

Appointment List

COMMISSIONER BOARD	REPRESENTING	REASON	NAME	END DATE	
<u>Chair Appts</u>					
Chair Appts	Centralina Council of Governments (COG)	Commissioner/Alternate/Ex-Officio (Voting)	Vacant	Vacancy/Ronnie Worley	11/30/2024
Chair Appts	Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC)	Commissioner/Elected Official/ Alternate/Ex-Officio (Voting)	Vacant	Vacancy/Ronnie Worley	11/30/2024
<u>Full Board</u>					
Full Board	Equalization and Review Board	Tax Assessor/ Ex-Officio (Non-Voting)	Term Expiring	Ms. Chelsea Tarbush	06/30/2026
Full Board	Gaston College Board of Trustees	At Large (Commissioner/Ex-Officio) (Voting)	Term Expiring	Commissioner Tom Keigher	06/30/2026
Full Board	Gaston County Fire Commission	Commissioner/Ex-Officio (Voting)	Term Expiring	Commissioner Bob Hovis	06/30/2026
Full Board	Gaston County Fire Commission	GCFA President	Term Expiring	Mr. Joshua Brown	06/30/2026
Full Board	Gaston County Fire Commission	County Fire Marshal (Ex-Officio/Non-Voting)	Term Expiring	Mr. Vincent Wong	06/30/2026
Full Board	Gaston County Fire Commission	At Large	Term Expiring	Mr. Justin Westbrook	06/30/2026
Full Board	Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)	Commissioner/Ex-Officio	Vacant	Vacancy/Commissioner Allen Fraley	12/31/2024
Full Board	Museum of Art and History Board	Commissioner/Ex-Officio (Voting)	Term Expiring	Commissioner Cathy Cloninger	06/30/2026
Full Board	Quality of Natural Resources Committee (QNRC)	Business	Vacant	Vacancy/Johnny H. Denton	10/31/2025
Full Board	Quality of Natural Resources Committee (QNRC)	Agriculture	Vacant	Vacancy/Robert Buckles	10/31/2027

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Jim Bailey					
#3-JB	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Commission	Vacant	Vacancy/Effie Locklear	07/31/2022
#3-JB	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Domiciliary Home Appt.	Vacant	Vacancy/Keith Hart	11/01/2016
SP Twp.	Council on Aging	SP Twp.	Vacant	Vacancy	11/30/2025
SP Twp.	Gaston County Fire Commission	SP Twp.	Term Expiring	Mr. Bill Lee	06/30/2026
#3-JB	Health and Human Services Board	Physician (Psychiatrist, MD/DO)	Vacant	Vacancy/Dr. Karen L. Melendez	06/30/2029
#3-JB	Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)	Radio/TV	Vacant	Vacancy/Diane Turbyfill	02/01/2029
#3-JB	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacant	Vacancy/Sheila Merrill	12/31/2024
#3-JB	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	NHA Appt.	Vacant	Vacancy/Effie Locklear	06/30/2019
#3-JB	Transportation Advisory Board (TAB)	Intercity Bus Operator	Vacant	Vacancy/Cindy Forrester	10/31/2020
#3-JB	Transportation Advisory Board (TAB)	Faith Community Leader	Vacant	Vacancy/Leon McClain	10/31/2021

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<u>Chad Brown</u>					
#7-CB	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Commission	Vacant	Vacancy/Nellie Overcash	05/31/2021
#7-CB	Council on Aging	Region F AAC Alternate	Vacant	Vacancy/Cathy Kenzig	06/01/2025
RB Twp.	Gaston County Fire Commission	RB Twp.	Term Expiring	Mr. Brian Weyeneth	06/30/2026
#7-CB	Health and Human Services Board	Nurse	Term Expiring	Ms. Wakiya C Berry	06/30/2026
#7-CB	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	NHA Appt.	Vacant	Vacancy/Shirley Ferguson	11/30/2011
#7-CB	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacant	Vacancy/Johnsie Richardson	05/31/2023
#7-CB	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacant	Vacancy/Mary C. MacArthur	10/31/2022
RB Twp.	Parks and Recreation Advisory Board	RB Twp.	Vacant	Vacancy/Scott Suggs	05/31/2026
#7-CB	Region F Aging Advisory Committee	Alternate	Vacant	Vacancy/Cathy Kenzig	06/01/2025
<u>Cathy Cloninger</u>					
#2-CC	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Commission	Vacant	Vacancy/Judy Wall	01/31/2024
#2-CC	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Commission	Vacant	Vacancy/Shirley Brannon	04/30/2022
#2-CC	Council on Aging	HHS Board	Vacant	Vacancy/Dr. Mark Lassiter Sr.	07/31/2025
#2-CC	Emergency Medical Services Committee	Medical Director	Term Expiring	Dr. Scott Centers	06/30/2026
D Twp.	Gaston County Planning and Zoning Board	D Twp.	Term Expiring	Mr. Youthan R Love	06/30/2026
#2-CC	Health and Human Services Board	Dentist	Term Expiring	Dr. Mark D. Lassiter Sr.	06/30/2026
#2-CC	Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC)	Community Rep.	Vacant	Vacancy/Robin Chavis	06/30/2027
#2-CC	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	NHA Appt.	Vacant	Vacancy/Gayle Hopkins	07/31/2024
#2-CC	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacant	Vacancy/Mable Manning	10/31/2022

