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**October 21, 2016**

**Mount Vernon Planning Commission Opening**

MOUNT VERNON – The City of Mount Vernon is now accepting letters of interest and applications from candidates interested in serving on this commission. We are looking for one commission member to fill an opening created by a term expiration. This is a four-year term that would begin on January 1, 2017 and end on December 31, 2020. Commission members on the Planning Commission are volunteers who:

- Are interested in the City of Mount Vernon land use, comprehensive planning, and zoning issues.
- Live within the City limits of Mount Vernon.
- Have a desire to devote time and effort to the responsibilities of being a board member.
- Have a rapport with the community.
- Are able to attend regular meetings on the first and third Tuesday of each month, 6:00 P.M., at the Police Court Campus and any called meetings as necessary.

Planning Commission Applications can be accessed at [www.mountvernonwa.gov](http://www.mountvernonwa.gov); then click "Your Government"; then click "Boards and Commissions"; then click "Planning Commission" and then follow applicable hyperlink to application. Applications can also be picked up at City Hall, 910 Cleveland Ave.

The Application and Letter of Interest should be addressed to Mayor Jill Boudreau, P.O. Box 809, Mount Vernon, WA 98273 and received not later than closing on November 10, 2016.

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