

MORPC LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

WHO WE ARE

The Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission (MORPC) is Central Ohio's regional council with more than 85 members comprised of counties, cities, villages, townships, and regional organizations. We take pride in bringing communities of all sizes and interests together to collaborate on best practices and plan for the future of our growing region. We do this through a variety of programs, services, projects, and initiatives that help improve the quality of life for everyone in the Central Ohio region.

The MORPC Local Government Summer Internship Program is designed to provide qualified college students with the opportunity to obtain practical work experience with a local government within MORPC's 15-county area to prepare them for possible careers in public service. MORPC coordinates the placement to match the host's request; hosts make the final decision and provide the hourly wage.

Interns work for a host for a minimum of 16 hours to a maximum of 40 hours per week for a 14-week period. Interns gain applicable knowledge to enhance classroom learning through working with current government professionals as well as insights into the services provided by a regional planning commission. Interns have the opportunity to attend commission meetings and special MORPC-sponsored events and forums during their internship program period.

WHO

Qualified college students that meet the following requirements:

- 30 hours of completed college coursework
- Interest in public service careers
- GPA 3.0 or higher (preferred)
- Legally eligible to work in the USA
- Reliable transportation to and from work (preferred)

WHAT

- 14-week summer internship (Minimum 16 hours per week)
- \$15 minimum per hour undergraduates
- \$17 minimum per hour graduates (minus applicable taxes)

WHEN

• May 14, 2024 – August 16, 2024

BENEFITS

Interns will...

- Gain practical work experience for a possible career in public service
- Be mentored by a professional in the field
- Gain exposure to the services offered by a regional planning commission by attending commission meetings, program work groups and special MORPC-sponsored events and forums

QUESTIONS

Contact Eileen Leuby, MORPC Member Services Officer, eleuby@morpc.org 614-381-0111.

APPLY

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