

Application Form

Profile

Prefix	William	T	Howe	Suffix
	First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	

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Email Address

2090 Tailor Dr.	Suite or Apt	
Home Address		
Harrisonburg	VA	22801
City	State	Postal Code

How many years have you been a resident of Harrisonburg?

2.6

Mobile: (201) 983-3474	
Primary Phone	Alternate Phone

Retired	Teacher
Employer	Job Title

Demographics - (Submission of this information if voluntary and will not subject you to any adverse treatment should you chose to not complete)

Ethnicity

☒ Other

Gender

☒ Male

What is your age?

☒ 50+ years old

Are you reapplying for a current position you hold? *

☒ No

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Tree Advisory Board: On Agenda

Interests & Experiences

Please tell us about yourself and why you want to serve.

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

Jeremy Harold suggested I should apply as I would be able to make some positive contributions to the Public Tree Advisor Board.

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

EPSAC.... birding - retention pond plantings/ wildflowers...water quality and run off... Renew Rocktown - Green Fair

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

certified Virginia Master Naturalist.....Completed tree surveys at the Rose (JMU) Arboretum. Supported and directed a college workforce at the Keister Elementary plantings.. TWorked as an tree arborist for 4 months.. Bachelor in Management Science, Masters in Teaching, 6 years as an engineering headhunter, 24 years as a math and science teacher,

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

EPSAC - Harrisonburg Renew Rocktown - Rocktown Green Fair - currently in planning Steering Committee - Community Action Alliance for the Valley Environmental Commission - Old Tappan NJ Tree Committee - Old Tappan NJ. Harrisonburg Unitarian Universalist Facility Manager

[Upload a Resume](#)

EPSAC Applicants only

Question applies to Environmental Performance Standards Committee (EPSAC)

City Council is seeking EPSAC members to represent broad stakeholder interests within the city. If you will be participating on the EPSAC as a representative of a business, group, or organization, please provide the name of the business, group, or organization and indicate what stakeholder category the group represents. If more than one, please list all. A. Residents, civic leagues, homeowners associations. B. Institutional and tax exempt entities including colleges and churches. C. Business community including residential, commercial and industrial property owners, malls, and business groups. D. Professional engineers, real estate developers, and construction contractors. E. Special interest groups that represent economic development, environmental or outdoor recreation. F. Others, education professionals from the local schools and city staff: PLEASE CHOOSE ONE FROM THE DROP DOWN BOX *

☒ A: Resident, civic leagues, homeowners associations\,

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Name of business, group or organization you would represent?

renew rocktown

Bike/Pedestrian Subcommittee Applicants only

Question applies to Bicycle-Pedestrian Subcommittee

Are you subscribed to the City's Bike-Ped email list?

☒ Yes ☐ No

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If not subscribed to the City's Bike-Ped email list would you like to be?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to Bicycle-Pedestrian Subcommittee

How many Bike-Ped Subcommittee meetings have you attended/watched in the last 12 months? (Applicants are welcome and encouraged to attend a meeting and introduce themselves)

1

Question applies to Bicycle-Pedestrian Subcommittee

The usual meeting days/times are listed at: www.harrisonburgva.gov/bicycle-pedestrian-subcommittee. Will you be able to attend meetings based on the meeting schedule? (Note: This is a working committee, and sometimes requires some work outside of meetings.)

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to Bicycle-Pedestrian Subcommittee

What experience or interest do you have that will help you on the Bicycle & Pedestrian Subcommittee?

I ride on the local roads. I used to hire engineers for large projects and know how to communicate with them and read the maps/plans. I lived in the non bike friendly (pro car) New Jersey metropolitan area. I own/share 4 electric bikes .. and 2 regular bikes. I retired as a teacher/ I was a union executive.

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Please list any other information that may indicate your interest in an appointment by the Transportation Safety & Advisory Commission to the Bicycle & Pedestrian Subcommittee.

I am a bit pushy (motivated=passionate) when it comes to getting things done. I enjoy finding the "low hanging fruit" (easier to implement/ lower cost) .. I am comfortable utilizing publicity for certain actions. I am now retired after 24 years a teacher (I have time and can coordinate actions) .. I was a union executive. (can deal with policy makers)..