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It is the mission of the Urbana Park District to:

- Improve the quality of life of its citizens through a responsive, efficient, and creative park and recreation system,
- Pursue excellence in a variety of programs, parks, and special facilities that contribute to the attractiveness of neighborhoods, conservation of the environment, and the overall health of the community.

### Volunteer Application for UPDAC Appointment

Members of the Urbana Park District Advisory Committee (UPDAC) are community volunteers who help the Board of Commissioners and staff of the Urbana Park District investigate new ideas, study possible changes and improvements, and evaluate current park district operations. Meetings are held monthly on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month (except July and December). The time commitment is between 2 and 3 hours a month, and includes the monthly UPDAC meeting and potential committee meetings. UPDAC members are appointed for a three-year term.

The following information will help the Urbana Park District Board of Commissioners evaluate your interest and ability to serve as a member of UPDAC. Please answer the following questions as fully as possible. You **MUST** be a resident of the Urbana Park District to serve on UPDAC. Thank You.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Tell us about yourself. Any special hobbies or particular areas of interest?

2. What Urbana Park District park or facility is closest to where you live?

3. Tell us about your experiences with the Urbana Park District.

4. What is your vision of diversity, equality, and inclusivity at a park district?

5. Why are you interested in serving on UPDAC?

Applications are accepted year round. Your application will be reviewed, and if appropriate, a member of the Urbana Park District Board of Commissioners may contact you by phone to talk more with you about UPDAC. The Board appoints up to six new UPDAC members each year in July.

Once you have completed this information, please do one of the following.

Mail this form to:     Kelsey Beccue  
                            Office Manager  
                            Urbana Park District  
                            303 W. University Ave.  
                            Urbana, IL 61801

You can also e-mail this information to Kelsey at [khbeccue@urbanaparks.org](mailto:khbeccue@urbanaparks.org).

If you have any questions please call Kelsey at 367-1536.