

CURRENT OPENINGS ON BEDFORD TOWNSHIP'S BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES – a/o 1/1/2019

Beautification Committee – consists of nine (13) members serving a six (6) year term. Designs plans to beautify the Township with plants, trees, and flowers. Cares for the landscape and planting of flowers on Township property. Also offers creative ideas for other ways to improve the look and condition of the Township with clean up, etc. Meets the first Thursday of each month – 7:00 p.m. (Non-paid). **TEN OPENINGS.**

Board of Review – consists of three (3) members and an alternate serving a two (2) year term. BOR hears assessment complaints of landowners and makes a determination as to whether the assessment is appropriate. May need to visit parcels. Meets annually for several days in March and possibly July & December. (Paid). **NO OPENINGS AT THIS TIME.**

Board of Zoning Appeals – consists of five (5) members with two alternate members serving a three (3)-year term. Hears and renders decisions on appeals of determinations made by administrative officials in charge of ordinance enforcement or codes. It may grant variances to the ordinances. Meets the first Monday of each month – 7:00 p.m. (Paid). **ONE OPENINGS.**

Communication/Media Commission – consists of five (5) members and two (2) alternative members serving a three (3) year term. Explores and standardizes communication methods throughout the community. Meets the second Monday of each month – 6:30 p.m. (Non-paid). **TWO OPENINGS FOR MEMBERS, PLUS 2 OPENINGS FOR ALTERNATES.**

Compensation Commission – consists of five (5) members serving a five (5) year term. Sets the compensation for elected officials. Meets in January of every odd numbered year. (Non-paid). **NO OPENINGS AT THIS TIME.**

Construction Board of Appeals – consists of three (3) members serving a two (2) year term. Must be qualified by experience or training in the building trades. Hears appeals concerning the Building Department regarding the enforcement of the State Construction Code and renders a decision. Meets on an as-needed basis. (Paid). **NO OPENINGS AT THIS TIME.**

Downtown Development Authority – consists of Township Supervisor and eight (8) other members. Makes plans for the development of an area of the Township. Meets 2nd Friday/month at 3:00 p.m. (Non-paid). **ONE OPENING.**

Economic Development Committee – consists of nine (9) members serving a one (1) year term. (Non-paid). **NO OPENINGS AT THIS TIME**

Fire Department Advisory Board – consists of seven (7) members serving a two (2) year term. Provides citizen input, advise and assistance to the Fire Chief in areas including finance, policy, procedures and planning for efficient and cost-effective fire prevention services, public safety, emergency medical services, rescue operations, risk reduction services, and other areas as necessary. Meets the third Thursday of every other month at the Fire Station – 7:00 p.m. (Non-paid). **TWO OPENINGS.**

Grant & Loan Committee – consists of six (6) members serving a two (2) year term. Hears appeals for grant/loan money for remodeling or renovating for low-income residents. Meets on an as-needed basis. (Paid). **THREE OPENINGS.**

Grant Writing Committee – consists of three (3) to five (5) members. Seeks various types of grant opportunities for the township and work with potential entities to provide resources of funding for grant opportunities. Meets as needed. (Non-paid). **FOUR OPENINGS.**

Housing Commission – consists of five (5) members serving a five (5) year term. Authority to purchase, acquire, construct, maintain, operate, improve, or repair public housing facilities. Oversees the Ivor Lindsay Senior Citizen Housing. Meets the third Monday of each month at Ivor Lindsay – 6:00 p.m. (Non-paid). **NO OPENINGS AT THIS TIME.**

Lewis Avenue Redevelopment Committee – consists of nine (9) members serving two (2) year terms. Makes plans for the development of the Lewis Avenue business corridor. Meets the first Monday of each month – 10:00 a.m. (Non-paid). **SEVEN OPENINGS AT THIS TIME.**

Library Advisory Board – consists of five (5) members serving a three (3) year term. Works with the county library system to improve the local library. Manages the local budget for Bedford Branch. Meets the fourth Monday of each month – 7:00 p.m. (Paid). **ONE OPENING.**

Planning Commission – consists of seven (7) members serving a three (3) year term who must be qualified township electors. Basic function is to make and adopt a plan for the Township's land use development, and also to review any plats for subdivisions and site plans for new development. Meets the first (on an as-needed basis), second and fourth Wednesdays of each month – 7:00 p.m. (Paid). **NO OPENINGS AT THIS TIME.**