



Application For Appointment to an Authority, Board, or Commission (ABCs) or for Volunteer Service

The Borough of Gettysburg has established authorities, boards, and commissions comprised of citizen volunteers dedicated to shaping the future of Gettysburg. If you would like to be considered for appointment to a position on an authority, board, or commission, please complete this form and submit it to the Borough Secretary. When an opening occurs due to a resignation or term expiration, the Borough Council will consider volunteer interest from applications on file.

General qualifications of the applicant should include:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ° Interest in working with land use, environmental issues, building terminology, preservation or social, economic, or cultural issues relating to the Borough of Gettysburg. ° Interest in Gettysburg Borough Council's objective future plans, both short and long term. ° A desire to become involved in Gettysburg's future by offering to help the community. ° Live and vote in the Borough of Gettysburg, except where allowed by ordinance. 			
Please mark each Authority, Board, or Commission you would like to be considered for <small>(Descriptions and approximate time requirements are listed on the next page)</small>			
Civil Service Commission	<input type="checkbox"/>	Code Enforcement Appeals Board	<input type="checkbox"/>
Historic Architecture Review Board	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gettysburg Area Recreation Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>
Planning Commission	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gettysburg Municipal Authority Board	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shade Tree Commission	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gettysburg Stormwater Authority Board	<input type="checkbox"/>
Zoning Hearing Board	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gettysburg Human Relations Commission	<input type="checkbox"/>
Name: _____	Email Address: _____	Home Phone # _____	_____
Address: _____	Work Phone Number _____	Occupation _____	_____
_____	Place of Business: _____	_____	_____
Related Experience/Organizations: 			
Briefly state your interest and availability to serve. <small>Please expand your answer on additional sheets if you need to or attach your resume.</small>			

Please submit completed applications to the Borough Secretary, Sara Stull: stull@gettysburgpa.gov or call 717-334-1160

Civil Service Commission- Civil Service Commission (CSC) consists of 3 commissioners appointed for 6 year terms. They are responsible for the hiring and promotion process of Gettysburg police officers. The CSC meets as needed.

Code Enforcement Appeals Board- The Code Enforcement Appeals Board acts as the Borough's judicial appeals process for all code violations. Board members serve alternating five-year terms. The Board meets as needed.

Gettysburg Area Recreation Authority (GARA)- The Gettysburg Area Recreation Authority has been established to organize year round programs and services to help sustain better health and wellness. GARA meets monthly on the third Monday.

Gettysburg Borough Storm Water Authority- GBSWA strives to prevent harmful pollutants from being washed or dumped into waterways as required by law. Gettysburg Borough is a mandated MS4 community and must comply with the regulations. GBSWA meets monthly on the second Monday. 5 year terms.

Gettysburg Municipal Authority (GMA)- The goals of GMA are to provide a safe, adequate, reliable and cost effective supply of water as well as the collection and treatment of Wastewater. GMA meets monthly on the third Monday. 5 year terms.

Historic Architectural Review Board (HARB)- The mission of HARB is to regulate the erection, reconstruction, alteration, restoration, demolition or razing of buildings within the (local) historic districts. The 7 person Board meets monthly on the third Wednesday. 5 year terms.

Planning Commission - The 5 member Gettysburg Planning Commission addresses Borough-wide planning issues and provides leadership in the management of growth and change of the economy, ecology, and environment of Gettysburg. The Commission meets Monthly on the third Monday of the month.

Shade Tree Commission- The Shade Tree Commission consists of residents appointed for 5 year terms. They are responsible for the planting, replanting, pruning, health, and removal of plants, shrubs, and trees within the Borough. Commission meets bi-monthly (starting in February) on the second Tuesday of the month.

Zoning Hearing Board (ZHB)- The Quasi-judicial Zoning Hearing Board (ZHB) meets as necessary to hear and decide appeals, and to hear and grant variances and special exceptions to the Borough Zoning Ordinance. 5 year terms. 5 members, 1 alternate, and 1 solicitor.

Gettysburg Human Relations Commission (HRC)- Following the guidance of the PA Human Relations Commission Act, the commission hears and assists in the mediation of complaints in regards to discrimination in housing, employment, and public accommodation. Commission meets as needed. 5 members and 1 alternate. Staggered 5 year terms.