

**REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT TO  
CITY BOARD, COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) \_\_\_\_\_ (Email) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Establishment of Continuous Residency in the City of Oak Park: \_\_\_\_\_

(Two-Year Residency in the City of Oak Park is Required.)

**Please list your qualifications as to why you feel you are qualified to serve on the particular Board, Commission or Committee to which you are applying:**

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Please indicate your preference of three (3) Boards, with "1" being your first choice, "2" your second choice, and "3" your third choice:

**ARTS AND CULTURAL COMMISSION**

(Meets 4th Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.)

Promotes community interest in, and awareness of, the fine and performing arts by procuring funds and sponsoring art exhibits, theatrical and musical performances and other cultural activities.

**BEAUTIFICATION ADVISORY COMMISSION**

(Meets 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.) Advisory to City Council and Department of Public Works on matters of aesthetics and cleanliness in the City. Conducts the Annual Cleanup, Fix-Up Campaign.

**BOARD OF CANVASSERS**

(Meets after each City Election) Certifies vote counts and elections.

**BOARD OF REVIEW**

(Meets annually in March - First Session on 2nd Monday and Second Session on 4th Monday)

Hears appeals on property assessments.

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES - EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

(Meets quarterly - 4th Monday at 3:30 p.m.) Administers Retirement System.

**BUILDING BOARD OF APPEALS**

(Meetings are Held on Request) Hears appeals on the enforcement of the construction codes of the Building Division of the Department of Technical and Planning Services.

**CABLE TELEVISION ADVISORY COMMISSION**

(Meets Quarterly on 3rd Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in Communications Center) Monitors the relationship between the franchisee and the City as it impacts cable service to our residents. Members must subscribe to cable television.

**COMPENSATION COMMISSION**

(Meetings are Held on Odd Years) Determines the salaries of Mayor and City Council.

**DOWNSPOUT BOARD OF APPEALS**

(Meetings are Held on Request) Reviews necessity for exceptions to law requiring disconnection of downspouts.

**ELECTION COMMISSION**

(Meetings are Held on Request) Assists City Clerk during elections.

**EMERGENCY SERVICES COUNCIL**

(Meets 2nd Monday of each month, except July and August, at 7:15 p.m.)

Advisory to City Council and Public Safety on matters relating to Emergency Management and Natural Disasters.

**ETHNIC ADVISORY COMMISSION**

(Meets 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in Community Center)

Mission is to recognize, maintain, communicate and celebrate the cultural richness of our community.

**INDEPENDENCE DAY COMMISSION**

(Meets AT 7:00 P.M. ON first Wednesday of each month from February through June (and once in September) in Community Center, unless otherwise designated.)

**LIBRARY AUTHORITY**

(Meetings at 7:30 P.M on third Tuesday of each month).

**PLANNING COMMISSION**

(Meets 2nd Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.) Advisory to City Council on rezonings/City planning.

**RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD**

(Meets 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.)

Advisory to City Council and Recreation Department on recreational programming.

**RECYCLING AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

(Meets six times a year on third Thursday of the month: February, April, June, August, October and December)

**ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

(Meets 4th Tuesday of each Month at 7:30 p.m.)

Hears appeals and requests for variances from the strict enforcement of the zoning ordinance.

**(You are Invited to Attend Meetings of any of the Boards, Committees or Commissions  
in Which You May be Interested)**

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