

## 2021 PBPG Candidate Requirements / Definitions

Council Policy 600-24 requires that elected members of the PBPG, to the extent possible, be representative of the various geographic sections of the community and diversified community interests. On the PBPG, elected seats are filled by distribution of seats among the following interests that represent the community: 15 residential members, with no more than four residential members coming from the same census tract, and 5 business/professional members as described below. Planning group members shall be elected by and from eligible members of the community. To be an eligible community member an individual must be at least 18 years of age, and shall be affiliated with the community as a:

(1) *resident*, who is an individual whose primary address of residence is an address in the community planning area or who owns any parcel of residentially zoned property in the planning area.

(2) *local business/professional person*, who is a local business or not-for-profit owner, operator, or designee at a non-residential real property address in the community planning area or who owns any parcel of commercially or industrially zoned real property in the planning area; only one representative of a particular establishment may hold a seat on the community planning group at one time.

In order to be a candidate in the March election, an eligible member of the community must have documented attendance at two (2) meetings of the PBPG'S last 12 meetings prior to the February regular meeting preceding the election. The first (1<sup>st</sup>) meeting must be a PBPG General meeting; the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) meeting can be either PBPG General meeting or a PBPG subcommittee meeting. Eligible candidates must submit an application demonstrating qualifications of eligibility to the planning group Elections subcommittee chair no later than two weeks prior to the March election.

Candidates shall write a brief biography of interests in PB, community involvement, work history, residency, family or pertinent information they deem of interest to voters (less than 100 words maximum is suggested).

Packets shall be delivered to the PBPG Election co-committee chair Adrienne Gallo via email = [adriennegallo@me.com](mailto:adriennegallo@me.com)

For questions, clarifications directions on any of these matters please contact:

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