



# HARFORD COUNTY, MARYLAND

## Office of the County Auditor

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### **HARFORD COUNTY SEEKS APPLICANTS FOR AUDIT ADVISORY BOARD**

Harford County is seeking volunteers to serve on the Audit Advisory Board. The Advisory Board serves as an objective body to assist the County Council in fulfilling its oversight of the Office of the County Auditor. A core function of the Board is to validate the County Auditor's risk assessment, strategy, and audit plan and seek assurance that corrective action is taken when necessary. This 'third set of eyes' can assist with ensuring audit reports are understandable to the County Council, County Executive, management officials and the public. The Audit Advisory Board also ensures that internal audit recommendations are taken seriously, and remediation is monitored to ensure effectiveness of local government operations.

The Advisory Board consists of eight members, including four at-large Harford County citizens. Citizen members serve a four-year term which is coterminous with the term of the County Council. Members are appointed by the County Council and may serve two full terms. The Board will meet at least 3 times per year, usually on a Tuesday at 4:30 pm. Regular meeting attendance is important in maintaining the continuity and effectiveness of the board. Audit Advisory Board members serve without compensation.

Interested individuals should have audit, accounting, finance or related management experience. Any Harford County resident interested in applying should send the County Council Boards/ Commission Application (below) to Chrystal Brooks, County Auditor, 212 South Bond Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Bel Air, MD 21014 or [auditor@harfordcountymd.gov](mailto:auditor@harfordcountymd.gov).

Applicants should disclose any relationships to Harford County government or its elected or appointed officials, such as family members employed by the county, or business contracts within the County. Political Affiliation and Council District/Member are not relevant to this Board's membership and should be left blank on the application.

Applications will be accepted until the current vacancies are filled and may be kept on file for future vacancies.

For more information, contact Chrystal Brooks at (410) 638-3161 or  
[auditor@harfordcountymd.gov](mailto:auditor@harfordcountymd.gov).



## COUNTY COUNCIL OF HARFORD COUNTY, MARYLAND

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BOARD/COMMISSION APPLICATION FORM  
FOR APPOINTMENT TO  
Audit Advisory Board  
(Name of Board or Commission)

SUBMITTED BY COUNCIL MEMBER:  
N/A

Name (Last, First, Middle): \_\_\_\_\_

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

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Office Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Educational Background and Relevant Experience: \_\_\_\_\_

Civic Clubs or Organizations of which you are a member: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationships with Harford County government or its elected or appointed officials: \_\_\_\_\_

Political Affiliation: Not Applicable Council District: N/A

To the best of my knowledge, the above information is correct and may be used by the County Council in considering my nomination to a board or commission.

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Signature

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Date