To: Bicycle and Pedestrian Enthusiasts  
From: Bill Veno, Senior Planner  
Date: February 25, 2022  
Subject: Expressions of interest for Appointment to Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee

The Martha’s Vineyard Joint Transportation Committee (JTC) is seeking persons interested in serving on its Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC). In addition to offering advice to the JTC, the BPAC promotes awareness of and solutions to bicycling and pedestrian mobility independent of the JTC.

The BPAC is comprised of eight members appointed to staggered three-year terms that expire the end of April. For the past few years, the group has met (the last two years virtually, via Zoom) from 5:30 to 7:00pm on the second Tuesday of each month.

Terms of three members expire this April. They are eligible for reappointment but must resubmit their expressions of interest. These terms will run through April 2025. Two additional seats have become open due to resignations. Appointment to these positions will only be for the respective unexpired terms – through April 2023 and April 2024.

In filling these five BPAC seats, the JTC is interested in having a group that is broadly representative of the island. At present, the BPAC is without a female member, a member of color, or a member from Aquinnah or West Tisbury.

Persons interested in serving on the BPAC in one of these positions should contact Bill Veno (veno@mvcommission.org; 508-338-3711) by March 28, 2022, providing the following information:

1. Name  
2. Address of residence  
3. Email address  
4. Phone number  
5. One or two sentences explaining why you wish to serve on the BPAC  
6. Preference of term served, i.e., 2023, 2024, or 2025

Expressions of interest will be compiled for review and consideration by the JTC at its April 20, 2022, meeting when it is expected to make appointments to fill these positions. Candidates not selected will form a resource from which the JTC may draw from to fill other BPAC vacancies that may occur prior to its annual February solicitation of interest.