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**APPLICANTS SOUGHT FOR  
CITY BUDGET COMMITTEE**

The City is seeking applications for two open positions on the Springfield Budget Committee. The deadline for submitting applications is 5:00 p.m., **February 05, 2010**, with interviews scheduled for Tuesday, February 16, 2010. The appointment by the City Council will be made on March 01, 2010. Application forms are available in the City Manager's Office in City Hall, 225 Fifth Street, during regular business hours.

Applicants are sought to represent Wards 1 & 2 will serve terms expiring December 31, 2010.

Please visit [www.ci.springfield.or.us/pubworks/GIS\\_Web\\_page/06\\_GIS\\_Standard\\_Map.htm](http://www.ci.springfield.or.us/pubworks/GIS_Web_page/06_GIS_Standard_Map.htm) to see a Ward map.

**Background:** The Budget Committee reviews the City's financial plans and policies, including the annual budget. The 12 member Committee is comprised of the six elected City Councilors and six members from the community. Appointed by the City Council, each of the Committee's six community members must live in the ward they represent. Meetings are typically held between April and June, but the committee may also meet on an "as needed" basis.

One position is open to Ward 1 residents and the second position is open to Ward 2 residents. The persons appointed will serve a one-year term which will expire on December 31, 2010 and will be eligible to re-apply for a 3-year term at that time. Both positions are currently vacant with no incumbent's eligible to re-apply.

**What:** City accepting applications for two open positions on the City Budget Committee.

**When:** The deadline to apply is **5:00 p.m., February 05, 2010**.

**Where:** Applications are available at City Hall in the City Manager's Office or by calling Lynn Shaw at 726-3789.

**Additional Information:** Contact Bob Duey, Finance Director at 726-3740.