



Town of Whitestown Plan Commission

Establishment and Membership:

The WPC is generally governed by [Indiana Code 36-7-4-100](#) et seq. All of their authority (whether or not considered independent) comes from the statutes. The specific issue of WPC membership is generally in IC 36-7-4-207(b).

The WPC is composed of 7 voting members:

- 3 members are appointed by the Town Council. They must be elected or appointed officials of the Town or employees of the Town. Their term is generally coextensive with their office, except that the Council can appoint someone new in their place at the Council's first regular meeting each year (i.e., the January council meeting).
- 4 citizen members are appointed by the Council President, of whom no more than 2 may be from the same political party. Their terms are 4 years, and they may only be removed for cause.

Description:

The Whitestown Plan Commission (WPC) is the land use and development policy body for the Town of Whitestown and is the decision-making body for site plan review, preliminary and final plats, and final Planned Unit Developments (PUD's). The WPC acts in an advisory capacity to the Town Council for rezoning requests, preliminary PUD's, and amendments to the Development Ordinance. The WPC also advises the Town Council on the adoption of, and amendments to, the Town Comprehensive Plan.