

Water & Sewer Committee - We are looking for citizen(s) to serve on an advisory committee for water and sewer capital projects. The Committee's primary objectives are to make recommendations to the Board of Supervisors on the following:

1. Project Oversight: Provide recommendations on the strategic direction of the projects after reviewing project proposals. Additionally, assist in monitoring project progress, and oversight of project timelines and budgets approved by the Board of supervisors.
2. Quality Assurance: Provide recommendations that ensure water and sewer projects meet quality standards, environmental regulations, and safety requirements.
3. Stakeholder Engagement: Engage with relevant stakeholders, including residents, local authorities, and contractors, to foster transparency and collaboration.

The ideal candidate has experience in the water and sewer industry. Meetings will be held frequently, and this opportunity will require approximately 5 hours per week of commitment.

Planning Commission – The Planning Commission consists of five members who are appointed by the Board of Supervisors for 4-year terms. The Commission serves in an advisory capacity to the governing body on matters of planning and zoning by preparing and recommending plans and ordinances and reviewing development proposals. Their tasks include review of and recommendation on rezoning and special use permit applications, plan review and development, and ordinance review and development. The Planning Commission is responsible for preparing and recommending a capital outlay program. Members must be residents of Greene County and qualified by knowledge and experience to make decisions on questions of community growth and development. Professional Planning Commissioner training is provided. Meetings are held the third Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the meeting room at the County Administration Building. <http://greenecountyva.gov/government/depts/planning-zoning/pc-meetings>

Equalization Board - Appointees to this 3-member board are recommended by the Board of Supervisors and appointed by the Circuit Court. All members must be residents of Greene County and at least one (1) member shall be commercial or residential real estate appraisers or other real estate professionals, builders, developers or legal or financial professionals. The Board shall hear complaints that real property is assessed at more than fair market value; shall hear and give consideration to such complaints; shall adjust and equalize such assessments and shall consider all applications by property owners or lessees for relief following the general reassessment of real estate. The Board sits an average of two to four days per session. Training is required.

Board of Zoning Appeals – Alternate - The Board of Zoning Appeals consists of five members recommended by the Board of Supervisors for appointment by the Circuit Court to serve for a 5-year term. The Board meets to hear and decide appeals of decisions rendered by zoning administrators, interpret unclear provisions in the zoning ordinance and decide on applications by landowners to permit buildings or land uses which vary from the zoning regulations. Members must be residents of Greene County and qualified by knowledge and experience to make objective, fact-based decisions guided by zoning law. Professional Board of Zoning Appeals training is provided. Meetings are held the fourth Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the meeting room at the County Administration Building.

<https://www.greenecountyva.gov/government/depts/planning-zoning/bza-meetings>

Jefferson Area Board for Aging - Advisory Council – Jefferson Area Board for Aging (JABA) was established in 1975 and serves the needs of the aging community in the counties of Albemarle, Fluvanna, Greene, Louisa and Nelson. With a mission to promote, establish and preserve sustainable communities for healthy aging that benefit individuals and families of all ages, JABA faces many challenges to support a growing population of elders. Council members act to provide input on the development and administration of JABA’s Area Plan; to participate in public hearings; to represent the interests of older persons; and to review and comment on all community policies, programs, and actions affecting the senior citizens and elder caregivers of Planning District Ten. The Advisory Council meets on the first Thursday of the month in January, March, May, July, September, November with additional meetings as necessary. For additional information please visit: www.jabacares.org

JEFFERSON AREA COMMUNITY CRIMINAL JUSTICE BOARD - To oversee the operation of the Community Diversion Incentive Program which is funded by the State to divert non-violent felons to community service/treatment and away from prison. 19 members (General District Court Judge, Circuit Court Judge, Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court Judge, Chief Magistrate, Chief of Police or Sheriff, Attorney for the Commonwealth, Public Defender or Criminal Defense Attorney, Jail Administrator of represented jails, a local education representative, Community Services Board representative, one citizen each from Charlottesville, Albemarle, Fluvanna, Goochland, Greene, Louisa, Madison, Orange and Nelson, plus a member of each governing body or a city or county manager, county administrator or executive, or assistant or deputy appointed by the governing body. Quarterly (2nd Wednesday) from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Water Street Center. Every other meeting conducted by Zoom webinar.

