

Havenside Corporation

Board Recruitment Posting

Havenside is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization with a mission to provide affordable housing to Island seniors. We have 29 apartments in four campus buildings overlooking the beautiful Vineyard Haven Harbor. Hundreds of Island residents and their families have benefited from the rental housing provided by Havenside over many years.

The Havenside Board of Directors has the responsibility to preserve, maintain and improve the Havenside property in perpetuity, and to support the overall mission of providing housing below market rates for the Island's senior population. The Board sets eligibility criteria and other policies of the organization according to our mission and the needs of Havenside and the larger community.

Havenside is interested in recruiting Board Members with a general knowledge of and support for affordable housing on the Island. We also welcome any knowledge of or experience with social work, senior living, building maintenance and carpentry, tenancy and the law, disability and civil rights, fiduciary and accounting skills, information technology, and non-profit administration.

The Board of Directors meets quarterly throughout the year for two-hour sessions and conducts any special meetings as necessary. Committees of the Board currently provide oversight for finance, personnel and tenant admissions/relations.

A commitment to affordable housing and serving the Island community, along with the ability to attend quarterly Board meetings and participate in the affairs and administration of Havenside as needed, are a prerequisite for Directorship appointment. Our goal is to keep Havenside well maintained and affordable.

Thank you for your interest in Havenside. The need for affordable housing will continue to grow. Community involvement is important to preserve affordable housing for the Island senior community now and well into the future. Please call Lucinda at (508) 693-2280 to volunteer.