



Matthew Marchant, Mayor

Elected May 2011

Term Expires May 2014

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Matthew Marchant was elected Mayor of Carrollton on May 14, 2011, receiving 65% of the votes cast.

First elected to the Carrollton City Council in 2002, Matthew was re-elected in 2003, 2006 and 2008. Prior to his election to the City Council, Matthew served on Carrollton's Development Ordinance Advisory Commission. He has also served in following roles: Chairman of the Redevelopment Subcommittee, member of the Transit Oriented Development Subcommittee, member of the Carrollton Festival at the Switchyard Subcommittee, member of the Audit and Finance Committee, and member of the Judicial Committee.

Matthew represents Carrollton and Farmers Branch as a voting member of the Regional Transportation Council, a 43 member board that sets transportation policy, funding and priorities for the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Background and Education

A lifetime resident of the Carrollton area, Matthew attended CFB-ISD schools and graduated from Trinity Christian Academy in 1994. He attended college at Southern Nazarene University in Bethany, Oklahoma, receiving his Bachelor of Science degree in 1998. Matthew continued his studies at the University of Texas School of Law in Austin, Texas, where he earned his Law Degree in December, 2000. He is also a graduate of Leadership Metrocrest, Class XXI.

Professional and Personal

Matthew is a partner at Strasburger & Price, LLP, where he practices as a real estate and finance attorney. Matthew has been married to his wife, Lindsay, for 10 years and is the proud father of two daughters, ages 5 and 7.

