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To: [Timothy Carroll](#)
Subject: Vacancy on the ZBA
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Tim, Would you please pass along this letter of interest to the Select Board.

I understand that there is a vacancy for a permanent position on the Zoning Board of Appeals. I am interested in being appointed to that position.

I have been an alternate on the Board for several years now and believe I have been a very active and conscientious member. Although, as an alternate, I do not have the occasion to vote matters before the Board unless a permanent member is not in attendance, I have nevertheless attended most meetings and have participated, lending any expertise I can offer. I have found that my being a member of the ConCom and the Town's appointee to the Martha's Vineyard Commission has enabled me to have a broader view of issues affecting the town which has, in turn, given me a better appreciation of many of the issues facing the ZBA.

I am an advocate of 'process' and consider that this has been of use to the ZBA and Alison, the ZBA Administrator - providing input on deliberations, decisions and minutes with an eye toward preventing unnecessary litigation.

I appreciate your consideration.

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