

Okaloosa County News Release

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Okaloosa County Seeks Value Adjustment Board Member

Okaloosa County Board of Commissioners will appoint a citizen to the Value Adjustment Board (VAB), as required by Florida Statute. Typically, the VAB only meets twice per year, at the beginning of the hearing process and at the end to review the Special Magistrates' decisions. Applicants should be available to meet during the daytime. The appointee will serve a **one-year term**, beginning immediately upon appointment.

The requirements for this appointment, as outlined in Chapter 194.015, Florida Statutes, are:

- The Citizen must own homestead property in Okaloosa County
- The Citizen cannot be a member or an employee of any taxing authority
- The Citizen cannot represent property owners in any administrative or judicial review of property taxes

Please submit your **letter of interest** and verification of meeting the requirements as listed above to the County Administrator's office on or before **5 PM, Monday, July 8, 2013**, at the following address:
Rick Owen, rowen@co.okaloosa.fl.us, 850-651-7515 or to the address below

Okaloosa County Board of Commissioners
1804 Lewis Turner Boulevard, Suite 400
Fort Walton Beach, FL 32547

For additional information on the function of the Value Adjustment Board, please refer to Chapter 194 of the Florida Statutes, or call Teresa Ward, Clerk to the VAB, at 850-689-5000 extension 3412.

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