

Boards & Commissions Application



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

- 1. Stormwater Advisory Committee
- 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: Mueller Christopher G Date: March 17, 2015
(Last) (First) (M.I)

Home Address: 242 E. Water St. Apt. 416 Zip Code: 22801

Phone Number: 540-560-8505 Alternate Phone: _____

Occupation: Planner/Stormwater Mgmt Specialist Employer/Organization: The Berkley Group

E-mail: chris@bgllc.net Harrisonburg resident for 15 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 am passionate about my city and the environmental issues within our community. Stormwater management is an immensely important issue in this city, state, and region. Operating the stormwater management program requires significant effort and funding, and I believe my insight and expertise will serve as a benefit to the City's ongoing efforts to reduce pollutants and educate the public on stormwater impacts. As a citizen, I aim to do my part every day to maintain a community I am proud to call home. Serving as a member of the Stormwater Advisory Committee would be a privilege, and a primary means to contribute to the city I love and aspire to preserve.

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

I served as a proud member of the City of Harrisonburg's Department of Public Works for two years and assisted in the development and implementation of the City's MS4 Stormwater program. I have utilized the extensive knowledge and skill set I acquired as a member of the Public Works team to now serve as a Planner and Stormwater Management Specialist for The Berkley Group consulting firm. I currently assist several Virginia localities with the planning and implementation of their MS4 programs. I regularly attend training sessions and information meetings to remain current on stormwater management regulations and practices.

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

I am both amazed and interested in the continued growth and diversification of Harrisonburg's Downtown. As a resident of Downtown, I hope to see this growth continue. As an environmentalist, the growing trend towards a more "green" Harrisonburg is also of great interest to me. I look forward to seeing the implementation of renewable energy technologies in the City.

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

I have not served on any City Boards, City Council, or participated in Citizen Academy.

I have been an active volunteer for the Harrisonburg-Rockingham Boys and Girls Clubs, and have also volunteered for both Harrisonburg City Schools and Rockingham County Schools on numerous occasions.

-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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