

6. To configure the network adapter card settings, click Configure.

The Properties dialog box for your network adapter appears, as shown in Figure 2-6. This dialog box has seven tabs that let you configure the adapter:

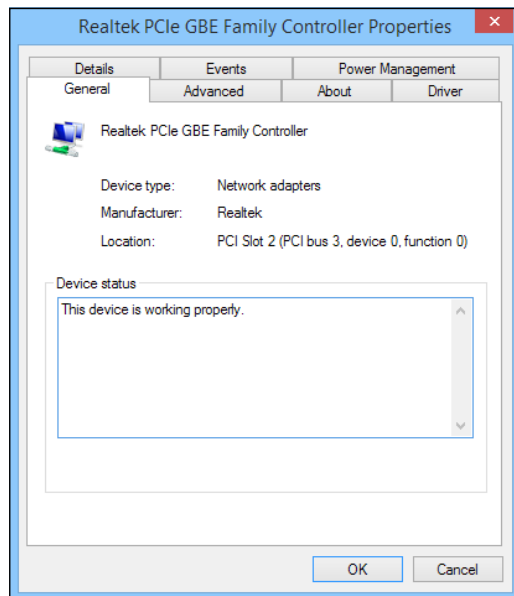


FIGURE 2-6:
The Properties
dialog box for a
network adapter.

- *General:* Shows basic information about the adapter, such as the device type and status.
- *Advanced:* Lets you set a variety of device-specific parameters that affect the operation of the adapter.
- *About:* Displays information about the device's patent protection.
- *Driver:* Displays information about the device driver that's bound to the NIC and lets you update the driver to a newer version, roll back the driver to a previously working version, or uninstall the driver.
- *Details:* With this tab, you can inspect various properties of the adapter such as the date and version of the device driver. To view the setting of a particular property, select the property name from the drop-down list.
- *Events:* Lists recent events that have been logged for the device.
- *Power Management:* Lets you configure power management options for the device.