

Boards & Commissions Application



I am interested in serving on the following boards/commissions. (Please indicate the order of preference).

1. Tree Advisory Board
2. Economic Development Advisory Committee

As an applicant/member of a Council-appointed Board or Commission, your name, address, and phone number will be available to the press and public. Information will be kept on file for three years. Public discussion of information contained herein may occur in the meeting at which appointments are considered by the City Council.

Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss. Dr. (Please type or print clearly)

Name: Henry Jon W Date: Sep 12, 15
(Last) (First) (M.I)

Home Address: 854 Old Furnace Road Zip Code: 22802

Phone Number: 5405226869 Alternate Phone: _____

Occupation: Artist Employer/Organization: Self & JMU

E-mail: jon.henry@richmond.edu Harrisonburg resident for 3 years.

Were you referred by anyone: Yes No Name of Referring Party: _____

How did you hear about volunteering on a board or commission? Cable Website Council Meeting
 Other: _____

Why do you wish to serve on a board or commission?

I've always been interested in civic participation.
I want to become more involved in my local community.
I have worked with trees as a materials in my own artwork and as an assistant at a wordshop.
I think this Tree Board will be insightful for my own life. I also think I will be able to contribute meaningful ideas via the board in regard to aesthetics.

What relevant experience or education do you have to this board or commission?

I have an MA in Art & Public Policy from NYU|Tisch.
I also graduated from the Harrisonburg's Citizen Academy.

I've also grown up on a farm and forest.

What other interests or concerns do you have regarding the community?

I am interested in how public art and the arts are incorporated into the community and planning.
I am concerned about the Downtown Community and its longevity, health, and development.

Please list any past or present community involvement e.g. City Council, Board and Commissions, Citizen Academy, etc. in Harrisonburg or elsewhere:

Citizen Academy

-Please return completed application to the City Manager's Office-

Applicants are encouraged to attach a resume or other supporting information that may be helpful to Council in considering their application.

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