

# **ROLES AND DUTIES**

## **Building and Housing Board of Appeals**

### **City of Merced**

The Board, created by Ordinance, hears and decides appeals of orders, decisions, or determinations made by the Chief Building Official relative to the application and interpretation of the Merced Municipal Code, including all Building Code, Housing Code, Administrative Code, Electrical Code, Mechanical Code, Plumbing Code, Fire Prevention Code, and Abatement of Dangerous Buildings Code. The Board consists of five (5) members, who serve four-year terms in office, to be appointed by motion of the City Council adopted by at least five (5) affirmative votes, at least three (3) of whom shall be registered or licensed professionals in the trade of design, engineering, construction, or inspection of buildings, all of whom are qualified by experience and training to pass upon matters pertaining to building construction, engineering, or fire inspection.

#### Interested Applicants:

This position requires the filing of a Statement of Economic Interests under the California Fair Political Practices Act guidelines.

Your application will be submitted to the City Council for consideration when a vacancy occurs on this Board. Appointments are made by the Council during its regular meeting agenda. You will be notified of the Council's action immediately following the meeting.

In the event you are not appointed, your application will be kept on file for a period of one year from the date of application. Each time a vacancy occurs on this board during the year, you will be contacted by the City Clerk's office to verify you are still interested prior to submitting your application to the Council.

To apply for this commission, please visit the City's website at [www.cityofmerced.org](http://www.cityofmerced.org) and click on Apply for City Board. Please be as descriptive as possible on the application form and include two references who can attest to your suitability for appointment to this board.