

**CITY OF ALTOONA
APPLICATION FOR CITY COUNCIL VACANCY**

Please complete the following application, **ATTACH A RESUME** and return to:
City Clerk's Office – Altoona City Hall
1301 12th Street Suite 100
Altoona, PA 16601

or by e mail to: cityclerk@altonapa.gov (subject line - COUNCIL VACANCY)
DEADLINE DATE: MONDAY - MARCH 15, 2010 BY 12 NOON

(Please Print)

Name: _____

Address: _____ Home Phone: _____

_____ Work Phone: _____

e-mail address: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Place of Employment: _____

Address of Employment: _____

Occupation: _____

Education: _____

Community/Professional Organizations: _____

Special Interests: _____

Reference 1: _____ Phone: _____

Reference 2: _____ Phone: _____

Reference 3: _____ Phone: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ Date: _____

Third Class City Code & Optional Plan - Section 801. Vacancies in Council and Office of Mayor. - If a vacancy exists in the city council, whether as to the office of mayor or one or more of the other members of council, the city council shall, by a majority of its remaining members, fill such vacancy, within thirty days thereafter, by electing a qualified person to serve until that first Monday of January when his successor who shall have been elected by the qualified electors at the next municipal election, occurring at least thirty days after such vacancy exists, is duly sworn into office for the remainder of the term of the person originally elected to said office. If, by reason of a tie vote, or otherwise, such vacancy shall not have been filled by the remaining members of city council within the time as limited herein, the court of common pleas, upon the petition of ten or more qualified electors shall fill such vacancy by the appointment of a qualified person, for the portion of the unexpired term as above provided.

Third Class City Code & Optional Plan – Section 1001. Qualifications of Councilmen. - The councilmen shall be at least twenty-one (21) years of age, and shall be elected by the electors at large. They shall have been residents of the city wherein they shall be elected throughout one year next before their election, and shall reside therein throughout their terms of service. No officer of the United States or of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (except notaries or officers of the militia), nor any county officer, nor any officer of any school district embraced in the territory of said city, nor any officer or employee of said city, or of any department thereof, nor any member or employee of a municipality authority of which the city is a member, shall serve as a councilman during his continuance or employment.