Richard Boyer — Place 2

Years of council service: 7

Term expiration: Nov. 2018

Additional titles: Mayor Pro tem 2012, 2015; Deputy Mayor Pro tem 2011; Vice Chair, Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone Number One Board of Directors

Place 2 City Councilmember Richard Boyer was first elected to The Colony City Council in May 2009 and was re-elected November 2015. Previously, Boyer served the city as a member and president of the Community Development Corp. from 1999-2006. He is currently the Council Liaison to the Community Development Corp. as well as the city's member of the Metrocrest Medical Foundation Board. Since serving on Council, Boyer has chaired the Election Redistricting Committee and led the Council's legislative affairs efforts in Austin.

A resident of The Colony since 1996, Boyer holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from Stephen F. Austin State University and a master's in organizational leadership from Bellevue University. Texas Gov. Rick Perry appointed Boyer to serve on the Stephen F. Austin State University Board of Regents from 2005-2011, where he was the youngest Regent in the state of Texas at the time. Professionally, he works as Director of Corporate Compliance for a healthcare management company in Plano.

Place 2 City Councilmember Richard Boyer was among the keynote speakers during the ceremony marking the grand opening of the Memorial-Spring Creek Connector.