



City of Bellingham

Board and Commission Openings

Opportunities to Serve

Vacancies on city boards, commissions, and committees offer Bellingham citizens opportunities to serve their community. There are a number of vacancies on City Boards, Commissions, and Committees.

Eligibility

Candidates must presently live within Bellingham City limits and have done so for at least one (1) year, unless otherwise specified (noted with*). Some residency exceptions may apply to certain boards. Please contact the Mayor's Office for clarification: (360) 778-8100.

Applications

Anyone with an interest in serving may pick up an application from Centralized Reception at City Hall, 210 Lottie Street, or print one off of the City's website at:

<http://www.cob.org/gov/public/bc/Pages/Boards-and-Commissions-Application-Process.aspx>

Current Opportunities

Broadband Advisory Workgroup – Up to nine vacancies available on the newly created [Broadband Advisory Workgroup](#). The workgroup will be comprised of community members, broadband and fiber optic industry professionals, and individuals with business and financial backgrounds. While preference will be given to City residents, people residing outside the City are eligible to apply and may be considered as well. People interested in applying should submit a letter of interest and the [Boards and Commissions application](#). First review of applications will occur on September 18, 2020.

Community Development Advisory Board – There are two (2) vacancies on the board (Ward 2 & 5). Meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the Mayor's Board Room at City Hall.

Design Review Board - There are two (2) vacancies on the commission. Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 3:00 p.m. in City Council Chambers at City Hall.

*Residency is not required.

Greenway Advisory Board – There are two (2) vacancies on the board. Meets the 1st Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Mayor's Board Room at City Hall.

Historic Preservation Commission - There are three (3) vacancies on the commission. Meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 4:00 p.m. and the 4th Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in City Council Chambers at City Hall.



Planning & Development Commission - There is one (1) upcoming vacancy on the Commission in January. Meets 2nd & 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in City Council Chambers.

Public Facilities District – There are three (3) vacancies on the board. Meets the 4th Wednesday of the month every three months at 11:00 a.m. in the Law Library at City Hall, 210 Lottie Street.

*County residents welcome to apply.

Sister Cities Advisory Board - There are three (3) vacancies on the board. Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 5:30 p.m. in the Mayor's Board Room, City Hall.

*County residents welcome to apply.

Tourism Commission – There is one (1) vacancy on the commission. The commission meets the 4th Tuesday of the month at 3:00 p.m. in various locations, see the website for updates.

*County residents welcome to apply.

Transportation Commission - There are three (3) vacancies on the commission. Meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the Mayor's Board Room, 210 Lottie Street

More Information

For more information regarding any of the above Boards, Commissions, and Committees, please contact the Mayor's office at 778-8100 / mayorsoffice@cob.org.

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