### BOARD OF APPEALS
- **Members**: 5 citizens (with 2 alternates)
- **Appointment Term**: 3 years
- **Staff**: Village Planner

The Board is a quasi-judicial body that hears and decides appeals by property owners from provisions of the Village Zoning Code. The appeal must demonstrate that a hardship would result from strict application of Zoning Ordinance provisions.

The Board meets as needed to hear and act upon appeal applications. The meetings are typically held the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Compensation: $10 per meeting

### BUILDING BOARD
- **Members**: 7 (6 citizens, 1 trustee)
- **Appointment Term**: 3 years
- **Staff**: Village Planner

The Board reviews certain residential property improvements to ensure compatibility with neighborhood homes and maintain a standard of architectural quality.

The Board meets the third Thursday of every month at 6:30 p.m. There are usually 2-4 items that require ½-1 hour to hear and act upon.

Compensation: $10 per meeting

### BOARD OF REVIEW
- **Members**: 5 citizens (with 1 alternate)
- **Appointment Term**: 5 years
- **Staff**: Village Clerk and Village Assessor

The Board is a quasi-judicial body that hears and decides appeals by property owners regarding their property value assessments.

The Board meets only once a year, in May or June, from 4:00 to 6:00 pm.

Compensation: $10 per meeting

### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
- **Members**: 7 (5 citizens, 2 trustees)
- **Appointment Term**: 4 years
- **Staff**: Village Administrator and Village Planner

The CDA has statutory authority to plan and implement housing and redevelopment projects and initiatives.

### ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE
- **Members**: 7 citizens
- **Appointment Term**: 3 years
- **Staff**: none assigned

The Committee advises the Village Board on environmental issues, such as yard waste reduction and tree preservation. The Committee also is involved in energy conservation, wildlife habitat, air and water quality, and specialty projects. Public awareness is a primary focus.

The Committee meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. Meetings are 1-2 hours.

Compensation: volunteer

### ETHICS BOARD
- **Members**: 5 citizens
- **Appointment Term**: 3 years
- **Staff**: Village Administrator and Village Attorney

The Board oversees the Ethics Code. The Board may conduct reviews and investigations in response to complaints. The Board may also provide interpretations or decisions on ethics matters.

The Board meets as needed.

Compensation: volunteer
FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEE

Members: 15 citizens
Appointment Term: 3 years
Staff: none assigned

The Committee plans, organizes, and conducts the Village’s annual July 4th celebration, including parades, car show, fireworks, races, and entertainment.

The Committee meets the second Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. Additional meetings are scheduled as needed. Meetings are 1-2 hours. All members typically work specific assignments on July 4th.

Compensation: volunteer

HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

Members: 7 (6 citizens, 1 trustee)
Appointment Term: 2 years
Staff: none assigned

The Commission helps administer the local Historic Preservation Code by nominating buildings/sites for historic designation and reviewing historic property improvements.

The Commission usually meets the third Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. Meetings are 1-2 hours.

Compensation: volunteer

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Members: 7 (6 citizens, 1 school district representative)
Appointment Term: 3 years
Staff: Library Director

The Board is responsible for setting policy for all aspects of the Library, including finances, personnel, operating policies, collection development and establishment and implementation of a long-range plan. The Library Board has limited State Statutory powers of autonomy from the Village Board to ensure the freedom of public access to information.

The Board meets the fourth Wednesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. Meetings are 1½-2 hours.

Compensation: volunteer

PLAN COMMISSION

Members: 7 (5 citizens, 1 trustee, village president)
Appointment Term: 3 years
Staff: Village Planner

The Plan Commission advises the Village Board on the development and implementation of the Master Plan. Much of the Commission focus in on matters related to the Village Zoning and Subdivision Ordinances including zoning district and regulation changes, review of new commercial and multi-family development plans, and land divisions.

The Plan Commission meets the third Monday of every month at 6:30 p.m. There are usually 6-8 items that require 1½ - 2 hours to review and act upon. Commissioners are expected to field inspect some items in advance of the meeting.

Compensation: $10 per meeting

POLICE & FIRE COMMISSION

Members: 5 citizens
Appointment Term: 5 years
Staff: Police and Fire Chiefs

The Commission is responsible for oversight of the Police and Fire Departments under optional powers of State Statute 62.13. They review and act on personnel matters, oversee budgets, and participate in Department rule making. The Village Board retains authority over final budgets, labor negotiations, and compensation.

The Commission is scheduled to meet the third Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. Meetings are typically 1½ - 2 hours long.

Compensation: $10 per meeting

PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION

Members: 5 citizens
Appointment Term: 3 years
Staff: Public Works Director

The Commission helps oversee Public Works activities including water projects, sidewalk and road projects, building and fleet maintenance, street lighting, sewer projects, drainage projects, and traffic management (i.e. traffic signs, parking, speed limits, etc). Most recommended projects require Village Board approval.

The Commission meets the third Thursday of every month at 6:30 p.m. Meetings are 1½-2 hours.

Compensation: $75 per quarter

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Members: 5 (4 citizens, 1 school district representative)
Appointment Term: 1 year
Staff: Recreation Director

The Committee oversees the development and organization of programs such as Teen Center, basketball and soccer for grade schoolers, and Summer Recreation for children 5-12 years of age.

The Committee meets as needed. Meetings are typically 1-1½ hours long.

Compensation: volunteer