AARP® Real Possibilities

Application Form to join the AARP Network of Age-friendly Communities and World Health Organization's Global Network of Age-Friendly Cities and Communities

1) *Community details*

Name of community: Dallas

State: Texas

Population size: 1,257,676

Percentage of residents above the age of 60:

Name and title of the Mayor or Elected Official signing the official commitment:
Mike Rawlings, Mayor

Address of the Mayor's office:
Mayor Mike Rawlings
Dallas City Hall
Dallas, TX 75201

2) *Designation of community contact* for the AARP Network*

*The community contact is the staff or volunteer mainly responsible for carrying out the work at the community level, <u>not</u> the responsible AARP staff member
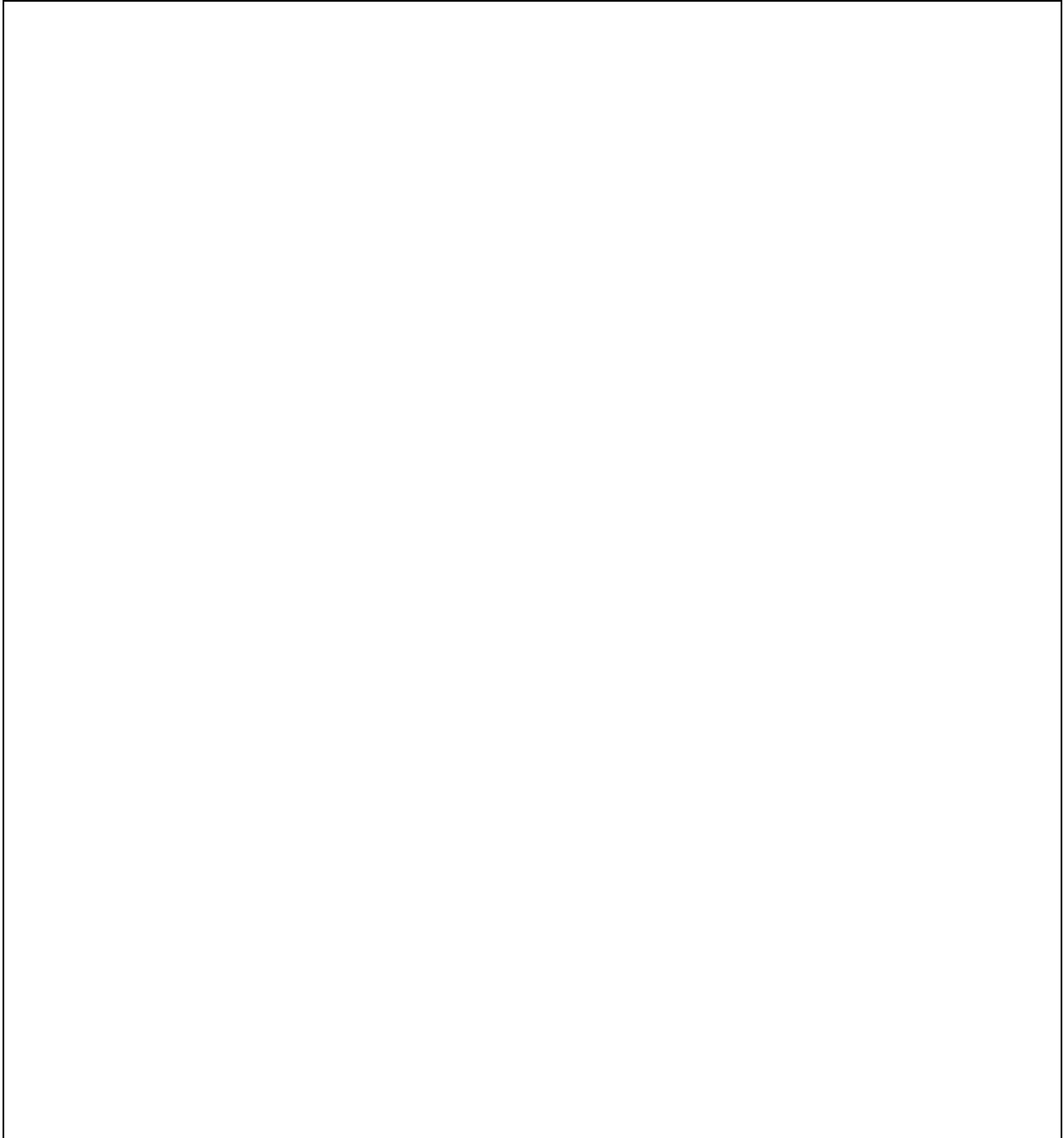
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Please describe the above person's role in the city or community's age friendly initiative:
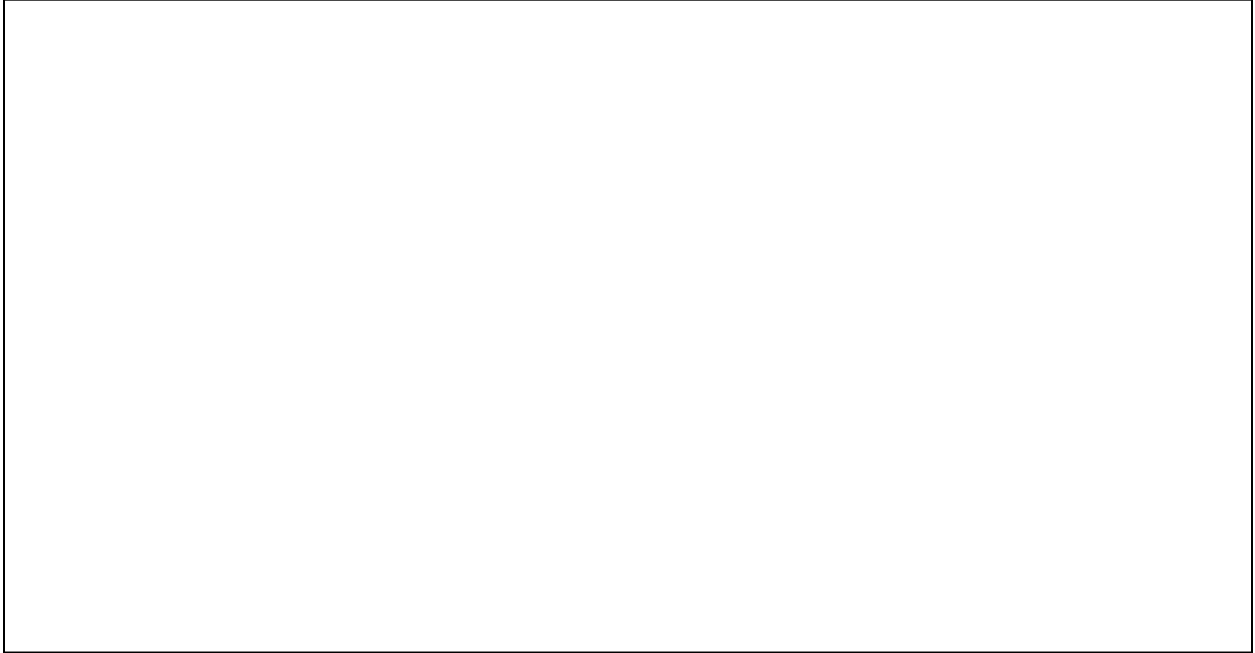
3) Description of your age-friendly activities to date

