

HOW TO REQUEST ETHICAL ADVICE

The Board of Ethics, if requested, gives official written advisory opinions to city employees, elected officers and board and commission members about Code of Ethics issues and also considers whether waivers should be given if an action would violate the Code of Ethics but the action would be in the city's best interest. A request for an official advisory opinion and/or a waiver must be made in writing by letter or e-mail giving the specific facts and issues to the Denver Board of Ethics in care of the Board's Executive Director, Lori Weiser. No special form is required. The Board considers cases at its monthly meetings. The Board prefers that the person requesting an advisory opinion attend the meeting to answer any questions.

The Board's Executive Director is also able to give quick, unofficial advisory opinions by e-mail, telephone or personal discussion to city personnel or citizens – 720-865-8412 or lori.weiser@denvergov.org.