

Rachel Upshaw Bio

My name is Rachel Upshaw, and I'm submitting my name as a candidate for the Lakewood Home Owner's Association Board of Directors.

I spent the first 22 years of my life in Austin, often driving past the Lakewood sign, but I had no idea what the future held in store! After graduating from the University of Texas with a degree in Public Relations, I moved to New York and worked in corporate communications. A project sent me to Berlin where I met my husband, Spiros Tzivelekis.

In July 2020, we found the perfect house on Waldon Dr, and we've worked hard to make it home for our kids - Leo (age 4), Percy (age 3), and Rhea (age 1).

Between my professional experience in communications and the logistical juggling skills I've developed as a mother of three small children, I believe I would be able to serve the Lakewood HOA well. Although we've only been here a short time, I love this neighborhood and the friends we've made while on walks or at the playground. My goal would be to continue fostering the community spirit that makes Lakewood special while prioritizing projects that increase the safety and usability for pedestrians that enjoy the beautiful streets of our neighborhood.

Thank you for your consideration!
Rachel Upshaw