

Boards & Commissions Application



I am interested in serving on the following boards/commissions. (Please indicate the order of preference).

- 1. Planning Commission
- 2. _____

As an applicant/member of a Council-appointed Board or Commission, your name, address, and phone number will be available to the press and public. Information will be kept on file for three years. Public discussion of information contained herein may occur in the meeting at which appointments are considered by the City Council.

Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss. Dr. (Please type or print clearly)

Name: Steen Robert J Date: 11/05/14
(Last) (First) (M.I)

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Phone Number: 540-442-1470 Alternate Phone: 540-421-0582

Occupation: retired Employer/Organization: —

E-mail: NIGEQ@aol.com Harrisonburg resident for 14 years.

Were you referred by anyone: Yes No Name of Referring Party: _____

How did you hear about volunteering on a board or commission? Cable Website Council Meeting
 Other: City Clerk

Why do you wish to serve on a board or commission?

Continue many years of community service

What relevant experience or education do you have to this board or commission?

- see attached resume,
- o Fifteen (15) years experience on Planning Commissions/Boards in three states,
- o Graduate of VA certified Planning Commission Program - Va. Tech,

What other interests or concerns do you have regarding the community?

Please list any past or present community involvement e.g. City Council, Board and Commissions, Citizen Academy, etc. in Harrisonburg or elsewhere:

See resume

-Please return completed application to the City Manager's Office-

Applicants are encouraged to attach a resume or other supporting information that may be helpful to Council in considering their application.

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Gentlemen:

I would like to be considered for one of the upcoming open positions on the Harrisonburg Planning Commission.

This is a brief synopsis of my work and municipal experience:

Retired from the former Digital Equipment Corp. as a Principal Maintainability Engineer.

Retired from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Group Insurance Commission as Assistant Director, Systems Group.

Municipal Experience:

Orchard Park, NY

- o Recreation Commission-1 year
- o Public Safety Commission-1 year
- o Planning Commission-4 years

Hudson, MA

- o Planning Board-7years, last four as Chairman
- o Board of Selectmen (Town Council) 12 years

Harrisonburg, VA

- o Planning Commission-4 years (2001-2005)
- o Graduate, Commonwealth of VA Certified Planning Commissioners Program

Civic Activities:

- o Coordinator for the restoration of the American Legion Post 27 "Goddess of Liberty" statue, corner of S Liberty and S Main Street.
- o Funeral Detail and Rifle Squad, American Legion Post 27. Provide military funeral rites for deceased veterans.
- o Amateur Radio RACES-N1QEQ. Provide communications for area events.
Backup support for 911 system.
- o Former member, HHS Band Boosters. Vice-Chairman, Refreshment Stand Committee.
- o Former local officer and State Chairman, New York State Jaycees

