

NEWS RELEASE

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Volunteers Sought for Resilient Community Advisory Commission, Other Vacancies

DUBUQUE, Iowa – The City of Dubuque’s volunteer board and commission members provide a valuable link to the community and to the various interests within it. They assist in the development of policy recommendations to the City Council, provide leadership and support to City staff, promote the City and its programs, and provide expertise in specialized areas.

Volunteers are being sought to fill nine positions on the City’s new Resilient Community Advisory Commission, which will replace the Environmental Stewardship Advisory Commission. Volunteers are also needed for current and upcoming vacancies on several other boards and commissions:

- Airport Zoning Board of Adjustment
- Airport Zoning Commission
- Building Code Board of Appeals (Commercial Contractor, ADA Representative, Residential Contractor and Journeyman Carpenter)
- Catfish Creek Watershed Management Authority
- Civic Center Commission
- Civil Service Commission
- Community Development Advisory Commission (Low to Moderate Income Area Rep)
- Community and Police Relations Committee
- Housing Commission
- Housing Code of Appeals Board
- Housing Trust Fund Advisory Commission
- Long Range Planning Advisory Commission
- Mechanical and Plumbing Code Board
- Mississippi River Partnership Council
- Sister City Relationships Advisory Commission
- Zoning Advisory Commission

Dubuque City Council approved the formation of the new Resilient Community Advisory Commission at their July 5, 2016 meeting, as initiated during the August 2015 City Council goal-setting process. The purpose of this commission is to advise on City policies and practices to assure resilient outcomes; facilitate the ability to adapt to factors influencing the

social/cultural, economic and environmental wellbeing of the community; prevent, prepare for, and recover from adverse vulnerabilities and change through coordination, data analysis, evaluation and citizen engagement. For more information on the Resilient Community Advisory Commission, please contact Sustainable Community Coordinator Cori Burbach at 563-589-4110 or cburbach@cityofdubuque.org.

Applications can be printed or submitted online from www.cityofdubuque.org/boards or through the City Clerk's Office. Applications can be submitted at any time for all boards and commissions and are activated as positions become available. Applications remain on file for one year from the date they are submitted.

To apply online or view a complete list of boards and commissions, descriptions, terms and meeting information, please visit www.cityofdubuque.org/boards or contact the City Clerk's Office at 563-589-4120 or ctyclerk@cityofdubuque.org.

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