

## POSTED UXB TOWN CLERK 2020 FEB 24 AM10:01

## OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

UXBRIDGE TOWN HALL 21 SOUTH MAIN STREET UXBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 01569-1326 508-278-8600

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - COMMITTEE OPENINGS**

February 24, 2020

The Town of Uxbridge is seeking volunteers to fill openings on each the following committees. Below is a brief description on each committee.

## **Open Space Committee**

Dedicated to protecting our town's quality of life by preserving its open spaces, its natural resources, its historic treasures and its small-town character. It keeps an inventory of and manage town-owned parcels of land. Increases awareness & the enjoyment of Uxbridge's protected lands and natural resources and educate the public on open space issues; identify all properties that are currently owned by the Town and develop a plan to manage and maintain these properties; identify priority parcels among properties currently owned by the Town to make recommendations for protection under a Conservation Restriction or Article 97; work with public officials, private landowners, and land trusts to identify opportunities for open space management, protection or acquisition; help the Town develop by-laws, regulations, and planning strategies to preserve open space, enhance natural habitats, and ensure that rapid development does not overburden town services or town taxpayers; preserve Uxbridge's open spaces, cultural, agricultural, and historical resources and landscapes and Uxbridge's rural, small-town character; expand and improve active and passive recreational facilities; create an Open Space Plan for the Town which meets State requirements to be eligible to apply for grant funding in the future; coordinate with the Planning Board to provide an Open Space & Recreation Plan which would become part of the Town's Master Plan as discussed in M.G.L Chapter 41 Section D); hold regular posted public meetings (at least monthly); maintain meeting minutes and submit minutes to the Town Clerk.

If interested, please complete a Talent Bank Form. Forms can be found and submitted on the town's website: <a href="http://www.uxbridge-ma.gov/Pages/UxbridgeMA Manager/TalentBankForm.pdf">http://www.uxbridge-ma.gov/Pages/UxbridgeMA Manager/TalentBankForm.pdf</a> or a form can be found at the Town Clerk's of Town Manager's office. Forms should be returned to the Town Manager's Office.

\*A 10-day posting is required before a member can be appointed to a Committee.