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# PRESS RELEASE

## City of Watauga Receives Planning Excellence Award

**Watauga, Texas** - The City of Watauga has been awarded a Planning Excellence Award from the American Planning Association's Texas Chapter. The City met the rigorous standards of training for its Planning & Zoning Commissioners and professional staff, professional qualifications of planning staff, adoption of One Watauga- One Vision for our Future Comprehensive Master Plan and multiple Zoning Ordinance Amendments in fewer than two years.

Additionally, Watauga has met the program goals for the award thereby: increasing community awareness; planning efforts that have achieved community support; encouraging the funding of professional training for Planning Commissioners and Staff; and programs aiding in economic development and community image.

Watauga's first Planning & Development Manager, Jacquelyn Reyff AICP, "I am thrilled for the City of Watauga to receive this award and applaud the work and commitment from our City Council, Planning & Zoning Commission as well as our Staff in sharing this award. This was and will continue to be a team effort in making Watauga, Texas, "A Great Place to Live".