



Photography Contest

City hosts second annual photo contest.

The Fulshear Economic Development Corporation is hosting the second annual photography contest honoring the City of Fulshear's Bicentennial. We are searching for images from our local photographers. All photos submitted must be the original work of the entrant. This year we are looking to highlight:

What does Fulshear mean to you?

We encourage photographers to focus on people, places, animals, and florals.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

- Photographs must be submitted digitally. There will be no exceptions. Photos with titles and names printed on the front of the image will not be accepted and entries must be suitable for family viewing. Limit to two entries per photographer.
- The contest will begin on **May 20** and the deadline for submission will be 5:00 P.M. on **July 22**
- Entries will not be accepted unless submitted via the official contest channel. Entries not submitted through the proper channel will be deleted.
- Participants must submit a high-resolution photo via email to ecodev@fulsheartexas.gov and include the name and phone number of the photographer as well and the location where the photograph was taken.
- All photos must be taken within Fulshear city limits.
- By entering the contest, entrants agree that photos submitted can be used by the City of Fulshear for advertising and marketing purposes. Photographers will receive credit in print.
- Submissions will not be accepted past the deadline.
- The winner will be contacted via the email address provided during entry.
- Entries within these guidelines will be collected and shared to the City of Fulshear Facebook page for the "people's choice" category.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Participants must be 16 or older.
- Photographers of all skill levels are welcome.

JUDGING:

- The grand prize, second prize, and third prize winners will be selected by the City of Fulshear staff. All decisions are final. The City reserves the right to disqualify any entry that is deemed inappropriate or does not conform to stated contest rules.

- The public will vote for the winner of the “people’s choice” category via the City of Fulshear Facebook page.
- The winners will be announced on August 1, 2024, on the City of Fulshear’s social media. They will be posted on the website and social media the following day.

PRIZES:

- Grand Prize: Photo will be displayed at the City Municipal Complex entrance lobby for one year.
- Second Place \$100 value gift.
- Third Place: \$50 value gift.
- People’s Choice (social media likes/shares): \$25 value gift.
- A selection of photographs, including the winners, will be displayed at City Hall with full photography credits.

LEGAL DISCLAIMERS:

- No donation or obligation by any entrant is necessary to win.
- Participation in the contest grants the City of Fulshear the right to use the contestant’s photographs for publications. The entrant retains the right to use and publish their photograph.
- The photo must not infringe upon the trademark, copyright, moral rights, intellectual rights, or rights of privacy of any entity or person.
- By entering this contest, participants release and hold harmless the City of Fulshear from any liability for any injuries, loss, claim, action, demand, or damage of any kind arising from or related to the contest, any prize won, a misuse or malfunction of any prize awarded.
- Any entry deemed explicit and/or copyrighted will automatically be disqualified.
- Any photograph that violates any portion of Chapter 21.15 of the Texas Penal Code will automatically be disqualified.
- Any entrant whose photograph displays the image of a uniquely identifiable person is responsible for obtaining from that person a model release form. Any entry that contains the image of a uniquely identifiable person, and does not submit a model release form will automatically be disqualified.