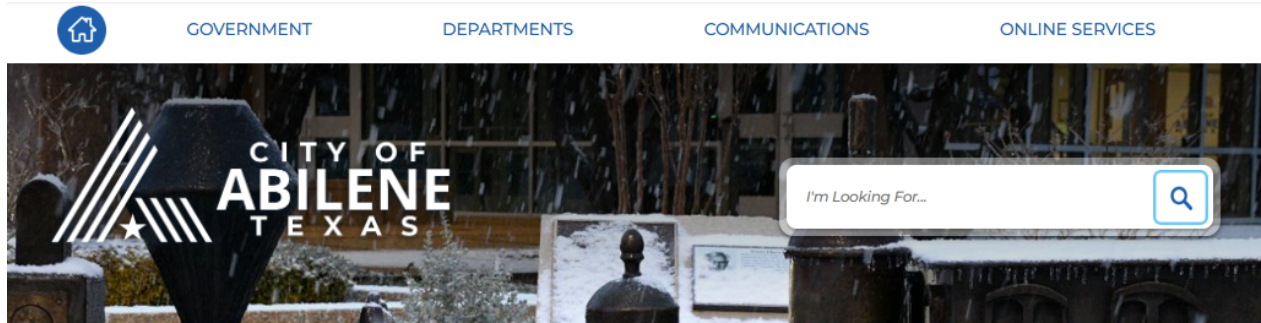
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Board Information & Community Awareness



- Definition of the Board's purpose.
- Information on when the Board meets, where to find meeting postings, and how to watch previous meetings.
- How to speak with or submit a comment via a form to the Board.

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Mayor's Advisory Board for People with Disabilities

The Mayor's Advisory Board for People with Disabilities was created by Mayor Anthony Williams through an ordinance with Abilene City Council in October of 2017, and is comprised of 7 voting members appointed by the Abilene City Council. The purpose of the Board is to serve as a point of contact and voice for residents of Abilene to the City Council concerning matters of accessibility, use, and benefit to persons with disabilities. The board is charged with reviewing and discussing matters referred to the Board by the City Council and the City Manager, and providing recommendations to the City Council on those matters.

The Board aims to meet quarterly, and its [agendas can be found on this website](#). You can also [watch recordings of previous meetings](#). Meetings are held in City Council Chamber and Abilene City Hall, and are open to the public.

Contact Us

If a resident would like to submit a comment to the Board, they may do so in person at a Board meeting, or contact the board by [submitting a form](#).





Board Information & Community Awareness

- Communications and Marketing Department will video interviews with willing members of the Board answering three questions that speak to the Mayor's charge of providing information about the Board and building community awareness:

What do you do as a member of this board, and why do you do it?

Why is playing an advisory role to the Mayor and City Council important to disabled members of our community?

How should the community share thoughts/concerns with the board?





Board Information & Community Awareness

- The interviews will be edited into 2 videos that will be posted on the Board's webpage, the City's social media channels, and in rotation on the City's Cable Channel 2.
- A series of reels/vertical videos will be cut from the 2 videos and posted on the City's social media channels with links back to Board's page on the City's website (abilenetx.gov/disabilityadvisoryboard), encouraging community members to connect with the Board.
- Video shoots: TBD
- Target posting dates: TBD
- Website live: ASAP upon Mayor approval

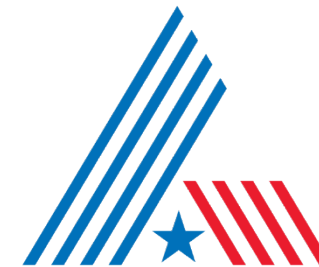


Carver Park Playground





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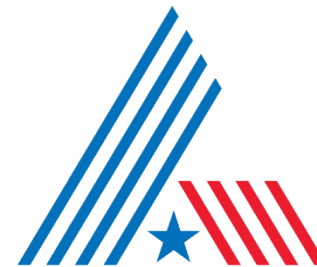


Abilene, City of GV Daniels Recreation Center Opt 1 (Playground Renovation)

