



APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO  
BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, & AGENCIES  
OF ISABELLA COUNTY

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Occupation Retired Commissioner's District # 4

Please state, in order of preference, committees or commissions you are applying for:

1. Commission on Aging Advisory Board

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

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Please state reason(s) for interest in above area(s): I am currently on  
the COA Advisory Board. I would like to continue  
applying what I have learned over several terms. I am  
committed to the COA's vision and goals.

**Background:**

Education and/or training Ph.D in Political Science

Previous civic or governmental involvement Former Union Township Trustee, currently -  
Member Isabella Co. Parks & Rec. Comm. Secretary of Area Diversity Group  
President, Friends of the Dog Park

What skills, talents, and abilities will you bring to this position?

Previous experience on COA Board. Understand the Budgets &  
Programs of COA. Have knowledge of public Policy issues  
concerning older Adults.

Other information you feel would be valuable in the review of your application: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list **THREE** references who have knowledge of your work ethic, experience and ability and your resume. *(Please do not use currently elected county commissioners as references)*

☒ I am an incumbent; please use references currently on file.

### Pre-confirmed Reference List

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Applications must be complete to be considered. Incomplete applications will be returned.**

### ISABELLA COUNTY COMMISSION PROCEDURES FOR FILLING BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

1. Normally, announcements of openings on boards and commissions will be made two weeks before the board meetings they are to be acted upon and will be due by 4:30 on the Wednesday preceding the regularly scheduled board meeting.
2. Prior to the board meeting the administrator or his/her designatee will seek to confirm information provided on all applications.
3. Board members may, at their choosing, contact applicants prior to the board meeting in order to more effectively assess applicant qualifications.
4. At the Board meeting applicants may be nominated by any county commissioner.
5. If there are multiple applicants nominated for the same position a majority vote of members of the county commission present and voting is required for appointment. If no candidate receives a majority on the first vote a second vote will be held. If after the second vote no candidate receives a majority of votes the lowest vote getter will be dropped from consideration and this procedure will continue until one candidate receives a majority of the votes cast.
6. Applicants must reside in Isabella County.

Return applications to the County Administrator's Office, 200 N. Main, Mount Pleasant, MI 48858. Questions call (989)772-0911 Ext. 202.