Please provide a brief summary, in 500 words or less, of your city or community's policies, programs and services targeted at older people and how you are planning to make your community more age-friendly.
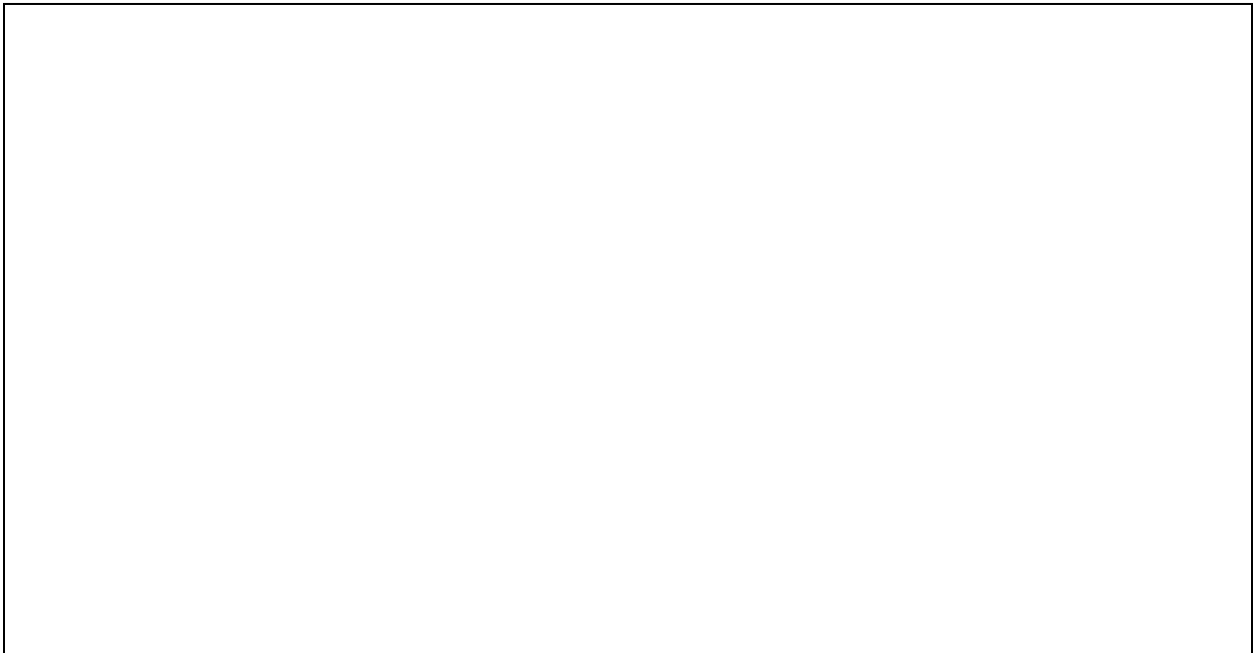
4) *Engagement of older people*

