



From the Desk of

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East Greenbush Town Supervisor

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The Town is interested in filling positions on the Board of Ethics, Planning Board and Zoning Board of Appeals. These are critical roles in Town government and we're looking for community-minded individuals who want to make a real contribution. The particulars are detailed below:

The East Greenbush Board of Ethics (BOE) seeks individuals interested in filling one board position and two alternate board positions. The BOE consists of five members and two alternates. To serve on the board an individual must be a resident of the Town of East Greenbush, cannot be a relative of a member of the Town Board, and cannot serve as an officer or committee member of a political party. Board members do not receive any salary or compensation for service. The duties of the BOE include: Attending meetings, receive and investigate potential violations of the Code of Ethics, make recommendations to the Town Board, and maintain confidentiality. The appointment is for a five-year term.

The East Greenbush Planning Board seeks letters of interest from residents interested in serving on the board. The Planning Board is responsible for reviewing site plan applications related to development within the community and providing advisory opinions to the Town Board on matters related to land use and development. The East Greenbush Town Board invites interested and qualified residents to submit letters of interest. Letters should include a resume detailing relevant experience, including planning, design, architecture, engineering, law, real estate, and ecology and conservation. The planning board meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month. The appointment is for a seven-year term.

The East Greenbush Zoning Board of Appeals seeks letters of interest from residents interested in serving on the board. The Zoning Board of Appeals provides an important quasi-judicial function in reviewing all variance and special use permits requested by residents. The East Greenbush Town Board invites interested and qualified residents to submit letters of interest. Letters should include a resume detailing relevant experience, including planning, design, architecture, engineering, law, real estate, and ecology and conservation. The Zoning Board meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. The appointment is for a five-year term.

Interested individuals in a position on any of these boards should indicate which board they're interested in and send a letter and resume to Lisa O'Brien at lobrien@eastgreenbush.org, or to her attention at 225 Columbia Turnpike, Rensselaer, NY 12144. For further information, call 477-4775.