

PUBLIC NOTICE

SEEKING APPLICATIONS FOR CURRENT VACANCIES

The City of Ontario is accepting applications for an appointment to the following committees:

PARKS COMMITTEE DIVERSITY COMMITTEE PLANNING COMMISSION

Parks Committee: one (1) vacancy

The Parks Committee is a volunteer position, and is a three year term. Appointments are made by the Ontario City Council and become effective immediately upon appointment. This vacant position requires the applicant to be within the boundaries of the Ontario Recreation District. The Committee shall have the duties and responsibilities to act in an advisory capacity to the City Council in all matters pertaining to city parks; Advise in the planning of parks for the inhabitants of the city; Promote and stimulate public interest in park activities, and solicit to the fullest extent possible the cooperation of school authorities and other public or private agencies; and Recommend policies for the acquisition, development, and improvement of parks and playgrounds, including park master planning and design, subject to the rights and powers of the City Council. For complete outline of the committee, click link: Parks Committee.

Planning Commission: two (2) vacancies

The Planning Commission is a volunteer position, and is a four-year term. Appointments are made by the Ontario City Council and become effective immediately upon appointment. It shall be the duty of the City Planning Commission, and it shall have power, except as otherwise provided by law, to recommend and make suggestions to the City Council and to all other public authorities concerning the laying out, widening, extending, parking and locating of streets, sidewalks and boulevards, the establishment of setback lines, the relief of traffic congestion, the betterment of housing and sanitation conditions and the establishment of zones and districts limiting the use, height, area and bulk of buildings and structures; to recommend to the City Council and all other public authorities plans for the regulations of the future growth and development of the City in order to secure to the City and its inhabitants, sanitation, proper service of all public utilities, and transportation facilities, to do and perform any and all other acts and things necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of this Chapter; and in general to study and to propose such measures as may be advisable for the promotion of the public interest, health, morals, safety, comfort, convenience and welfare of said City. For a complete outline of the commission, click link: Planning Commission.

Diversity Committee: three (3) vacancies

The Diversity Committee is a volunteer position, and is a three year term. Appointments are made by the Ontario City Council and become effective immediately upon appointment. In Ontario, we operate as "One Team, One Community" and are committed to diversity, equity and inclusion as a core value of collaborating and fostering a community where we value, support, and develop people of all backgrounds and experiences. The Diversity Advisory Committee was established to advise the Mayor, City Council, and City Manager on a range of issues as they relate to promoting diversity and equity issues in the community. For complete outline of the committee, click link: Diversity Committee.

Application Process

The city requires submission of an application for appointment (Click for Application). Applications can also be obtained from the City Hall front reception desk, or by contacting City Hall at 541-881-3200 to request one be mailed. Submit the application to: Tori Barnett, MMC, City Recorder, City of Ontario, 444 SW 4th Street, Ontario, Oregon, 97914, or email at tori.barnett@ontariooregon.org. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.