

Russell Berry

Immediate Past Chairman, Texas REALTORS®

Speaker intro*

Russell Berry is an experienced real estate professional who is a broker associate at Coldwell Banker Apex, REALTORS[®] in Dallas. As 2023 Immediate Past Chair of Texas REALTORS[®], he is one of the top officers on the association's Leadership Team.

Previously, he had a successful career as an agent and then as broker for his own company and a boutique firm. A REALTOR® for more than 20 years, Russell has served on dozens of local, state, and national committees and task forces. He was a member of NAR's RPAC Participation Committee and an RPAC fundraising trustee. He is also a graduate of the NAR Leadership Academy. Russell has served on the Texas REALTORS® Budget & Finance Committee, as a regional vice president, and chaired the Public Policy Oversight Committee. Russell was the 2016 president of the MetroTex Association of REALTORS®.

Russell also has a passion for giving back to his community and is an active volunteer with Dwell with Dignity and Easter Seals.

*Feel free to use the additional information below to tailor the introduction to your audience

Supplemental information

Local association service and activities

- Chairman of the Board, MetroTex (2016)
- Metrotex Investments Committee (2017)
- Metrotex Chairable Trust Committee (2017)
- GMMLS Chairman (2016)
- Leadership Academy Chair (2014)
- Budget and Finance Committee (2014)

State association service and activities

- Board of Directors
- Executive Committee, Regional Vice President (Region 12)
- The following committees:
 - Public Policy Oversight Vice Chair (2018)
 - Conference Committee (2018)
 - Technology Committee
 - Budget and Finance Committee (2018-present)
 - Website Review Committee (2017)
 - TREPAC Trustee

National association service and activities

- Board of Directors (2014-present)
- MLS Issues and Policies Committee (2022)
- RPAC Major Investor Council (2021)
- RPAC Major Participation Council (2017-2020)
- RPAC Trustees Fundraising Committee (2018)
- Federal Financing and Housing Policy Committee (2015 and 2016)

Professional experience, honors

- MetroTex REALTOR® of the Year, 2016
- Graduate, NAR Leadership Academy (2017)
- Women's Council of REALTORS[®], Member
- AAREA, Member
- NAHREP, Member

Community Involvement

- Dwell with Dignity
- Easter Seals

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