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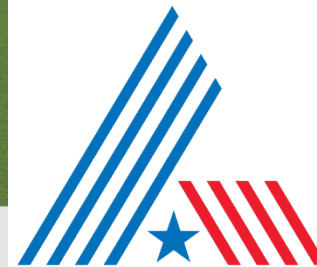
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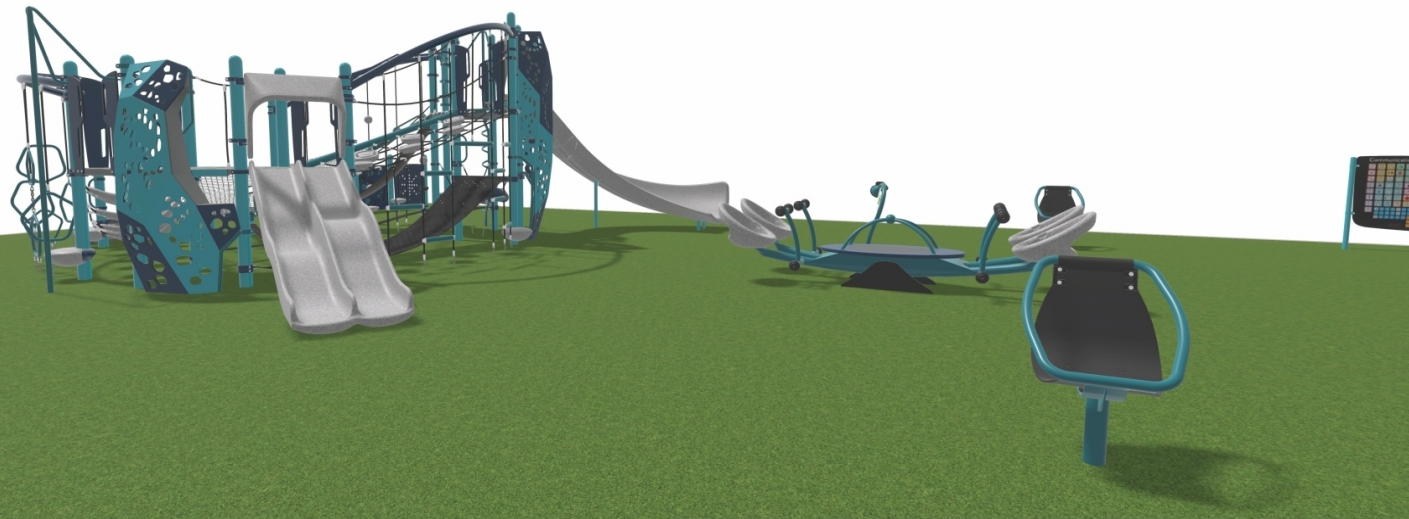
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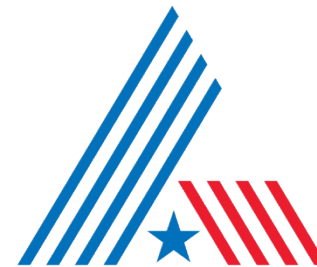
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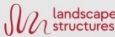


