

Boards & Commissions Application



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

1. Tree Advisory Board 2. _____

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: Mortenson Christopher Date: 01/19/18
(Last) (First) (M.I)

Home Address: 405 West Market Street, Harrisoburg, VA 22801 Own/Rent? own

Phone Number: 703-517-4759 Alternate Phone: _____

Occupation: substitute teacher Employer/Organization: HCPS

E-mail: moretech66@gmail.com Harrisonburg resident for 25 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 have a 10/1 rule for every 10 hours I work I volunteer 1 hour, currently I volunteer at Valley Voice reading the news on the radio. I also went through the Harrisonburg citizens academy with Mary Hope Vass and the Police citizens academy (twice). So I recognize how important it is for the citizens of Harrisonburg to be involved with the way their city operates and looks....and I like trees :o)

What relevant experience or education do you have to this board or commission?
I do not have a lot of experience for this particular board but I am willing to put in the hours and the hard work to learn what is needed!

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

I guess I am curious how all the boards work in that do they all operate independently or is their one central governing body over all the boards, and they meet together.

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

I went through the Harrisonburg citizens academy (with Mary Hope Vass) and the Police citizens academy...(twice, with Officer Mike Gangloff). I'm also a reader with the Valley Voice Reading Service based out of the WRMA studios where every Friday I am the voice of The Daily Progress Newspaper. of which I believe only my mother listens!

-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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