

CITY OF ALAMOGORDO
BOARD/COMMITTEE LIST

AIRPORT ADVISORY BOARD (Five members - two of whom shall be licensed pilots – no more than two members may reside in the County). Meetings held on the first Tuesday of each month at 3:00 p.m. at the Airport Conference Room, 3500 Airport Rd). Staff Support: Jan Wafful, Recording Secretary at 439-4353.

AIRPORT ZONING BOARD (Five members - two County members, two City members, one at-large member). The existence of this Committee is required by the Federal Aviation Administration in order for the City to continue to receive Grants in the best interest of the Airport. Meetings held as needed. Staff Support: Jan Wafful, Recording Secretary at 439-4353.

ALAMOGORDO DISABILITY COUNCIL (ADC) (Seven members- no more than two members may reside outside City limits) This is a group that provides advice to the City on how to make our community more "user friendly" for citizens and visitors with any kind of disability. Meetings held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in the Community Development Conference Room at City Hall. Staff Support: Edward Balderrama, Engineering at 439-44339.

ALAMOGORDO PROMOTION BOARD (Five members - two lodging industry representatives, two tourist related industry representatives, and one at-large member. No more than two members may reside outside City limits, with the stipulation that these two members must own or be an employee of a tourist-related business located within the City limits). Meetings held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in the City Commission Conference Room at City Hall. Staff Support: Jan Wafful, Recording Secretary at 439-4353.

CEMETERY BOARD (Three members)

Meetings held at least once a year. Meeting in 2009 will be held on Thursday, June 18, 2009 at 10:00 a.m. in the Community Development Conference Room at City Hall. Staff Support: Jan Wafful, Recording Secretary at 439-4353.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (Seven members)

The purpose of the CDAC is to help identify funding needs for the City of Alamogordo, and to provide citizen participation in the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. The Grant Coordinator is the staff member affiliated with this Committee. The Committee generally meets every other month, unless the CDBG process necessitates meetings that are more frequent. The Committee helps determine funding request priorities, attends public hearings to discuss funding needs (up to three times per year), and may assist in door to door surveys to determine neighborhood income and funding eligibility. Meetings held as needed. Staff Support: Ruben Segura, City Planner at 439-4245.

HOUSING AUTHORITY ADVISORY BOARD (Five members)

Meetings held once a month. Staff Support: Maggie Paluch, Housing Authority Manager at 437-5621.

MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON AGING (Seven members. No more than two members may reside outside City limits) Meetings held on the 3rd Thursday of Jan. Staff Support is Britney Courtier, 439-4150.

PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD (Seven members - five at-large members and two school

representative members). The board considers programs, fees, and other operational issues. This advisory board makes recommendations in order for the City to offer superb year round leisure services and recreation for the Community. Provide input on policy decisions and fee structure (yearly user fee increase, what % if any) for leisure services and civic center divisions. Help develop priorities for capital improvement projects for parks divisions. Provide leadership role when controversial issues confronting leisure services delivery...i.e. hold public input meetings on what is the best pool temperature that will satisfy all user groups (that was a big one!), settle disputes between user groups (the two tennis pros that were battling for court time and customers), defend policy decisions in public forums (building a multi-purpose recreational trail throughout the park system), attend budget hearing to advocate for spending public funds for quality of life issues.

Meetings held quarterly (January, April, July, October) on the 3rd Wednesday of that month at 8:00 a.m. at the Family Recreation Center. Staff Support: Jan Wafful, Recording Secretary at 439-4353.

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION (Five voting members, and one HAFB Ex-Officio member. One City representative to sit on the Otero County Planning Commission)

Provide recommendations to the City Commission regarding issues relating to zoning, subdivisions, variances, etc. Meetings held on the 1st Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers at City Hall. (Exception: due to the Independence Day holiday, the July 2009 meeting will be held on July 9th) Staff Support: Stella Real, Planning & Zoning Coordinator, 439-4208.

PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD (Seven members - five City members and two County members)

Provide advisory direction and input regarding the public library. Recent tasks have included researching options for a new library or modifications to the current library building and bond funding for the same. Meetings held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 4:00 p.m. at the Library. Staff Support: Melissa Garcia, 439-4140.

SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS ADVISORY COUNCIL (Eleven members - nine at-large members, one Foster Grandparent Rep, and one Senior Companion Rep. No more than two members may reside outside City limits) RSVP/FGP/SCP Advisory Council promote the engagement of older persons as community resources in planning for community improvement, and in the delivery of volunteer services in our County. To meet the unmet human, educational, environmental, and public safety needs of our community. RSVP Volunteers serve through nonprofit public and governmental organizations. They organize such programs as neighborhood watch programs, they mentor and tutor children, teenagers and adults, teach English and Spanish, teach computer skills, they renovate and build homes, help people recover from natural disasters, serve as museum docents, visit and deliver meals to homebound and frail seniors, make calls and advocate for senior issues and/or whatever else their skills and interests leads them to do in order to meet the needs of their community. Provides persons 55 and older an opportunity to improve their communities critical needs through volunteer service. RSVP Volunteers choose how and where they serve and how much time they desire to serve. They assist program staff with the planning and delivery of program activities. Meetings held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 12:00 noon at the Alamogordo Senior Center. Staff Support is Maria Roque, 439-4551.

If you are interested in serving on any City of Alamogordo Board/Committee, please fill out an application at the City Clerk's office or call 439-4205 for more information. Volunteers are always needed *and appreciated!*