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Greater than 10 years

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Which Board is your First Choice? *

Historic District Commission

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Historic District Commission: Eligible

How did you find out about this opportunity? (select all that apply by holding down the shift key)

Other (provide additional information below)

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Preservation Society and with HDC
issues

If you chose "Other" from the advertising opportunity listed above, please specify specify:

Interests & Experiences

What perspective(s) do you bring to the board(s), commission(s), committee(s) or task force(s) to which you are applying?

I have lived and worked in the Historic District for many years, and believe that the preservation of its historic character is one of our most important duties. I have represented clients before the HDC, been a member of and represented the Preservation Society, (now Preservation Chapel Hill), and complained long and loudly about the importance of protecting the trees, open spaces, and historic structures there. I have restored and lived in two homes in the Historic District, and I have served as Trustee/Owner of several office/commercial buildings here, including preservation and sale for restoration of the Old First Methodist Church building at the corner of East Rosemary and Henderson Streets. I have served on the Town's Board of Aldermen (1975-79), as Mayor Pro Tem (1977-79); as an original Board Member of OWASA, then as Counsel to OWASA (1983-2016); as a Member of the N.C. Environmental Management Commission (1992-2002); and as a Trustee of the N.C. Parks and Recreation Trust Fund (2004-2012). I have also served as General Counsel to many public Boards and Agencies, including the Inter-Faith Council for Social Services, the Orange Rape Crisis Center, as a Founding Board Member and Counsel to Orange Coalition for Prevention of Family Violence. I have many years of experience in helping persons navigate and proceed properly with matters under consideration by the elected bodies and their appointed Boards and Commissions in Orange County, and indeed throughout the State. I would be mindful that the HDC is already represented by Town of Chapel Hill Counsel, and I would be careful not to be casual about the importance of his or her advice; I am primarily interested in bringing my experience and interests in conflict mediation to my service with this body. I would like to bring my perspective and experience to add to the mix of ideas and interests that express the mission and drive the work of the Historic District Commission.

Question applies to Historic District Commission

Do you have special interest, experience, or education in history, architecture, archaeology, or related fields? If yes, please explain.

Yes. I have lived in three different historic homes in the Historic District since it was formed in 1975, including living in my present home there since 1995. I have restored two of those homes, both of which have been deemed worthy to be placed on the Preservation Society's Christmas tour twice. I have represented the Preservation Society on and off, with other good pro-bono lawyers locally, since 1990, and am quite familiar with applicable statutes, ordinances, regulations, guidelines and other materials pertinent to historic preservation. I love the old historic homes in Chapel Hill, including the yards and spaces surrounding them, and I am very interested in preserving the special character of our Historic Districts.

Please provide a brief summary of any other relevant qualifications (skills, abilities, interests and/or experience) you bring.

I also served as a member of the Board of Aldermen for the Town of Chapel Hill 1975-79, and as Mayor Pro-Tem from 1977-79. (The Town Council was designated the Board of Aldermen in those days.) I have more than forty years of experience serving on, representing, and appearing before local government bodies here and elsewhere in North Carolina. I was appointed to serve on the HDC in February 2017, to fill an expiring term. I would like to be re-appointed to be able to serve a full term, and especially to finish my term as Commission Chair, to which I was elected in September, 2017. I have practiced law in Chapel Hill since 1972, where, after graduating from UNC and UNC School of Law, I began teaching as a member of the faculty of the Institute of Government, then transitioned into private practice, and have since operated my law firm with my law partner Joe Hackney in downtown Chapel Hill. I am licensed to practice as an Attorney and Counsellor at Law by the North Carolina Supreme Court, and I am admitted to practice as a member of the United States Supreme Court Bar, as well as before the trial and federal Courts of the Fourth Federal Circuit Court of Appeals, each of the Federal District Courts in North Carolina. For more than forty years I have practiced in the local District and Superior Courts in the trial division of the North Carolina General Court of Justice, and I have argued cases in the Court of Appeals, and the Supreme Court of North Carolina.

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Ethnicity

Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

Gender

Male

If other, please describe:

Please select your age from the following list. *

over 55

Attorney

Occupation

Are you a Town of Chapel Hill employee?

Yes No

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1-3 years

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Which Board is your First Choice? *

Parks, Greenways & Recreation Commission

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Parks, Greenways and Recreation Commission: Eligible

Historic District Commission: Eligible

Question applies to Parks, Greenways and Recreation Commission

Select a Seat Category for the Parks, Greenways and Recreation Commission *

Chapel Hill Resident

How did you find out about this opportunity? (select all that apply by holding down the shift key)

Internet

Social Media

If you chose "Other" from the advertising opportunity listed above, please specify specify:

Interests & Experiences

What perspective(s) do you bring to the board(s), commission(s), committee(s) or task force(s) to which you are applying?

