

General Requirements for Advisory Board Service

Must be at least 18 years old (unless applying for a youth designated position)

Must maintain a **domicile** in Orange County (Domicile is defined as one's permanent established home as distinguished from one's temporary although actual place of residence)

Must have a good reputation for integrity and an interest in community service

If applicant is an Orange County employee must not be applying for an advisory board position if that advisory board interacts with and affects the employee's work

Must not be a party to or the legal representative of a party involved in litigation against Orange County

Must be prepared to participate in advisory board work in a manner that enhances relationships between the county and community

Must owe no outstanding taxes (real/personal) at the time of appointment

Must be willing and able to diligently attend advisory board meetings

Must be willing and able to attend an advisory board orientation program

Must be willing and able to comply with ethical requirements associated with advisory board service

Requirements for Service on the Board of Adjustment, Board of Equalization and Review, Economic Development Board and Planning Board

Applicants who are appointed to these four boards are required to file annual disclosure statements related to property located in Orange County in which they or their domestic partner have an ownership or business interest

Preferences for Service on the Board of Equalization and Review

Due to the complex and quasi-judicial nature of this board the Board of County Commissioners prefers applicants to have a background and experience in law, accounting or real property transactions