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APPLICANTS SOUGHT FOR CITY BUDGET COMMITTEE

The City is seeking applications for two open positions on the on the Springfield Budget Committee. The deadline for submitting applications is **5:00 p.m., February 27, 2015**. 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 and 4 where former committee members' termed expired or have resigned. Please visit <http://springfield-or.gov/council.htm> to see a Ward map.

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.

One position is open to Ward 3 residents. The person appointed will serve a three-year term which will expire on December 31, 2017.

One position is open to Ward 4 residents. The person appointed will serve a three-year term which will expire on December 31, 2017.

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

When: The deadline to apply is **5:00 p.m., February 27, 2015**

Where: Applications are available at City Hall in the City Manager's Office or by calling Paula Davis at 541-726-3698.