I served on the Youth Advisory Commission to the mayor in my hometown (Omaha, NE) and found the experience rewarding and productive; now that I am a UNC-CH student, I want to be involved and give back in the same way here in Chapel Hill. To me, civic engagement is an important part of being a citizen. Getting involved in my new city is how I want to contribute. For the Parks, Greenways and Recreation Commission in particular, I am interested in land management and the creation of public spaces

Question applies to Historic District Commission

Do you have special interest, experience, or education in history, architecture, archaeology, or related fields? If yes, please explain.

Please provide a brief summary of any other relevant qualifications (skills, abilities, interests and/or experience) you bring.

[ResumeMizener.pdf](#)

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Ethnicity

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Gender

Female

If other, please describe:

Please select your age from the following list. *

18-24

student

Occupation

Are you a Town of Chapel Hill employee?

Yes No

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EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, class of 2020

Political Science and Economics major, Computer Science minor; cumulative GPA: 3.91

Westside High School, Omaha, NE

Valedictorian out of 482, graduated May 2016; cumulative GPA: 4.00

HONORS

Morehead-Cain Scholar

Dean's list, 2 semesters

U.S. Presidential Scholar

National Merit Finalist

Omaha World-Herald All-State Academic Team

BBB Student Service Excellence Award

Outstanding Junior Girl; Outstanding Sophomore Girl

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Editor, Craze Magazine, 2015-2016

- Produced and edited content for award-winning student-run culture and arts magazine
- Collaborated with editorial staff and administrative faculty throughout the publication process

Team captain, Westside High School varsity basketball, 2015-2016

- Led practices and off-season workouts, organized team activities, and reviewed game film
- Captained 2016 team to a state tournament berth, earned Academic All-State honors

Delegate, Omaha Mayor's Youth Advisory Council, 2014-2016

- Advised Mayor Jean Stothert and staff on youth-interest and urban development issues

Project leader, Westside High School DECA, 2015-2016

- Designed and implemented awareness campaign and fundraiser to combat domestic violence
- Presentation won state-level awards and competed at Int'l Career Development Conference

ACTIVITIES

Pleiades club ultimate frisbee team treasurer; 2017 Atlantic Coast Freshman of the Year

Hurricane Island Outward Bound School, summer 2016

American Legion Auxiliary Cornhusker Girls State

National Honor Society

Varsity track

WORK EXPERIENCE

Intern, Maya Mountain Research Farm (environmental NGO in Toledo District, Belize) summer 2017

- Practiced and taught agricultural sustainability, agroforestry, and environmental management techniques at one of the best examples of working permaculture in the world

Hostess, Plank Seafood Provisions, summer 2015

- Provided friendly customer service and aided in food service and preparation

Research assistant, Travis B. Lewis Scholar at the University of Nebraska Medical Center's Department of Pharmacology and Experimental Neuroscience, summer 2014

- Aided in tryptic digest and other mass spectrometry protocols to prepare samples for analysis

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Historic District Commission

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Email

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Interests & Experiences

What perspective(s) do you bring to the board(s), commission(s), committee(s) or task force(s) to which you are applying?

I have always been curious about the historic homes and other buildings in Chapel Hill and would love to be involved in the town's efforts to preserve them.

Question applies to Historic District Commission

Do you have special interest, experience, or education in history, architecture, archaeology, or related fields? If yes, please explain.

I have a deep interest in history and am a supporter of the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. I love old houses and am interested in their preservation.

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Graphic Designer

Occupation

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- 4-9 years
 - Greater than 10 years
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Which Board is your First Choice? *

- Historic District Commission

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

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- Advisory Board or Council member

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What perspective(s) do you bring to the board(s), commission(s), committee(s) or task force(s) to which you are applying?

I have served on the HDC for two years now, fulfilling a partial term. I have been elected to positions as Deputy Chair and Vice Chair. Currently, I am also chairing a committee to oversee the updating of our Design Guidelines. This role has involved working with the state SHPO and Town officials to develop a grant application, creating an agenda of preliminary work including processing the 1992 Inventory of Chapel Hill's historic resources, completing the recent National Register standard inventory of the local historic districts, and working with a private foundation and Preservation Chapel Hill to support that work. Over the years, I have valued this opportunity to serve the town.

Question applies to Historic District Commission

Do you have special interest, experience, or education in history, architecture, archaeology, or related fields? If yes, please explain.

I have extensive professional training as an American historian, including a doctorate and a number of post-docs; since 2003 I have taught in the History Department at UNC Chapel Hill. My range of interests include architectural history, cultural landscapes, and material culture. In recent years, I have taught a first year seminar on Chapel Hill's cultural landscapes, which explores local architectural history and urban development.

Please provide a brief summary of any other relevant qualifications (skills, abilities, interests and/or experience) you bring.

I grew up in an historic district and have lived most of my life in historic districts in various parts of the country.

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Gender

Male

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35-54

Historian

Occupation

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Yes No

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