



Steven M. Neuhaus  
County Executive

## **VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

### **ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING PLANNER GRADE 14**

The Department of Planning is accepting applications for the position of Planner. This position is allocated to the competitive class. The nature of this appointment is provisional, pending the outcome of a Civil Service Examination. Civil Service Examination will be announced at a later date. The work involves responsibility for assisting in the development of plans and programs on a municipal, county or regional level as administered through the Orange County Department of Planning and Development. The work is carried out in accordance with established policies and procedures and involves the performance of a variety of planning activities related to water, sewer and land use, environmental, natural and recreational resources, community facilities, housing, transit and transportation. Work is performed under the general supervision of the Commissioner of Planning, Deputy Commissioner, and senior staff with latitude for independent judgment in carrying out the details of the work. Supervision may be exercised over assigned staff or consultants. Does related work as required.

#### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** Either:

- (A) Possession of a Master's degree in Community, Regional, Urban or City Planning; OR
- (B) Possession of a Master's degree in Architecture, Civil Engineering, Environmental Studies, Geographic Information Systems, Geography, Government, Historic Preservation, Landscape Architecture, Public Administration or related field and **one (1) year** of experience in municipal, county or regional planning; OR
- (C) Possession of a Bachelor's degree or higher in Community, Regional, Urban or City Planning, Architecture, Civil Engineering, Environmental Studies, Geographic Information Systems, Geography, Government, Historic Preservation, Landscape Architecture, Public Administration or related field and two (2) years of experience in municipal, county or regional planning; OR
- (D) One (1) year of experience as a Planner Trainee in the Orange County Department of Planning.

**NOTE:** Your degree must have been awarded by a college or university accredited by a regional, national, or specialized agency recognized as an accrediting agency by the U.S. Department of Education/U.S. Secretary of Education. If your degree was awarded by an educational institution outside the United States and its territories, you must provide independent verification of equivalency. A list of acceptable companies who provide this service can be found on the Internet at <http://www.cs.ny.gov/jobseeker/degrees.cfm>. You must pay the required evaluation fee.

**2025 Starting Salary:** Orange County Employees, as per contract Grade 14  
New Employees, Grade 15: \$36.2065/hour  
\$75,309.52 annually (40-hour work week)

### **CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION IS A REQUIREMENT FOR PERMANENT APPOINTMENT**

#### **SUBMIT RESUME AND APPLICATION TO:**

Commissioner of Planning  
Orange County Department of Planning  
124 Main Street  
Goshen, NY 10924  
Or via email to:  
[erussell@orangecountygov.com](mailto:erussell@orangecountygov.com)

Employment applications can be downloaded from Orange County's website. Please visit [www.orangecountygov.com](http://www.orangecountygov.com) and follow the link to the Department of Human Resources page. Or download directly here: [Application for Employment Application](#)

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