

## Application for Position of Goshen Planning Board Alternate Member

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please respond to all questions below; attach extra sheets as necessary.*

*Submit your completed application at the Goshen Town Office during regular business hours, or by email to [PlanningBoard@Goshennh.org](mailto:PlanningBoard@Goshennh.org). The Chairperson will contact you to arrange a time for you to meet with the Planning Board.*

1. How many years have you been a resident of Goshen?
2. Describe why you are interested in becoming an alternate member of the Planning Board:
3. Will you be able to meet on the first and last Tuesday evening of each month?
4. Will you agree to attend training sessions, sponsored by the New Hampshire Office of Energy and Planning, on performing the duties of the office of Planning Board member?  
*(Training sessions are typically held as one-day Saturday sessions in the Spring and in the Fall)*
5. How many hours per week outside of required meetings could you dedicate to the Planning Board?
6. Describe any experience you have had serving on a land use board in New Hampshire:
7. Describe any experience you have had serving on a land use board outside of New Hampshire:
8. Describe any experience you have had working with a team to produce joint decisions or other products:

- 9. What experience you have had in writing documents, correspondence, or other materials of a technical nature? (*The Planning Board is responsible for writing and revising the Master Plan and all local ordinances and regulations*)**
  
- 10. What experience have you had interacting with people with differing viewpoints in a face-to-face setting?**
  
- 11. Are you able to maintain a calm demeanor, even when faced with confrontational people? (*Describe any relevant experience*)**
  
- 12. Before making a decision on an application, will you be able to read, consider, and discuss frankly in public all materials submitted by the applicant? (*Describe any relevant experience*)**
  
- 13. Will you able to read, consider, and take legal advice from the Town Attorney on all relevant state laws affecting an application? (*Describe any relevant experience*)**
  
- 14. Will you be able to set aside personal attachments and political persuasions, and be guided by state statutes and Town regulations in making decisions? (*Describe any relevant experience*)**
  
- 15. Describe your understanding of when board members should recuse themselves (remove themselves from participation in a proceeding):**
  
- 16. What educational, employment, or other experience do you have that would be useful in performing the duties of Planning Board alternate?**