



Date of Council Meeting: July 12, 2016

**TOWN OF LEESBURG  
TOWN COUNCIL MEETING**

**Subject:** Appointment to the Technology and Communication Commission

**Staff Contact:** Lee Ann Green, Clerk of Council

**Council Action Requested:** Consideration of a nomination made by Vice Mayor Burk for Beverly Ryan to be appointed to the Technology and Communication Commission.

**Staff Recommendation:** Not Applicable.

**Commission Recommendation:** Not Applicable.

**Fiscal Impact:** Section 2-197 of the Town Code provides for annual compensation of \$1,200 for Airport Commission members. Funds are available within the current Fiscal Year 2016 general fund budget.

**Work Plan Impact:** Not Applicable.

**Executive Summary:** Vice Mayor Burk's former nominee, Teena Clayton, has resigned.

**Background:** The terms of office for Commissioners correspond to the term of the council member who nominated them.

As per Section 2-193 of the Town Code, members of the Technology and Communication Commission shall be residents of the town or town business owners. Ms. Ryan resides on Stratford Place, S.W.

**Attachments:** (1) **Resume/Letters of Interest**  
(2) **Appointment Resolution**

**From:** [Beverly Ryan](#)  
**To:** [Kelly Burk](#)  
**Cc:** [Lee Ann Green](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Technology committee  
**Date:** Tuesday, June 28, 2016 7:12:51 PM

---

Hi Kelly & Lee Ann,

Thank you both for your emails; I had not responded because I've been searching for my resume. My computer died last summer and I was not able to retrieve any of the informational files I had stored; consequently, I no longer have a copy of my resume and since I'm retired I've not seen a need to recreate one. I'm happy to provide you with background and work history and hope that will be sufficient for your purposes and the committee nomination.

I spent from 1973 - 1980 at Corning Glass Works developing businesses in their medical division and then the telecommunications division. During 1977 Corning merged our telecom team with a Siemens group and a company named Siecor was formed. Siecor Corp. was a start-up company in the emerging fiber optic industry.

From 1977 - 1987 I was part of this emerging telecommunications group and spent those years designing, selling and implementing fiber optic cable systems to the telecom industry. In 1987 I was presented with the opportunity to work on the testing side of the industry for a company called Tektronix. In this position I sold test equipment to support the fiber optic systems that were being installed throughout the US. While with Tektronix, I left the sales arena and did applications engineering, as well as, taught fiber optic theory and telecommunications system testing across the US, traveling approximately 45 weeks each year. I remained with Tektronix until 2002 when I retired from telecommunications.

Not being quite ready to hang up my work boots, I was employed at a non-profit, the Food Allergy & Anaphylaxis Network, as their Director of Customer Service and later the Director of Education. I retired from this organization in 2013.

I'm still not done working! In 2002 when I retired from telecommunications, I decided to obtain my realtor's license and am still an active realtor in Loudoun County.

I hope this letter is adequate for the purposes of your nomination.

Respectfully,

Beverly Q. Ryan  
205 Stratford Pl SW  
Leesburg, VA 20175  
703.622.2870

-----Original Message-----

From: Kelly Burk [<mailto:KBurk@LEESBURGVA.GOV>]  
Sent: Monday, June 27, 2016 7:42 PM  
To: Bqryan1@verizon.net

Subject: Technology committee

Beverly,

I hope you are doing well. If you are still interested for the committee please send me or the town council clerk LGreen@leesburgva.gov your resume.

Kelly Burk  
Vice Mayor  
Leesburg Town Council  
25 W. Market Street  
Leesburg, Va 20176  
703-777-2420

Please note that all emails sent to and from the me at this email address are subject to the Freedom of Information Act.=

PRESENTED July 12, 2016

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION: MAKING AN APPOINTMENT TO THE TECHNOLOGY AND COMMUNICATION COMMISSION

WHEREAS, participation by public-spirited citizens on town boards, commissions and committees is vital to the success of town government and the democratic process; and

WHEREAS, boards, commissions and committees serve an indispensable role in providing recommendations concerning town policy and programs; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to appoint effective individuals to serve at its will and pleasure on these advisory boards; and

WHEREAS, a vacancy on the Technology and Communication Commission was created when Vanessa Maddox was appointed to the Economic Development Commission and resigned her appointment to the Technology and Communication Commission.

THEREFORE, RESOLVED that the Council of the Town of Leesburg in Virginia hereby appoints Beverly Ryan to a term ending December 31, 2018.

PASSED this 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2016.

\_\_\_\_\_  
David S. Butler, Mayor  
Town of Leesburg

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of Council