



City of Palm Springs

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NOTICE OF RECRUITMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Palm Springs is now accepting applications to be considered for appointment to fill a vacancy on the following commission:

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION


One Vacancy; Term ending 6/30/2022

Human Rights Commission: A nine-member commission whose members meet on the second Monday of each month at 3:00 p.m., in the Large Conference Room at City Hall. This commission was formed to promote improved relations, civic peace, inter-group understanding, and the full acceptance, respect and participation of all persons in all aspects of community life so that all will be equal in the eyes of each other. Responsibilities include developing community education programs, investigating and mediating instances of discrimination of groups or individuals.

Applicants must be residents and registered voters, of the City of Palm Springs; and may not be an employee or have a current application for employment with the City of Palm Springs. In order to apply, you must have attended a board/commission meeting in-person, you may apply for up to two commissions/boards; however, you may only serve on one. The City Council is looking for candidates who demonstrate that, by their background, experience and education, they will be enthusiastic and knowledgeable commissioners who will exercise sound judgment. Other factors in the selection process include whether the candidates reflect the social, ethnic and cultural diversity of the City and of the Commission or Board membership, they are seeking.

The City of Palm Springs has approximately 18 Boards and Commissions. All appointments are made by the City Council. Generally, a City Council subcommittee will screen applications and conduct interviews. The City Council subcommittee makes recommendations to the entire City Council, who makes final appointments, usually at their last meeting in June. Full terms are for three (3) years. Persons appointed to a board or commission may be re-appointed for up to one additional full term, not to exceed a total of seven years of service on such board or commission; such reappointments shall not be construed as automatic, and applicants must go through the same process for re-appointment as all other applicants who are seeking initial appointment.

Applications may be obtained at the Office of the City Clerk, 3200 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way, Palm Springs, CA 92262 or on the City's website, www.palmspringsca.gov.


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