How are you engaging and involving older people in the process of becoming a more age-friendly city or community?
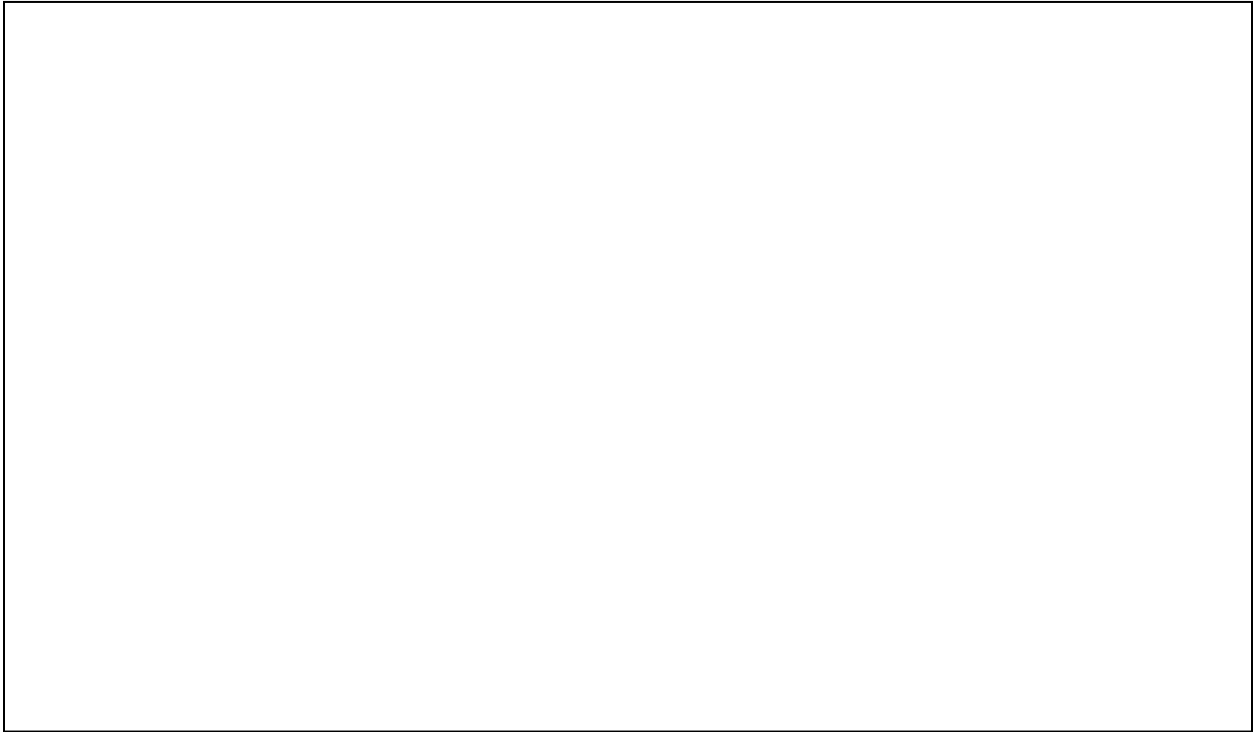
5) *Cross-sector collaboration*

Briefly describe what mechanisms have you/are you planning to put in place to facilitate collaborative planning and implementation between different agencies and departments o and across sectors?

6) Participation in the AARP and Global Network of Age-friendly Communities

How do you hope to contribute to the Global Network?

What motivated your city or community to become a member of the AARP Network?