



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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Applicants Needed for Springfield Library Board Position

The City of Springfield is seeking applications for two volunteer positions on the Springfield Library Advisory Board. The deadline for application is 5 p.m. Friday January 11, 2019.

Applications are available at the City Manager's Office in City Hall, 225 Fifth Street and at the Library located at the same address inside City Hall. Applications can also be accessed on line at <http://www.springfield-or.gov/bcc.htm>. Applicants will be invited to attend an Advisory Board meeting at 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, January 15. The Mayor and City Council will conduct interviews on Monday January 22, 2019.

The Springfield Library Advisory Board acts as a citizen sounding board on current library and museum services including review of policies and procedures. It also participates in the Library's strategic planning process and future development of services in Springfield including both facilities and funding strategies. Springfield is a diverse community, persons of all ages, ethnic and religious backgrounds, gender and sexual orientation are encouraged to apply. The Board meets the first Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall.

For more information, contact: Library Director Emily David at 541.726.2235 or at edavid@springfield-or.gov



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

City Manager's Office • 225 Fifth Street • Springfield, OR 97477

PLEASE NOTE:

- When possible, council will not appoint people currently serving on another governing body to the Planning Commission or Budget Committee.
- When appointing people to any of the other city boards, commissions or committees, the Council shall take into account whether that person is being reappointed for a subsequent term, is currently serving on another governing body or currently appointed to another city board, commission or committee.
- When possible, the Council will appoint people to serve on one City board, commission or committee only.

Board / Commission / Committee applying for:

_____ (A separate application must be completed for each board / commission / committee)

Name: _____
First
Middle Initial
Last

Home address: _____
Street
City
Zip

Mailing address: _____
Street
City
Zip

Day Phone: _____ Evening phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Preferred Form of Contact: _____

Do you live within the Springfield city limits? Yes If yes, how long? _____
 No If no, do you live inside Springfield's
 Urban Growth Boundary?

Ward number (City residents only): _____ Yes No

Are you a Springfield property owner? Yes No
 Are you a Springfield business owner? Yes No
 Are you a registered voter? Yes No

Occupation: _____ Place of employment/School: _____

Business address: _____

Education: _____

Are you currently serving on any other board, committee, or commission? If so, please list them here:

How did you hear about the above vacancy?

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| Newspaper ad | Newspaper article | Radio/TV | Mail notice |
| Word of mouth | Board/Commission/Committee member | Internet | |

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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: _____

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