

Dane County Board of Adjustment (BOA) Opening

There will be a vacancy on the Dane County Board of Adjustments as Sue Studz has notified Dane County that she will not be seeking re-appointment in June. Sue has served on the BOA since 2006 and is currently Secretary of the Board. We very much appreciate her long service and dedicated work on this important Board.

In addition to the Board vacancy, there are two alternate seats open.

BOA

The BOA hears variance requests (generally limited to setbacks or other dimensional issues) and administrative appeals for towns in Dane County Zoning related to Chapter 10 General Zoning, Chapter 11 Shoreland Zoning, Chapter 17 Floodplain Zoning, and Chapter 78 Airport Height Limitations. While Chapter 10 is not applicable to the six opt-out Towns, the remaining Chapters are applicable Countywide.

More information on the BOA can be found [here](#).

Requirements:

- Members must reside in a town.
- No two members are allowed from the same town. The BOA currently has members from Dunkirk, Dunn, Oregon, and Rutland. (The alternates on the BOA also cannot reside in the same Town as another member)
- Ability to attend meetings and site visits. The BOA has an average of 5 to 6 meetings per year. They are an on-call, as needed type of committee. Meetings will include site visits associated with appeals. (Note monthly meetings are scheduled in advance a site visit and public hearing once a month, but only held if needed. The average for the last few years has been in that 5-6 meetings range)
- A general interest in planning and zoning or experience with town government is useful.

Support: Training is provided in house and through the UW Stevens Point Center for Land Use Education. Hans Hilbert, Assistant Zoning Administrator works as staff to the BOA.

A bonus of the work is getting to see parts of the county you might not otherwise see.

If you would like to put your name forward or would like more information please contact either:

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