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BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

Landscape Architect Board – Public Member Vacancy

The Board of Examiners of Landscape Architects is currently seeking a Public Member to serve on the Board. The Board assists the Department in licensure, regulation and policy making for the landscape architecture profession in Rhode Island. The Board is a voting member of the Council of Landscape Architectural Registration Boards (“CLARB”), which administers the national licensing exam and establishes model laws across its member jurisdictions in the US and Canada. Board members are appointed by the Governor to serve a five (5) year term.

Public Member Qualifications:

- Must be a resident of the state of Rhode Island; and
- Cannot be a licensed landscape architect.
- The ideal candidate will have experience in a related industry or subject area, such as: planning, design, botany, horticulture, ecology, real estate development, urban studies, housing, art history, coastal resiliency, environmental science, public parks, etc.
- Faculty from Landscape Architecture degree programs who are not licensed are welcome and encouraged to apply.

Board Member Responsibilities:

- Participating in approximately 4 to 6 Board meetings a year. Meetings are scheduled every other month on the third Wednesday of the month, from 1:30pm - 4pm.
- Attendance must be in person in accordance with the RI Open Meetings Act, and it is critical that all members are in attendance to accomplish the work of the Board.
- Preparing in advance of meetings by reviewing Board agendas and supporting documentation (license applications, complaints, proposed amendments to laws, etc.).
- Keeping up with issues and trends that affect the profession.
- Maintaining confidentiality on all matters heard in Executive Sessions.
- Reviewing information shared by CLARB and participating in CLARB webinars and annual meeting.

How to apply:

- Interested applicants can submit a Letter of Interest and Resume, via email, to Dawne Broadfield at DBR.designprof@dbr.ri.gov.