

# MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY BY VOLUNTEERING TO SERVE ON AN ADVISORY BOARD

*Lend your expertise by volunteering to serve on an advisory board. Citizen input is a critical component of a successful local government. Your involvement can help direct the future of the City of Alamosa.*

*Applicants must either be a City resident, or a County resident who is employed full-time within the City, owns a business within the City, or owns property within the City. Planning Commission applicants must be a City resident for at least two years prior to appointment and live in the respective ward.*

**While applications are continually accepted for service, in order to be considered during the June 2020 appointment cycle, please submit your application no later than May 8, 2020.**

## **HISTORIC PRESERVATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (4-Year Term) *ONE POSITION***

*\*Meets second Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m., City Hall, Council Chambers*

This committee makes recommendations to City Council in accordance with the City's Historic Preservation ordinance including advising City Council on preserving Alamosa's historic character.

## **HOMELESS COALITION (4-Year Term except initial 2-Year Terms) *THREE POSITIONS: BUSINESS COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVE, HOMELESS/NEAR HOMELESS REPRESENTATIVE, & VETERAN REPRESENTATIVE***

*\*Meets fourth Tuesday monthly at 6:00 p.m., City Hall, Council Chambers*

The Homeless Coalition discusses and identifies causes, effects, and potential solutions to the homelessness issues in Alamosa, and assists in development of strategic partnerships, collaborative responses, and engagement of community resources to address homelessness.

## **LIBRARY BOARD (5-Year Term) *TWO POSITIONS***

*\*Meets fourth Tuesday, Bi-monthly at 5:30 p.m., City Hall, Public Conference Room*

This board advises City Council and the City Manager on all issues pertaining to the public library, including effective operation.

## **PLANNING COMMISSION (5-Year Term) *ONE POSITION, WARD 1***

*\*Meets fourth Wednesday monthly except November and December at 6:00 p.m., City Hall, Council Chambers*

Duties of the Planning Commission are to prepare and submit to the Council for its approval a master plan for the physical development for the City; and to advise the Council on zoning, subdivisions, annexations, major public and private projects, public works matters, city buildings, capital outlay budgeting and long range planning. This commission also acts as the Zoning Board of Adjustment to hear requests for zoning variances.

## **RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD (3-Year Term) *TWO POSITIONS***

*\*Meets second Tuesday, Bi-monthly at 11:30 a.m., Recreation Center Conference Room*

This board is charged with providing advisory and consultative functions in matters of concerns relating to operation of city parks, recreational facilities and programs.

## **TREE BOARD (4-Year Term) *ONE REGULAR POSITION, ONE ALTERNATE***

*\*Meets second Wednesday, Bi-monthly at 12:00 p.m., City Hall, Jury Conference Room*

The Tree Board provides advice to council on issues surrounding the planting, care, and maintenance, including replacement, of trees on City owned property and rights of way.

## **PERSONNEL BOARD (6-Year Term)**

*\*Meets as necessary*

The Personnel Board hears appeals of disciplinary actions, and exercises final authority over these actions. It may also consider recommended rules and regulations, and investigate conditions of employment. Persons sitting on this board must not be an employee or related to any City of Alamosa employee; and must not have been so in the past 12 months.

*For more information, visit [www.cityofalamosa.org](http://www.cityofalamosa.org) or call the City Clerk's office at (719) 589-2272.*