



CITY OF YACHATS APPLICATION FOR VACANT COUNCIL POSITION

An open Council position occurs upon the incumbent's resignation or other circumstance specified under in the Yachats City Charter. A majority of the remaining council shall appoint a successor to the position, who will then serve the remaining term of that position.

- Length of Appointment:** Remaining term of vacated position: through December 31, 2022
- Expected time commitment:** 2 council regular session meetings per month;
1 council work sessions per month
- Including meeting materials reading & meeting preparation
- Potential Additional Commitments:
- Committee meeting(s) as Council liaison
 - Special Meetings – as needed
 - Budget Meeting(s) in Spring
 - Representation on outside agency boards & committees

- Meeting days/times:**
- City Council:
Regular Sessions:
- 3rd Wednesday of every month at 2:00 p.m.
- Work Session followed by Regular Session
- 1st Thursday of every month at 9:30 a.m.
- Committee Liaison assignments:
(Dependent upon appointment)

- Qualifications for office:**
- Registered Oregon voter.
 - City of Yachats resident for 12 months prior to taking office.

City Councilor responsibilities:

Ability to become knowledgeable on a wide variety of issues affecting the City. Willingness to consider differing opinions in arriving at a position that will be in the best interests of the city as a whole. Understanding of how the city operates through its City Charter and how the Council functions.

Background / Experience Which Will Be Useful:

Ability to make a decision and to accept the will of the majority of your fellow councilors. Good communication skills. Prior committee membership in a private or public organization. Ability to accept public criticism. Sense of humor.

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NAME: _____ DATE _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____ HOME PHONE: _____

Present employment: _____

May we contact you at work? No Yes / Work phone #: _____

Are you a registered voter? _____ Yes _____ No _____

How long have you lived in Yachats? _____

Please attach your answers to the following questions with the application

1. What do you think are the biggest issues facing the City?
2. What is your primary motivation for seeking the vacant Council seat?
3. Please list any previous involvement, such as City Council, Commission member, Committee member, or other community service in Yachats or elsewhere
4. What other experience or education have you had relevant to serving as a Council member?
5. What are your major interests in, or concerns with our Community?
6. What are your major interests in, or concerns with City Departments and/or administration?
7. Do you have any other major interests or concerns?

Applications are due to City Hall by 4 P.M. Friday, February 14, 2020

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