

CITY OF PORT HURON**Boards and Commission Application**

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The City of Port Huron relies upon citizen participation on the various boards and commissions. Your interest and expressed willingness to serve is appreciated. The purpose of this form is to provide basic reference data and information about residents wishing to be considered for appointment to a City board or commission.

Please print or type:

1. **First Name:** _____ **Middle Initial:** _____ **Last Name:** _____

2. **Home Address:** _____ **Phone:** _____

3. **Business Address:** _____ **Phone:** _____

4. **Email address:** _____ **Mobile Phone:** _____

5. **Years lived in Port Huron:** _____ **Registered Elector:** Yes _____ No _____

6. **Give your present or most recent employer and position:**

7. **Educational background** (no minimum educational requirements are necessary):

8. **List what boards and/or commissions you are interested in serving on:**

9. **Community activities and/or other experiences:**

10. **Are you aware of any conflicts that should be disclosed prior to your appointment?** Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please explain:

11. **Other information you feel would qualify you to serve on a board and/or commission:**

Signature

Date

Board/Commission	Term	Meets	General Purpose
Beautification	3 years	March -October Monthly Second Thursday	This commission assists with beautifying the City of Port Huron and creating and fostering citizen pride by developing programs, projects and annual events.
Board of Review	1 year	March, July & Dec. for couple of weeks	Review of general assessment rolls.
Brownfield Redevelopment Authority	3 years	As needed	To encourage the removal of contamination and the redevelopment of formerly contaminated properties for beneficial uses.
Construction Board of Appeals	3 years	As needed	To determine the suitability of alternate materials and types of construction and to provide for reasonable interpretations of the provisions of building codes. Members: one each of master electrician, mechanical contractor and plumber and two licensed tradesmen (such as an architect, engineer, general contractor).
Downtown Development Authority	4 years	If needed, third Tuesday of month	Promote economic growth of downtown business district.
Historic District Commission	3 years	Monthly First Tuesday	Review all plans for the construction, addition, alteration, repair, moving, excavation or demolition of structures in the Historic District with the power to act upon such plans before a permit for such activity can be granted.
Housing Commission	5 years	Monthly Third Wednesday	Oversee the operation and maintenance of low income and senior citizen housing projects. (One commissioner must be a resident of public housing.)
Income Tax Board of Review	Indefinite Term	As needed	To hear appeals on local income tax special rulings.
Local Development Finance Authority	4 years	As needed	To promote specific financial programs in an effort to diminish unemployment, underemployment and joblessness and to promote economic growth in the City, pursuant to Michigan Public Act No. 281 of 1986.
McMorran Place Commission	4 years	Monthly Fourth Wednesday	To provide operational oversight of the McMorran Place Sports & Entertainment Center.
Planning Commission	3 years	Monthly First Tuesday	To oversee land development and redevelopment as provided by Michigan Public Act No. 285 of 1931, as amended.
Rental Housing Board of Appeals	3 years	As needed	To decide on matters brought before the board on an appeal basis by the owner of any rental unit regarding the violations sited and/or time to correct are accurate.
Sister City Commission	3 years	At least quarterly	To develop sister city programs, including budgets to support any activity; develop financing strategies to fund the activities of the commission.
Tax Increment Finance Authority	4 years	As needed	Allow tax increment financing to be used for improvements in certain areas to prevent urban deterioration and encourage economic development.
Traffic Study Committee	2 years	As needed	Study problems of traffic control and traffic law enforcement; make recommendations for new legislation relating to traffic control and law enforcement.
Water System Advisory Council	4 years	Annually	Keep residents informed about the negative effects of lead in drinking water and the City's efforts to address those effects.
Zoning Board of Appeals	3 years	If needed, first Monday of month	Hear and decide appeals from the review of any order, requirement, decision or determination made by an administrative official charged with the enforcement of the zoning ordinance.