

Biography

Cheryl L. Dunlop Director (Ret.), Administrative Services City of Rockwall

Cheryl L. Dunlop retired in January 2020 as the Director of Administrative Services for the City of Rockwall after serving more than 20 years. She directed the City's organizational development, risk management programs, utility franchise compliance, employment law compliance and human resources.

She began her career working on Capitol Hill for a Texas Congressman as a legislative assistant where one of her primary areas of responsibility focused on ethical issues in federal government. After approximately three (3) years in Washington, Cheryl continued her career with Texas-based, national healthcare organizations for a cumulative sixteen years. In addition to her responsibilities for organizational development, risk management, human resources, and physician recruitment and credentialing, she was responsible for the development and communication of the organizations' ethics programs.

Cheryl serves on the Board of Trustees of The Center for American and International Law and as an Associate Advisor of the Institute for Law Enforcement Administration. She is also a board member of the North Texas Municipal Alliance, where she presents a variety of educational and developmental training topics. Cheryl is a state certified mediator and has volunteered over 200 hours in mediation for the Dallas County Judicial Court System and Dallas Mediation Services. Additional professional associations include: International Public Management Association, American Society for Public Administration, and Society for Human Resource Management, Texas Municipal Human Resources Association, and International City/County Management Association. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Administration from West Texas State University, and her Masters in Public Administration from University of Texas in Arlington. She holds professional Society for Human Resource Management - Senior certifications with: Professional in Human Resources (SPHR), University of Texas/Arlington -Certified Public Manager (CPM), International Public/Personnel Management Association – Certified Professional (IPMA-CP), and Advanced Employment Law (IAML)