COMMUNITY POLICY MANAGEMENT TEAM (CPMT) - Private Provider Representative-Community Policy and Management Team - Provide a private provider perspective when addressing and assessing policy and service decisions for troubled and at-risk youth and families. Must be a member of a child serving agency that accepts children in Greene County for services. Preference given to individuals with strong communications skills, confident and willing to speak out at meetings consisting of diverse perspectives; must be mature, compassionate, dependable, empathetic and a team player; must be capable of remaining objective in emotionally charged situations; must respect the beliefs and traditions of individuals coming from a wide variety of cultural, religious and ethnic backgrounds; must be willing and able to maintain strict confidentiality requirements.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

The Economic Development Authority (EDA) is made up of a board of seven directors appointed by the Greene County Board of Supervisors. The purpose of the EDA is to promote the business development of Greene County, consistent with Greene County's Comprehensive Plan, the direction of the Greene County Board of Supervisors and the intents of the legislation of the Commonwealth of Virginia. The EDA and the Economic Development and Tourism Director work together to reach the County's economic development goals.

The EDA Board meets on the third Tuesday in January, March, May, July, September and November at 6:30 pm at the Stanardsville Town Hall, 19 Celt Road, Stanardsville, VA. All meetings are open to the public.

AFD Description and Appointments:

The Agricultural and Forestal Committee advises the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors on matters related to The Agriculture and Forestal District within Greene County. In addition, the Board of Supervisors has asked the committee to advise the county on agricultural policy, including but not limited to land use, taxation, grant funding and opportunities, and other tools to stabilize the rural economy. The Agricultural and Forestal District Committee seeks individuals with a strong understanding of agricultural policy, land use, taxation, grant funding, and opportunities.

The AFD Advisory Committee is an advisory body. It shall be made up of four landowners who are engaged in agricultural or forestal production, four other landowners of the locality, the commissioner of revenue, and a member of the local governing body. The committee members shall include a representative from the Culpeper Soil and Water District, the Cooperative Extension Agent, a member of the Farm Bureau Board, and both a small-scale and a large-scale agricultural producer either as one of the eight locality landowners or as an ex-officio member. **The committee will meet once a quarter on the first Wednesday at 6:00 pm at the County Administration Building.**

Terms are indefinite.

RAC Description and Appointments:

What is the Ruckersville Area Plan?

•It is a community driven planning document that provides clear recommendations for the development of the Ruckersville and Corner Store area.

What is the Ruckersville Advisory Committee?

•It is a small committee of volunteers from the community that will share information between the citizens, business owners, and county government. The Committee will meet on a set schedule to ensure the implementation of the Ruckersville Area Plan recommendations.

How do I volunteer for the Ruckersville Advisory Committee?

•Please complete and submit the application, found at <https://www.greenecountyva.gov/government/depts/planning-zoning/ruckersville-area-plan> to the Greene County Planning Department - Email: planning@gcva.us Mail: P.O. Box 358, Stanardsville, VA 22968

How many members are part of the Ruckersville Advisory Committee?

•The goal is to maintain 15 community members for the Ruckersville Advisory Committee. The members will be selected by the committee based on knowledge and skills that represent a cross-section of our community.

How often will the Ruckersville Advisory Committee meet?

•The Committee will meet once a month on the 2nd Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. at the Tourist Center in Ruckersville.

Where can I find additional information regarding the Ruckersville Area Plan?

•<http://www.greenecountyva.gov/government/depts/planning-zoning/ruckersville-area-plan>

Board of Zoning Appeals – Town of Stanardsville

The Board of Zoning Appeals is responsible for hearing Variances, Special Exceptions, and Appeals relating to zoning issues within the Town. BZA typically meets only a few times a year and is staffed by County Planning & Zoning officials. There are several vacancies on the 5-member board for 2023. If you are interested in serving, please contact the Town office at 434-990-6511.

Tourism Council

The Greene County Tourism Council is a group of business owners/managers who meet bimonthly to advise the Director of Economic Development and Tourism and the Board of Supervisors on how best to promote Greene County as a travel destination and to help raise the tourism economic impact. The members represent a wide range of tourism-related businesses. Members will be recommended by the Council and appointed by the Board of Supervisors for three-year terms. Business owners, managers, or specialists from the following tourism industries that are eager to support tourism will be considered: restaurant, artesian shops, antique dealers, wineries/vineyard, tourist destination, short-term rental, and/or Shenandoah National Park.

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