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Groveland Community Services District
Citizen’s Advisory Committee (CAC) Application
Fire Suppression Assessment

Thank You for Your Interest

The Groveland Community Services District (GCSGD) is seeking community members to serve on a Citizen’s Advisory Committee (CAC) to provide independent input, transparency, and oversight related to the proposed Fire Suppression Assessment.

The CAC will serve as a community voice, helping to review information, raise questions, and support clear communication between the District and property owners.

Committee Purpose (Summary)

The CAC will:

- Provide **independent community perspective** on the Fire Suppression Assessment
- Review information related to **fairness, methodology, and service levels**
- Serve as a **two-way communication link** with the community
- Support **transparency and accountability**, including implementation oversight if approved

The CAC is **advisory only** and does not make final decisions.

Time Commitment

- Initial meetings: 1–2 meetings (if feasible, prior to ballot deadline)
- Ongoing: Monthly (first several months), then quarterly
- Estimated duration: Up to 12–24 months

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Applicant Information

Full Name: _____

Property Address (within GCSD):

Mailing Address (if different):

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Property Ownership / Stakeholder Information

- Property Owner (Residential)
- Property Owner (Commercial/Business)
- Community Association
- Renter / Resident
- Business Owner (within District)
- Other (please describe): _____

Area / Neighborhood Representation (if applicable)

Background and Experience (Optional but Helpful)

Please describe any experience, skills, or knowledge you feel would be helpful to this committee (e.g., community involvement, fire service, finance, public service, etc.):

Interest and Perspective

1. Why are you interested in serving on this committee?

2. What perspectives or concerns do you believe are important for the committee to consider?

(There are no “right” answers—diverse viewpoints are encouraged.)

3. Are you generally:

- Supportive of the proposed assessment
- Opposed to the proposed assessment
- Undecided / seeking more information

(Answer is Optional – included to help ensure a balanced committee representing diverse viewpoints.)

Availability

Are you able to attend meetings (in person and/or virtual) as described above?

- Yes
- No
- With some limitations (please describe):

Commitment to Participation

Committee members are expected to:

- Review meeting materials in advance
- Participate respectfully in discussions
- Consider a range of community perspectives
- Support transparent and constructive dialogue

I understand and am willing to meet these expectations

Conflict of Interest Disclosure

Please disclose any potential conflicts of interest (financial, professional, or personal) that could relate to the Fire Suppression Assessment:

Acknowledgment


I understand that:


- This is an **advisory committee**
- Members are **appointed by the GCS D Board of Directors**
- Meetings may be public and subject to applicable transparency requirements

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Submission Information

Please submit your completed application by:

 **Deadline:** June 10, 2026

 **Email:** Meghan Atkins at matkins@gcsd.org

Mail or Drop-off:

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Questions?

For more information, please contact:
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Thank you for your interest in serving your community.