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### **County Forms Go Green Advisory Committee**

The Gloucester County Board of Supervisors has formed a Go Green Gloucester Advisory Committee to research, analyze, determine and propose methods to promote and implement environmentally sustainable technologies and initiatives within the county. The purpose of the advisory group is to assist the board and county staff in:

1. Encouraging development of "green" county facilities, both current and future.
2. Developing methods/ordinances that encourage green residential and commercial building, as well as business development, within the county.
3. Identifying federal, state, and private funding for green activities.
4. Developing ordinances that allow for alternative green energy generation (i.e. wind, solar, etc.) within the county and developing ordinances that eliminate or reduce dependency on carbon fuels.

Citizens are being sought to serve on the committee with one representative from each of the following areas to serve: homeowner, business owner, local builder, and an alternative energy engineer. They will join county staff liaisons from the Codes Compliance Department and the Planning Department, along with a representative from Dominion Virginia Power.

Those interested in seeking appointment to the Go Green Advisory Committee for Gloucester County should submit a Volunteer Board Bank information form on the county's web site at

[www.gloucesterva.info/boardsandcommissionsdb](http://www.gloucesterva.info/boardsandcommissionsdb) or contact the Community Education Department at

693-5730. For more information about the Go Green Advisory Committee, please contact Community Education.

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