



APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO: **PLANNING COMMISSION**

Applicant Information	
Name:	
Phone:	Email:
Street Address:	
Length of Residency in Ridgefield or Ridgefield's urban growth area:	

Describe your occupational background:
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What skills would you contribute to the Planning Commission?
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Why are you interested in appointment to the Planning Commission?

Describe your community service and/or volunteer involvement (in and outside of Ridgefield):
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Certification

I am an applicant for a position on Ridgefield's Planning Commission. I understand the authority and responsibilities (as outlined below).

I certify that the information contained in this application accurate and complete. I understand providing false or misleading information will result in my disqualification from appointment to the Salary Commission.

Applicant Signature: _____

Applicant Printed Name: _____

Date Signed: _____

Authority and Responsibilities

As authorized under RCW 35.63 and Ridgefield Municipal Code (RMC) 2.12, the Planning Commission consists of seven members appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the council to serve four year terms. Eligible members must reside within the corporate limits of the City of Ridgefield.

The Planning Commission acts as a research and fact finding agency of the City Ridgefield and serves in an advisory capacity to the city council and mayor. Therefore, the Planning Commission may:

1. Make such surveys, analyses, researches and reports as are required of it by the ordinances of the city and as are requested by the council or mayor;
2. Make inquiries, investigations, and conduct such hearings as may be necessary as to enable it to make recommendations from time to time to the council as to the best methods of conservation, utilization, planning and development within the city;
3. Participate in the development or update of the Comprehensive Plan and Development Code, and monitor implementation to ensure that the City achieves its land use and community livability goals; and
4. Review, consider public input and make recommendations to Council regarding major planned developments, mixed use developments and subarea plans.

Please return your Completed Application to:

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