

Camden City Boards and Commissions

Alcohol & Beverage Commission (ABC) *statutory

Meeting: 2nd Monday

Duties – issue retail licenses and enforce alcoholic beverage control laws of the City and State of New Jersey

Affirmative Action Review Council

Meetings: 3rd Tuesday

Duties – Evaluate and monitor developers/contractors for adequacy of plans; make recommendations to City Council

African-American Advisory Board

Meetings: 4th Tuesday

Duties – make recommendation to City Council as to legislation and policy for the betterment of the African-American Community

Arts, Cultural and Heritage Commission

Meetings: 3rd Tuesday

Duties – as an advisory board to the Mayor & City Council assist & recommend programming, public art and artist service including the plans for the development of city-wide programs

Camden Redevelopment Agency (CRA)

Meetings: 1st & 2nd Wednesdays

Duties – to focus on revitalization and development of areas within the City of Camden; improve and promote commercial districts fostering civic beauty and neighborhood pride

Historic Preservation Commission

Meetings: 4th Thursday

Duties – to maintain and recommend historical sites or property within the City of Camden; review and approve any alterations or demolition of existing historical property

Housing Authority Commission *statutory

Meetings: 3rd Wednesday

Duties –pursuant to the Local Housing Authorities Law of the State of New Jersey, plan, design, construct, improve, manage, and maintain safe housing accommodations for the low income

Parking Authority Commission *statutory

Meetings: 4th Monday

Duties – to plan, design, construction, improve, manage, and maintain parking projects consider handicap parking applications; enforce street parking regulations; act pursuant to the provisions of the Parking Authority Law (N.J.S.A. 40:11A-1 et seq.)

Planning Board *statutory

Meetings: 2nd Thursday

Duties – to review and approve development; prepare, revise, and recommend a comprehensive plan for the City; recommend changes, additions, or deletions to the Zoning Code and map and new ordinances pertaining to zoning as it appears advisable

Shade Tree Commission

Meetings: 4th Wednesday

Duties – to regulate, plant, control, and care of trees and shrubbery in any public area; consider grants for assisting in shade tree projects

Veterans Advisory Commission

Meetings: 3rd Thursday

Duties – make recommendation to City Council as to legislation and policy for the betterment of Camden's Veterans; provide entitled resources and programs to the City; promote Veteran or military observations or recognitions; act as liaison with Veteran's Fraternal Organizations

Zoning Board *statutory

Meetings: 1st Monday

Duties – hear and decide appeals or requests for interpretations due to order, requirement, decision or refusal made by the Zoning Officer; grant variances to permit restrictions per the Zoning Code