

SERVE ON A COMMITTEE, COMMISSION OR THE CITY COUNCIL

THESE VACANCIES (see highlighted lines) **ARE COMING UP IN 2026**

All applicants must live in the City of Arcata or, live or work within the Arcata Planning Area unless otherwise noted.

Board of Appeals

		Appt Date	Term Expires
Baker	Scott	06/19/2008	
Boodjeh	Kash	06/19/2008	
Dickson	Joanne Kinney	12/17/1997	
Elcock	Stanley	06/04/2025	
Lucchesi	Nick	06/04/2008	

This board consists of at least two members who are experienced in building construction and one member from the general public. Members do not need to live or work in the Arcata Planning Area.

City Council

Atkins-Salazar	Stacy	12/12/2024	12/14/2028
Stillman	Alexandra	12/12/2024	12/14/2028
Matthews	Meredith	12/15/2022	12/10/2026
Schaefer	Sarah	12/12/2024	12/14/2028
White	Kimberley	12/15/2022	12/10/2026

Candidates must be registered voters residing within Arcata City limits.

Energy Committee

Alstone	Andrea	09/04/2019	09/30/2026
Buckwalter	Patrick	09/06/2023	09/30/2026
<i>Vacancy</i>			09/30/2028
Stockwell	Dan	12/20/2023	09/30/2026
Winkler	Michael	07/21/2021	09/30/2027
Zoellick	Jim	10/18/2000	09/30/2028
<i>Vacancy</i>			09/30/2027

Members have knowledge of energy usage, conservation, regulation and/or generation.

Forest Management Committee

Furniss	Michael	07/31/2008	03/31/2026
Hagans	Danny	01/01/1987	03/31/2028
Halligan	Dennis	04/18/2012	03/31/2027
Hoffman	Ken	07/19/2017	03/31/2027
Kelly	Erin	11/03/2021	03/31/2026
Naylor	Jack	05/01/1981	03/31/2027
Valachovic	Yana	03/17/2010	03/31/2026

Members have knowledge of multi-resource forest management, which includes forest ecology, forest management, watershed management, wildlife, fisheries, botany and recreation.

Historic Landmarks Committee

Cooper	Jeanette	08/03/2022	09/30/2028
Keefe	Tim	02/06/2019	09/30/2027
Macdonald	Jill	08/06/2014	09/30/2028
Perry	Ron	03/03/2021	09/30/2027
Rich	William	08/06/2014	09/30/2026

Members have knowledge of Arcata's social, built and cultural environment, or of design and building technology. Members do not have to live or work in the Arcata Planning Area.

Parks & Recreation Committee

Coles	Deborah	05/01/1984	03/31/2027
Earle	Jolly	08/03/2022	03/31/2027
Heath	Sheldon	05/06/2009	03/31/2027
Kell III	John	05/04/2022	03/31/2028
Lane	Stephanie	02/07/2024	03/31/2026
Peloso	Pedro	02/07/2024	03/31/2028
Quarles	Heather	04/16/2025	03/31/2026

Members have knowledge in recreational activities, parkland development, local and regional trails, the arts and other related activities.

Planning Commission

<i>Vacancy (Effective 01/01/2026)</i>		03/31/2028
Hamm	Ashton	10/16/2024
Hickey	Amanda	07/01/2025
Lehman	Peter	01/04/2023
Simmons	Matthew	01/04/2023
Strickland	Abigail	08/02/2023
Tangney	Daniel	04/01/2009

Members have knowledge of all areas of City planning and development.

Public Safety Committee

<i>Vacancy</i>	09/30/2026
<i>Vacancy</i>	09/30/2027
<i>Vacancy</i>	09/30/2028
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<i>Vacancy</i>	09/30/2028
<i>Vacancy</i>	09/30/2028
<i>Vacancy</i>	09/30/2026

Members have knowledge and experience in public safety. Members serve in an advisory capacity on matters pertaining to public safety; study, evaluate, and make recommendations regarding threats to public safety, and crime reduction and prevention strategies.

Transactions & Use Tax Oversight Committee

Aronoff	Guy	03/15/2023	09/30/2026
Cole	Steve	11/07/2012	09/30/2028
Fiske	Colin	04/07/2021	09/30/2028
Hashem	Robin	12/03/2008	09/30/2026
Knapp	Jeff	05/02/2012	09/30/2026
Ryan	Dave	04/12/2023	09/30/2026
Wolf	Josh	06/20/2012	09/30/2028

Members have knowledge and experience with budgetary and fiscal processes and an understanding of relevant community issues (regarding public works-city streets and public safety).

Transportation Safety Committee

Johnson	Korina	01/06/2021	03/31/2027
<i>Martinez</i>	Peggy	09/06/2023	03/31/2026
Ring	Wendy	12/01/2021	03/31/2027
<i>Vacancy</i>			03/31/2027
Serna	Genevieve	09/21/2022	03/31/2027
Straka	Mishka	04/06/2022	03/31/2026
Tikoo	Nia	11/15/2023	03/31/2026

Members reflect, as much as possible, interest in all transportation modes, including pedestrian, bicyclist, mass transit and skateboarding.

Wetlands and Creeks Committee

Brown	Bob	08/01/1991	03/31/2027
Hawkins	Justin	09/21/2022	03/31/2026
Held	Emma	03/15/2023	03/31/2026
McAuliffe	Chris	11/01/2006	03/31/2027
<i>Vacancy</i>			03/31/2028
Railsback	Steven	03/15/2023	03/31/2027
Svehla	Jeremy	01/18/2012	03/31/2028

Members have knowledge of wildlife, fisheries, watershed management, wetland ecology, wetland/riparian botany, water quality, Arcata's creeks, riparian areas, or wetlands and tidelands.

For information on applying for any of these positions, call the City Manager's Office at (707) 822-5953 or visit us online at www.cityofarcata.org.

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