

Delaware County Commissioners

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DELAWARE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SEEKS APPLICATIONS FOR THE DELAWARE - MORROW MENTAL HEALTH & RECOVERY SERVICES BOARD

The Delaware County Board of Commissioners is seeking to appoint one (1) member to the Delaware-Morrow Mental Health & Recovery Services Board to fill a seat whose term would commence July 1, 2025, and expire June 30, 2029.

This Board consists of fourteen (14) members. *Individuals with legal or marketing backgrounds and who are residents of the northern and eastern portions of Delaware County are strongly encouraged to apply.*

As a member of the Delaware-Morrow Mental Health & Recovery Services Board, you will contribute to the development and future direction of this community-enhanced board.

To be a board member you **must**:

- Be a resident of Delaware County; and
- Have demonstrable interest and expertise in mental health and alcohol or drug addiction programs and services.

Responsibilities and duties of a board member include:

- Serving as the local alcohol/drug addiction and mental health public authority and planning agency for Delaware and Morrow Counties;
- Promoting, arranging, and implementing working agreements with social services agencies, both public and private;
- Contracting with non-profit providers for treatment and prevention services;
- Evaluating and monitoring all programs and services under contractual commitments; and
- Recruiting and promoting local financial support from public and private resources

Interested individuals can apply through Delaware County's online application portal. It can be accessed at: <u>https://co.delaware.oh.us/commissioners/boardappointments/</u>. For any questions regarding this application procedure, please contact Matt Brown, Delaware County Human Resources, 740-833-2125 or <u>mbrown@co.delaware.oh.us</u>.

Completed board-appointment applications must be received through the online application portal no later than 11:59 p.m. on May 5, 2025.

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