

YORK COUNTY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

AGENCY ON AGING, PENINSULA*: Establishes and maintains a coordinated and comprehensive system enabling older Americans to find the community resources that assist in independent living to the extent of an individual's abilities and desires. *(day meetings, three-year term with a two-term limit)*

ALCOHOL SAFETY ACTION PROGRAM CITIZENS POLICY BOARD*: Assists with planning of the DUI Youth Project; studies recidivist problem; addresses legislative issues surrounding DUI; assists with public awareness campaigns; sponsors educational sessions; responds to requests for support by the State VASAP Official reviews and approves program budget. *(day meetings, three-year term with a two-term limit)*

ARTS COMMISSION, YORK COUNTY: Serves as an advisory body to the Board of Supervisors for the cultural arts. The Commission administers the arts grant program and reviews funding requests from cultural arts organizations in order to make recommendations to the Board of Supervisors concerning the distribution of budget appropriations for the arts. The Commission monitors grant recipients to ensure compliance with the terms of the grant. *(night meetings, an unlimited number of three-year terms)*

ARTS COMMISSION, WILLIAMSBURG: One York County representative serves as a liaison for York County to coordinate arts funding between York County and Williamsburg. *(day meetings, three-year unlimited terms)*

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE: Promotes recycling, litter control, beautification, and educational programs aimed at creating a cleaner, more attractive and environmentally sound County community. Programs encouraging litter removal, placement of anti-litter signs, litter containers and litter waysides are also promoted. The Committee conducts award and recognition programs for individuals, businesses, schools, and organizations, advancing the Committee's goals. Members promote the preservation of the environment and beautification projects throughout the County. *(night meetings, an unlimited number of one-year terms)*

BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE, HISTORIC TRIANGLE*: Responsible for recommending projects and priorities for implementation under the adopted Regional Bikeways Plan as well as recommending amendments to the Plan. Also responsible for developing and implementing promotional, informational, and safety efforts related to bicycling, especially as a transportation mode. *(night meetings, an unlimited number of three-year terms)*

BUILDING CODE APPEALS, BOARD OF: Responsible for hearing and ruling on appeals from the decision of the Building Official. Must have licensed experience as engineer, architect, plumber, electrician, builder, or fire protection specialist. *(night meetings, an unlimited number of three-year terms)*

CHESAPEAKE BAY BOARD: Responsible for considering exceptions from the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Areas requirements of York County Code sections 23.2-7, 23.2-8, 23.2-9, 23.2-10, and/or 23.2-11. *(night meetings; day inspections) (four-year term, if successive two-term limit)*

COLONIAL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH BOARD*: Provides overall administration and coordination of mental health, mental retardation, and substance abuse programs. *(day meetings, three-year term, three-term limit)*

COLONIAL JUVENILE SERVICES COMMISSION*: Four-locality commission responsible for oversight of regional funding for juvenile offender programs. *(day meetings, four-year term with an unspecified number of renewals)*

COMMUNITY CRIMINAL JUSTICE BOARD*: Regional board that oversees state funding for programs which provide alternative sentencing for low level adult offenders. *(night meetings, an unlimited number of three-year terms)*

COMMUNITY SERVICES GRANTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Responsible for administering a grant program with established guidelines and criteria through which eligible civic and cultural organizations may apply to the County for funding. This Committee is responsible for reviewing funding requests and recommending funding approval to the Board of Supervisors. *(meetings held as needed, two-year term, unlimited terms)*

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY: As a separate political subdivision of the State established under the Code of Virginia and created by the Board of Supervisors, the EDA can issue tax-exempt bonds to finance manufacturing facilities located within the County. It is also charged by the Board of Supervisors to attract new, clean, responsible, commercial and industrial enterprises that will best contribute to the economic well being of the community and the preservation of its natural resources. The EDA is also responsible for assisting existing businesses to expand or address problems with County policies and procedures. *Annual completion of the Virginia Conflict of Interest and Ethics Advisory Council State and Local Statement of Economic Interests is required. (night meetings, an unlimited number of four-year terms)*

