

APPLICANTS SOUGHT FOR CITY COUNCIL VACANCY

The Oshkosh City Council is accepting applications from city residents to fill the at-large council seat of Council Member Tower. The appointment to the at-large seat would run through April 2012. Interested residents should submit a completed Council Candidate Questionnaire to the City Clerk.

Completed Questionnaires must be turned in to the City Clerk's office no later than 10 a.m. on Thursday, May 12th.

The City Council will review the completed Questionnaires and any other information submitted by applicants. Applicants will be asked to make a five minute presentation at the Tuesday, May 24th City Council meeting. The Council will make an appointment at the Regular Council Meeting on Tuesday, May 24th.

Completed Questionnaires may be hand delivered, sent via the U. S. Postal Service or e-mail to the Office of the City Clerk.

Postal Address: Oshkosh City Clerk, P.O. Box 1130, Oshkosh, WI 54903-1130.

E-mail address: pubrig@ci.oshkosh.wi.us

ALL APPLICANT INFORMATION WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC.

Term:

- From date of appointment to April 2012.

Requirements:

- 18 years of age
- U.S. Citizen
- Resident of the City
- Qualified to register to vote

Process:

- Advertisement placed on city website.
- Advertisement will be forwarded to CitiCable 10 to run on the government channel.
- A news release will be sent to the local media.
- Interested citizens submit a Council Candidate Questionnaire to City Clerk no later than 10:00 am on Thursday, May 12th.
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- Completed Questionnaires must be received by 10:00 am no later than Thursday, May 12th.
- Applicant information forwarded to City Council members with packets the afternoon of Friday, May 13th, and will be made available to the public on the City's website and in the office of the City Clerk.

Consideration of appointment

- Applicants make brief presentation to Council on Tuesday, May 24.
- Public Comments
- Council Discussion
- Selection procedure for Tuesday, May 24.
 - The City Clerk shall poll the members of the Council who shall respond with the name of the applicant that they are casting their vote for
 - Successful applicant must receive a majority vote of 'all members' – four (4) votes required.
 - If there are more than two applicants, a first ballot will be taken. If no one receives a majority (four (4) votes), all but the top two leading candidates are dropped and a second vote will be taken on the two remaining candidates.

**CITY OF OSHKOSH
COUNCIL CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE**

For persons interested in filling the vacant council member position:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Employer _____ Occupation _____

Education:

Name of School	Location	Major Field of Study	Graduated (yes/no/in progress)
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High School _____

College _____

Technical _____

Other _____

Employment History:

Do you have any other previous experience, special qualifications, or technical training that would be relevant to the position of city council member?

Please write a concise statement that describes why you wish to serve on the city council:

