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City Posts New Discussion Online

Harrisonburg, Va. – The city of Harrisonburg has posted a new discussion to solicit feedback from residents.

A discussion pertaining to the process in which Harrisonburg School Board members are elected has been posted to www.BeHeardHarrisonburg.org.

In recent weeks, the possibility of changing how school board members are elected, eliminating the wards and perhaps changing to an odd number of school board members has been discussed.

“We felt this was an opportunity to continue the dialogue between city officials and the community to gain more insight to this process,” said Kai Degner, councilmember. Any change to the school board election process would be voted on by city council following a public hearing. The current election process is found in city code section 17-1-2 at https://www.municode.com/library/va/harrisonburg/codes/code_of_ordinances.

Be Heard Harrisonburg is an online platform, where members of the community can post ideas, comment on discussions and support ideas they like.

To access this discussion, simply go to www.BeHeardHarrisonburg.org and click on the discussion titled, *School Board Election Process*.

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