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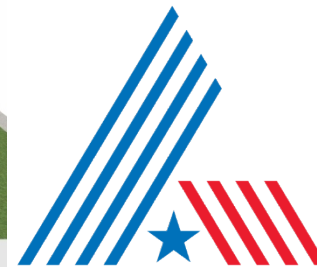
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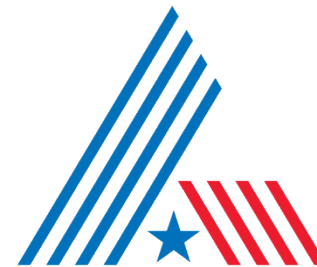
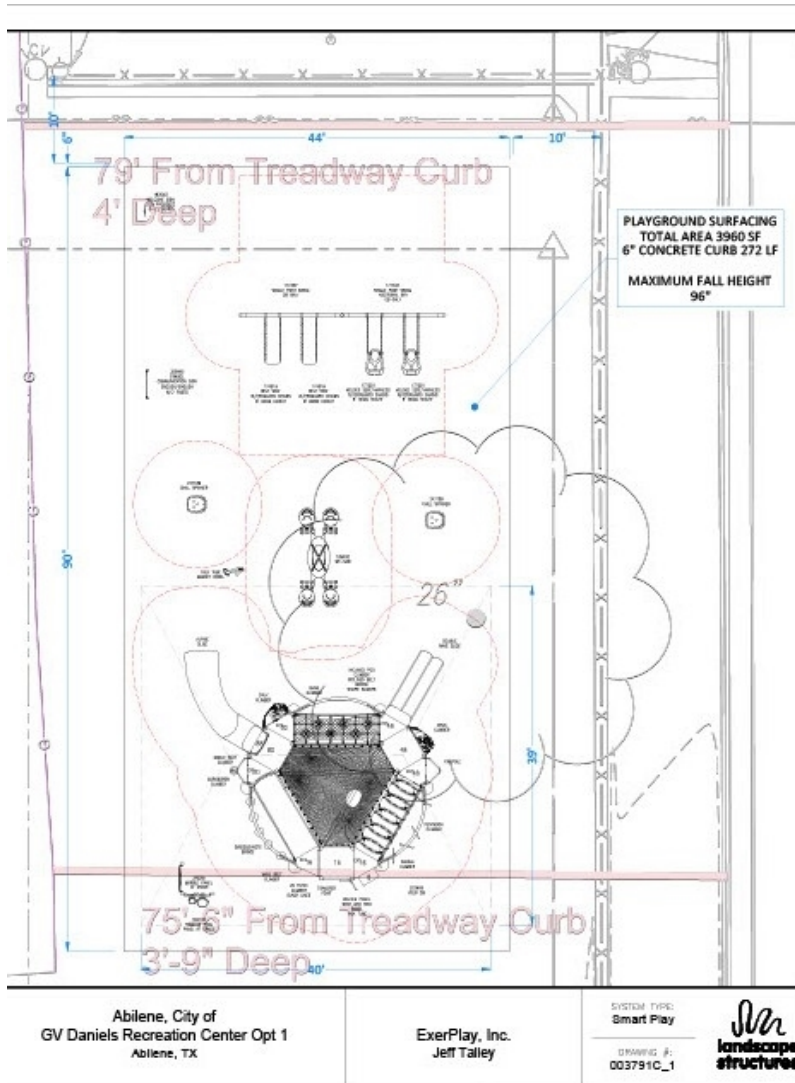
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Champions Day





Event Information

CHAMPIONS DAY

June 28th & July 26th - 9 AM - 11 AM

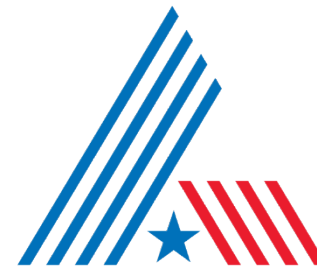


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CityLink Update



CityLink Report

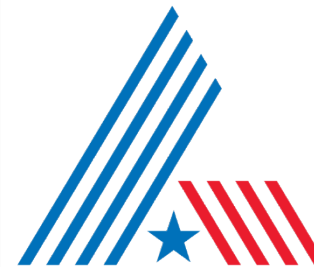




CityLink Report

CityLink ADA Metric Report

PARATRANSIT ADA-PASSENGERS	Mar-2025	Apr-2025	May-2025	Jun-2025	
BA1	2,366	1,663	685	1,360	-
BA2	86	47	33	65	-
ADA PCAs	199	89	54	98	-
Guests	46	35	20	23	-
Citylink ADA Trips	2,697	1,834	792	1,546	-
Number of Trip Denials	0	0	0	0	0
Number of on time trips	1,533	1,607	1,135	1,899	-
Percent On Time	52%	55%	81%	79%	0%
ADA Certifications	Mar-25	Apr-2025	May-25	Jun-2025	
ADA Paratransit Applications Received	28	32	30	69	0
ADA Applications Denied	3	4	5	10	0
ADA Applications Processed Late	0	0	6	5	0
Number of ADA Certified Passengers	2452	1710	718	1425	



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Upcoming Board Topics