EMPLOYEE GRIEVANCE PANEL: Resolves employee grievances that escalate to the Panel level. Panel is responsible for interpreting the application of appropriate government policies and procedures in the conduct of a panel hearing in an employee grievance case. *(day meetings, an unlimited number of three-year terms)*

EQUALIZATION, BOARD OF: Appointed by the Judge of the Circuit Court, the Board provides for the hearing and consideration of property owners applications for the purpose of equalizing assessments. *(day meetings as necessary, with an unlimited number of three-year terms)*

HISTORIC YORKTOWN DESIGN COMMITTEE: Reviews applications for Certificates of Architectural Appropriateness in accordance with the requirements of the Yorktown Historic Design Guidelines. Must be a property owner in or resident of the Yorktown Historic District. *(night meetings, an unlimited number of four-year terms)*

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE: Serves as an advisory body to the Board of Supervisors on matters of an historical nature dealing with the County and the Town of York. *(night meetings, unlimited terms and term renewals)*

LIBRARY BOARD: Oversees the operations of York County public Library Services. *(night meetings, an unlimited number of four-year terms)*

MARQUIS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY: A public body having the ability to issue bonds to finance certain publicly-owned infrastructure improvements on a tax-exempt basis. The Marquis CDA district is approximately 214 acres located south of Water Country USA near Exit 242 off I-64 at the intersection of I-64 and State Route 199. *Annual completion of the Financial Disclosure form is required. (day meetings held as needed with an unlimited number of four-year terms)*

PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD: Serves as an advisory body to the Board of Supervisors on the needs of citizens for parks and recreational services. *(night meetings, a four-year term and two-term limit)*

PLANNING COMMISSION: Serves in an advisory capacity to the Board of Supervisors on matters regarding planning and development in York County. It develops the Comprehensive Plan and provides recommendations to the Board on use permit requests, the reclassification of property, proposed amendments to development ordinances or policies, and any other community development issue requested by the Board or initiated by the Commission. *Annual completion of the Disclosure of Real Estate Holdings is required. (night meetings, four-year terms, only two complete terms or no more than 10 years allowed)*

SENIOR CENTER OF YORK BOARD: Serves as a working board to identify programs and activities, raise funds, and provide support for County operations of the Senior Center of York. *(day meetings, an unlimited number of four-year terms)*

SOCIAL SERVICES BOARD, YORK-POQUOSON*: An administrative board that provides oversight for benefit programs such as Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Food Stamps, Medicaid, General Relief, etc., and services programs such as Foster Care, Child Protective Services, Nursing Home Screenings, Family Counseling, Employment Services, Emergency Services, Information and Referral, and Volunteer Services. *(day meetings, a four-year term up to two terms allowed)*

TOWING ADVISORY BOARD: Reviews and considers towing regulations and to advise the Board of Supervisors with regard to appropriate provisions pertaining to towing and recovery. *(night meetings, two-year term subsequent to completion of all initial appointments)*

VIRGINIA PENINSULA COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARD*: The College Board is responsible for assuring that the community college is responsive to the needs existing within its service region within the statewide policies, procedures, and regulations of the State Board for Community Colleges. It shall perform such duties with respect to the operation of the college as may be delegated to it by the State Board for Community Colleges. *(night meetings, four-year term, up to two terms allowed)*

WETLANDS BOARD: Protects public and private property, wildlife, marine fisheries, and the natural environment by preservation of County tidal wetlands through issuance of wetlands permits. Enforces the York County Wetlands Ordinance. *(night meetings/day inspections, five year term - unlimited)*

ZONING/SUBDIVISION APPEALS, BOARD OF: Appointed by the Judge of the Circuit Court, the Board grants variances from the requirements of the County Zoning Ordinance or Subdivision Ordinance; grants appeals from decisions of the Zoning Administrator; and grants exceptions from the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area Regulations. *Annual completion of the Disclosure of Real Estate Holdings is required. (night meetings, an unlimited number of five-year terms)*