

TOWNSHIP OF FREDON

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APPLICATION TO SERVE ON A BOARD, COMMITTEE, OR COMMISSION

Application Submission: The Township of Fredon continually accepts applications for the boards, committees, and commissions listed on the next page. Following the instructions is a brief description of the missions of each board committee or commission.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Please respond to all questions on this application.
2. You may print or type your responses.
3. You may attach a resume or additional pages to fully describe your qualifications for this position.
4. Sign and date your application.
5. Return the application in person to the Township Clerk's office at the municipal building or mail the application to:

**TOWNSHIP OF FREDON
MUNICIPAL CLERK
443 ROUTE 94
NEWTON NJ 07860**

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PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board, comprised of nine regular and two alternate members, is responsible for developing, preserving, and improving the Land Use Master Plan of Fredon Township. The Board, along with its' professional consultants, continues to gather, organize, preserve, and distribute data respecting land use and the Township Master Plan. The Board reviews and acts on applications for subdivisions and site plans. The Board reviews, revises and recommends land use ordinances to the Township Committee for adoption consideration.

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

The Zoning Board of Adjustment is a quasi-judicial board whose principal duties are to hear appeals and, where appropriate, grant variances from the strict application of the zoning ordinance. There are seven regular members and two alternates. The Zoning Board of Adjustment interprets the zoning ordinance and zoning map, can grant variances from the bulk and dimensional requirements of the ordinance and can grant a variance for a use not specifically permitted in the zone.

RECREATION COMMISSION

The Fredon Recreation Commission meets monthly throughout the year to coordinate the town's recreation activities. They are responsible for coordinating various annual events through the year, including the Easter Egg Hunt, Halloween Party, Christmas Tree Lighting and Fredon Day. It is their responsibility is to maintain and continue to improve Lodestar Park, and provide community events as listed above. They support the local youth sports organizations through maintaining the fields at the park, and donating to their organizations for needed items. They also provide a men's basketball program and a Fredon Ski Club.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

The Commission is an advisory body to the Planning Board. The Commission reviews applications for development submitted to the Board and reports on elements that may have a negative impact on the environment. The Commission's area of interest and activities include preservation of natural resources, conservation of open space, inventory of natural resources, water quality, environmental education, enhancement of the quality of life in the Township, solicitation of grants and historical preservation. Anything that may adversely affect or enhance the Township's environment is of interest to the Commission.

OPEN SPACE COMMISSION

In an effort to preserve Fredon's rural character, the Open Space Commission was formed in the spring of 2006. The mission of this group is to identify and prioritize land parcels for preservation, make recommendation to the township committee, and develop partnerships with allied organizations. The group focuses on land that preserves agriculture, scenic views, water quality, wildlife, and passive/active recreation. The funds to support the purchases or preservation of land are generated by the Open Space Tax.

EDUCATION

Diploma, Degree
or Certificate

Institution

Course of Study

WORK EXPERIENCE RELATED TO THIS POSITION:

PRIOR PUBLIC SERVICE, CIVIC OR VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES:

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION EXPLAINING WHY YOU ARE INTERESTED IN
APPOINTMENT & ANY KEY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE POSITION:**

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

**The information in this section is considered personal information, and is therefore deemed confidential for the purpose of P.L. 1963, c. 73 (C.47:1A-1 et seq.) and P.L. 2001, c. 404 (C.47:1A-5 et al.).*