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<u>Allen Fraley</u>					
#4-AF	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Domiciliary Home Appt.	Vacant	Vacancy/Jane Patrick	01/31/2018
CH Twp.	Council on Aging	At Large	Vacant	Vacancy/Christie Holmes	11/30/2025
#4-AF	Gaston Community Action Board of Trustees (GCA)	Public Sector Gaston County	Vacant	Vacancy/Cherie Feemster	05/31/2028
CH Twp.	Gaston County Planning and Zoning Board	CH Twp.	Term Expiring	Mr. Shawn A Wray	06/30/2026
#4-AF	Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC)	Youth Rep.	Term Expiring	Mr. Gage A Johnson	06/30/2026
#4-AF	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacant	Vacancy/Roberta Faile	07/31/2024
#4-AF	Transportation Advisory Board (TAB)	Gaston College	Vacant	Vacancy/Shelly Alman	10/31/2026
<u>Bob Hovis</u>					
#5-BH	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	NHA Appt	Vacant	Vacancy/Mary Alice Brown	04/30/2019
#5-BH	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Commission	Vacant	Vacancy/Bonnie Singer	04/30/2022
CM Twp.	Council on Aging	CM Twp.	Vacant	Vacancy/Tripp Hord	11/30/2025
#5-BH	Gaston Community Action Board of Trustees (GCA)	Public Sector Gaston County	Vacant	Vacancy/Kimberly A. Ross	10/31/2027
CM Twp.	Gaston County Planning and Zoning Board	CM Twp.	Term Expiring	Mr. Michael N Magee Jr	06/30/2026
#5-BH	Health and Human Services Board	Optometrist	Vacant	Vacancy/Dr. Sandra Farnham	06/30/2023
#5-BH	Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC)	Recreation & Parks Rep./Ex-Officio	Term Expiring	Mr. Michael Applegate	06/30/2026
#5-BH	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacant	Vacancy/Clara Lowery	03/31/2026
#5-BH	Transportation Advisory Board (TAB)	Gaston Community Action	Vacant	Vacancy/Gary Washington	10/31/2023
#5-BH	Transportation Advisory Board (TAB)	Local Elected Officials/Staff	Vacant	Vacancy/Donnie Loftis	10/31/2012
#5-BH	Transportation Advisory Board (TAB)	United Way of Gastonia	Vacant	Vacancy/Daughtry Hopper	10/31/2022

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Tom Keigher				
#6-TK	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Commission	Vacancy	04/30/2025
#6-TK	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	NHA Appt	Vacancy/Patricia Lineberger	02/01/2017
#6-TK	Health and Human Services Board	Pharmacist	Ms. Susan Chen	06/30/2026
G Twp./TK	Historic Preservation Commission	G Twp./TK	Vacancy/Lucy Penegar	06/30/2027
#6-TK	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacancy/Barbara Foy	08/31/2023
#6-TK	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	NHA Appt.	Vacancy/Velda Robinson	06/30/2018
#6-TK	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacancy/Sharon Stiles	07/31/2021
#6-TK	Transportation Advisory Board (TAB)	Vocational Rehabilitation	Vacancy/Eric F. Davis	10/31/2020
#6-TK	Transportation Advisory Board (TAB)	Local Elected Officials/Staff	Vacancy/Narradeau Smith	10/31/2026
#6-TK	Workforce Development Board	Private Sector	Ms. Crystal McCabe	05/31/2026
#6-TK	Workforce Development Board	Public Sector -Employment Services	Ms. Claudette Argabrite	05/31/2026

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<u>Scott Shehan</u>					
#1-SS	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Commission	Term Expiring	Ms. Shannel Woodruff	06/30/2026
#1-SS	Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee	Commission	Vacant	Vacancy	08/31/2018
#1-SS	Health and Human Services Board	Veterinarian	Vacant	Vacancy/Russell Sprinkles	06/30/2024
#1-SS	Health and Human Services Board	At Large	Term Expiring	Ms. Cheryl Loggins	06/30/2026
G Twp./SS	Industrial Facilities and Pollution Control Financing Authority	G Twp./SS	Vacant	Vacancy/Jonathan Fletcher	10/31/2028
#1-SS	Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC)	Faith Community Rep.	Term Expiring	Mr. William (Bill) S. Melton	06/30/2026
#1-SS	Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC)	Business Community	Term Expiring	Ms. Christy Rogers	06/30/2026
#1-SS	Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC)	Community Rep.	Term Expiring	Mrs. Kristen J. Dormsjo Esq.	06/30/2026
#1-SS	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	At Large	Vacant	Vacancy/Richard Trado	04/30/2025
#1-SS	Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee	NHA Appt.	Vacant	Vacancy/Jonathan Fletcher	06/30/2018
G Twp./SS	Tourism Development Advisory Board	Citizen At Large	Term Expiring	Ms. Vivianette Ortiz	04/30/2026

***NOTE: Quality Natural Resources Committee- Positions Assigned to Full Board.
 Council on Aging - Appointee will automatically serve on the Home & Community Block Grant Advisory Committee
 Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee - Membership Prerequisites for new appointees should be cleared through
 Ruth Murphy (704) 862-7667**

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