

“Standing and speaking together for righteousness and justice”



Houston Area Pastor Council – Commitment Form*

1. General Council Member

- a. Attend quarterly HAPC luncheons, workshops and special gatherings as often as schedule permits.
 - i. Luncheons will feature a program that will be approved by the Executive Committee, and will include local, state and/or national featured speakers such as issues experts, elected officials and pastors. Other activities will be informational or action in nature as the need is determined.
- b. Appoint, assign or recruit a Community Impact Coordinator (either staff or lay leader at your discretion) to lead the citizenship ministry team which will facilitate all related educational, training and mobilizing activities in the church.
- c. Review and cast advisory votes on decisions regarding materials, seminars and conferences, voter information, public policy positions and other relevant activities of the HAPC.
 - i. This would occur via e-mail and fax as directed by the Executive Committee.
- d. Provide sermon notes, tapes, materials, etc. on mission related topics that can be made available to other council members.

2. Executive Committee Member

- a. All council functions listed above, and agree to have name listed on HAPC materials.
- b. Attend quarterly Executive Committee sessions as scheduled to receive updates, discuss and review activity and make decisions directing the performance of the mission and purpose.
- c. Participate as available in periodic tele-conference or web-conference discussions if needed between quarterly meetings, i.e. a statement or position on a local, state or national policy is appropriate.
- d. Adopt criteria for General Council Committee membership, activities and direction.
- e. Serve as the governing committee to provide oversight of strategy, direction and Council activities/actions, enlist likeminded pastors to join the General Council.

*** - Only Senior Pastors or equivalent position may serve on the General Council and Executive Committee**

Executive Committee

Pastor Herman Castano
Iglesia Rios de Aceite

Pastor Michael Cave
Church of the Bay Area

Pastor Jim Daniel
Fairfield Baptist Church

Pastor Willie Davis
Greater St. Paul M.B.C.

Pastor Sonny Foraker
First Baptist Church Pearland

Pastor Vernon Guthrie
Galena Park Assembly of God

Pastor C.L. Jackson
Pleasant Grove M.B.C.

Pastor Elmo Johnson
Rose of Sharon Baptist

Pastor Melvin Johnson
Heart of Christ Community

Pastor Peter Leong
Southwest Chinese Baptist

Pastor Duane Miller
First Baptist Church Bellaire

Pastor Lee McDowell
Anchor Baptist Church

Pastor Jesse C. Pan
Chinese Lutheran Church

Pastor Bob Phillips
The Encourager Church

Pastor Steve Riggle
Grace Community Church

Pastor Albert Salazar
New Life Church of Houston

Vernon Troutman
Christ Community Church

Dave Welch
HAPC Director

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