



# City of Methuen, Massachusetts

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*Mayor*

### Board/Commission Member Nomination Paper Checklist

1. Candidate Name/Address:

Gail Drouin

2. Board/Commission: Reappointment to the Methuen Housing Authority

3. Date Talent Bank Application Received: 10/3/24

4. Interview Date/Interviewer: 12/2/24 by Jordan Normandia

5. Date CORI Check Performed/Initials: 12/17/24 by J.N.

6. Documents Attached:

Talent Bank Application

Resume

7. Mayoral Recommendation:

Gail Drouin has been a resident of the Methuen Housing since 2009, she has been a tenant representative of the board since 2014, and currently serves as the board's treasurer.

Ms. Drouin is a dedicated member of the Methuen Housing community with a high level of professionalism and knowledge of the Methuen Housing Authority, her reappointment will be a great benefit to the continued operation of the housing authority.



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### Talent Bank Application

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**First Name\***

Gail

**Last Name\***

Drouin

**Address\***

**City\***

Methuen

**State\***

MA

**Zip Code\***

01844

**Phone Number\***

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**Email Address\***

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**Which Committee / Board you are interested in serving on?\***

- Arts and Cultural Affairs Council
- Board of Assessors (see note 1)
- Board of Health (see note 1)
- CATV - Community Advisory Board
- Commissioners of Trust Funds
- Community Development Board
- Conservation Commission
- Council on Aging
- Disability Commission (see note 1)
- Forest Lake Commission
- Greater Lawrence Sanitary District
- Historical Commission
- Historic District Commission (see note 1)
- Licensing Board (see note 1)
- Youth Commission
- Zoning Board of Appeals

- Note 1: Some committees require certain professional experience of their members.
- Note 2: While some committees may have the maximum number of members, interested volunteers are still asked to select any board they have an interest in. Even if full, certain committees are always in need of additional volunteers.
- Note 3: Boards and Commissions typically meet in the evenings, 1 to 3 times each month (depending on the board).

**Which Committee / Board you are interested in serving on? is required.**

**If you are interested in more than one, please rank your interests\***

N/A

**Education\***

N/A

**Current Employer and Position\***

Housing Board, Tenant Representative

**Please list additional skills, certificates and volunteer experience\***

**Please list additional skills, certificates and volunteer experience is required.**

**Additional comments?**

Seeking reappointment (by the mayor) to The Methuen Housing Authority Board. I believe I was reappointed as the tenant representative in 2019 for a 5 year term. However, verification cannot be located. The Director of the Housing Authority contacted the City Clerk's office who stated I need to submit the Talent Application.

**Please attach a current resume to the talent bank application (preferred, but not mandatory)**

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## Gail Drouin

### Objective

To continue serving as the Tenant Representative on the Methuen Housing Authority Board of Commissioners, leveraging my experience and understanding of tenant concerns to advocate for fair and effective policies that improve the quality of life for residents.

### Relevant Experience

- Resident of the Methuen Housing Authority since July 2009
- Appointed to the Board of Commissioners in 2014
- Actively represent the interests and concerns of tenants during board meetings, providing a critical voice for residents.
- Collaborate with fellow commissioners on policy decisions, ensuring that tenant issues are addressed in housing authority operations.
- Participate in discussions and decisions related to maintenance, budget allocation, and housing development projects.
- Facilitate open communication between tenants and the board, encouraging feedback and engagement from the tenant community.

### Vice-President/Treasurer, Methuen Housing Authority Tenant Association

- Regularly facilitate, organize and actively engage in association meetings, events and initiatives to enhance the quality of life for fellow residents.
- Assist residents in understanding housing policies, procedures, and their rights as tenants.

### Skills

- Participate annually in Board Member Training and State Ethics trainings .
- Knowledge of housing policies, regulations and practices.
- Ability to collaborate with a diverse group of stakeholders, including tenants, housing authority staff, and government officials.
- Problem-solving skills to address tenant issues and advocate for practical solutions.