

## **BOARD OF APPEALS\***

### **PURPOSE**

The Board of Appeals meets as necessary in order to hear and decide appeals of orders, decisions or determinations made by the building official relative to the application and interpretations of various technical codes. In addition, the Board of Appeals may meet as the Appeals Board for Disabled Access for the purpose of considering appeals to the standards contained in the California Building Standards Code regarding accommodations for persons with physical disabilities.

### **STATUS**

The Board of Appeals was established in 1979 and is required under provisions of the City's Building Code. The Board is staffed by the Chief Building Official. (SLOMC Chapter 15, Section 204.1, Resolution No. 4017 [1979 Series])

### **MEMBERS**

The Board consists of seven members. Five of the seven members shall be qualified by experience and training to pass on matters pertaining to building construction and building service equipment, and who are not employees of the City. Two members of the Board shall be physically handicapped, as defined by the California Building Code.

### **TERMS/LIMITS**

Members of the Board serve a term of four years. Members are eligible for re-appointment for an additional four years. Members are not subject to term limits.

**MEETINGS** - Held on call.