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Applicants Sought for City Budget Committee

The City is seeking applications for four open positions on the Springfield Budget Committee. The deadline for submitting applications is 5 p.m., March 2, 2018. Application forms are available in the City Manager's Office in City Hall, 225 Fifth Street, during regular business hours.

Applicants are being sought to represent Wards 3 Ward 4, SEDA Glenwood and SEDA Downtown where former committee members' terms expired. Please visit <http://springfield-or.gov/council.htm> to see a Ward map.

- One position is open to Ward 3 residents. The person appointed will serve a three-year term which will expire on December 31, 2020.
- One position is open to Ward 4 residents. The person appointed will serve a three-year term which will expire on December 31, 2020.
- One position is open to SEDA Glenwood. The person appointed will serve a three-year term which will expire on December 31, 2020.
- One position is open to SEDA Downtown. The person appointed will serve a three-year term which will expire on December 31, 2020.

What: City is accepting applications for open positions on the City Budget Committee

When: The deadline to apply is 5 p.m., March 2, 2018

Where: Applications are available at City Hall in the City Manager's Office or by calling Paula Davis at 541.726.3698.

Background

The Budget Committee reviews the City's financial plans and policies, including the annual budget. The 12-member committee is comprised of the six elected City Councilors and six members from the community.

Appointed by the City Council, each of the committee's six community members must live in the ward they represent. Meetings are typically held between April and June, but the committee may also meet on an "as needed" basis.

SEDA Budget Committee is comprised of the 12 members of the City of Springfield's Budget Committee along with a representative from Glenwood and downtown. Appointed by the City Council, each representative must own a business or live within the Glenwood or downtown area. Meetings are typically held between April and June, but the committee may also meet on an "as needed" basis.

For more information contact Paula Davis at 541.726.3698 or pldavis@springfield-or.gov



Application for a City of Springfield Citizen Advisory Board/Commission/Committee

Please print or type:

1. What experiences / training / qualifications do you have for this particular board / commission / committee?
2. What specific contribution do you hope to make?
3. Briefly describe your involvement in relevant community groups and activities. (Lack of previous involvement will not necessarily disqualify you from consideration.)
4. What community topics concern you that relate to this board / commission / committee? Why do you want to become a member?
5. Most boards / commissions / committees meet monthly. Subcommittees may meet more frequently. Meetings generally last one and one-half hours. **It is highly recommended you attend a meeting before submitting the application.** Please read the news release for this position which contains the normal dates and times for these meetings and can be found at www.ci.springfield.or.us/CMO/newsrel.htm. Are you available to attend meetings on the dates listed for this committee?

Yes No

Comments: _____

I certify the information in this application and attachments are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false or misleading statements or missing information is cause for rejection of application, removal of name from eligible list, or dismissal from the position. I hereby waive my rights to claims or damages against any employer and the City of Springfield, its officers, agents, and employees, in regard to this exchange of information. I hereby authorize to permit the City of Springfield and/or the Springfield Police Department to review my background information and if required my DMV records. I have reviewed the Advisory and meet the minimum requirements to serve/volunteer in the desired position. I also authorize to permit any materials listed above to be copied and retained by the City of Springfield. I authorize the use of my photograph.

I will defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City of Springfield, its officers, employees, and agents from and against all liability or loss and against any and all claims, actions, causes of actions, proceedings or appeals based upon or arising out of or arising from or in connection with my conduct or performance as a volunteer with the City of Springfield including but not limited damage or injury to persons or property and including without limitation attorney fees and expenses; except for losses, claims or actions resulting from the sole negligence of the City of Springfield.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

For more information please call the City Manager's Office 541.726.3700
Return this application to the City Manager's Office, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield Oregon 97477