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Appointments to Boards, Committees and Commissions		
Authority:	Shorewood Village Board	

The Village Board is adopting Policy No. 3 for the purpose of communicating policy regarding appointments to Village Committees, Commissions and Boards.

1) Appointments

- a. Appointments to the Village's Boards, Committees or Commissions are made according to applicable law. Applicants for Board, Committee and Commission appointments are submitted to the Village Clerk's Office and in many cases applicants must be eligible electors of the Village of Shorewood.
- b. When applying for membership on Boards, Committees or Commissions, applicants are referred to Wisconsin Statutes 19.59 to determine if the applicant would have conflict of interest.
- c. It is desirable that members on each Board, Committee or Commission exercise free and unbiased judgment in addressing issues and tasks before them.

2) Term of Office

- a. The terms of office for members of Boards, Committees or Commissions usually range from one (1) to five (5) years. Appointments made to fill vacancies created by resignations are effective upon date of appointment.

3) Resignation

- a. If an appointee resigns from office before the end of the term, a letter announcing the resignation should be forwarded to the Village President in care of the Village Manager's Office.

4) Legal Basis of Government

- a. Village government in Wisconsin is based on the laws of the State. The power and duties of the Village government are outlined in the Wisconsin State Statutes. Chapters 61 and 62. The powers and duties of the Village Board and its committees are defined in the Village Code of Ordinances.

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