

Article 35

CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT COMMISSION

2-35-1: ESTABLISHMENT; DUTIES; STAFFING:

- A. There is hereby established in and for the Village of Oak Park a Citizen Involvement Commission in order to foster citizen participation in the various boards, commissions and committees of the Village, and also to encourage volunteer participation in Village government and its activities. The duties of the Commission shall include the following: to be responsible for the recruitment of volunteers for the boards, commissions and committees of the Village, including holding prospects' meetings for said boards, commissions and committees in conjunction with the office of the Village Clerk; to act as liaisons to and provide support for said various boards, commissions and committees; and to provide education about and recognition for the activities of the Citizen Involvement Commission and said various boards, commissions and committees, including the sponsorship of the annual Volunteer Recognition Reception.
- B. The Citizen Involvement Commission shall work closely with the office of the Village Clerk. The Village Clerk shall maintain all records and documentation pertaining to volunteer participation in Village government and its activities, including all records of the Citizen Involvement Commission, and shall maintain all records of the Commission's business, including all regular and special meetings. (Ord. 1999-0-8, 3-15-1999)

2-35-2: COMPOSITION:

The Citizen Involvement Commission shall consist of a chairperson and eight (8) members, including a chairperson to be appointed by the Village President, by and with the consent of the Village Board of Trustees. All terms shall be for a three (3) year period on a staggered basis, with the chairperson and four (4) members or five (5) members appointed each year. (Ord. 2011-0-8, 2-7-2011)