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CITIZENS NEEDED FOR ADVISORY GROUPS

Three county-related groups in Gloucester are seeking citizen and parent representation and involvement.

The **Gloucester Advisory Board on Housing** is seeking an interested citizen to serve on the board. The Advisory Board on Housing examines and evaluates existing housing needs and programs, reviews new housing programs, and advises the Board of Supervisors as to need and utilization of housing programs within the county. Meetings are held on the first Thursday of every other month at 4 p.m.

There is currently a vacancy for a parent representative to serve a two-year term on the **Gloucester County Community Policy and Management Team (CPMT)**. The CPMT meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 12:30 p.m. to review cases and oversee funding requests related to the Comprehensive Services Act for At-Risk Youth and Families (CSA).

Additionally, a parent representative is needed to serve on the **Gloucester County Family Assessment and Planning Team (FAPT)**. The FAPT meets on the third Wednesday of each month usually from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to recommend services for at-risk youth and their families.

Those interested are asked to complete a volunteer board bank information form on the county website at www.gloucesterva.info/boardsandcommissionsdb or contact the Gloucester Department of Community Education, 693-5730, to be mailed/faxed a form or e-mail Christi Lewis at clewis@gloucesterva.info.

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