

Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency (CRTPA) CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPLICATION

Please return to: Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency 4 th Floor, City Hall 300 South Adams Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301 Email: koeppep@talgov.com FAX: 891-8734	Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency • 4 th FLOOR CITY HALL • 300 S. ADAMS STREET TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301	This application will remain in active files for two years. Please call or write the CRTPA to advise of any changes regarding the information on this application.
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Name: PATRICK GRAY Date: 3-30-08

Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: 656-8836 Email: drsgrey@comcast.net

Occupation: Retired (University Professor)

Employer: _____

Please check box for preferred mailing address.

Work Address:

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Address: 4720 Plantation View Drive

City/State/Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32311

The Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency strives to ensure that its citizens advisory committee is representative of the community's demographic makeup. To assist in this endeavor, please check the appropriate Race and Gender box.

Please also note if you are physically challenged. Yes No

Race: American Indian or Alaskan Native Black Other White
 Asian or Pacific Islander Hispanic

Gender: Female Male

Identify any potential conflicts of interest that might occur were you to be appointed:

	Do you ride the bus? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
	Do you drive a car? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Do you bicycle to work/shopping? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
	Do you bicycle for recreation? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
	Do you walk to work/shopping? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Do you walk for recreation? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Can you serve a full three-year term? Yes No

Can you regularly attend meetings? Yes No

Conflicts: _____

Education: St. Leo Prep. School

(High School attended) _____ (Degree received, if applicable)

FSU, FAU, UF B.S., M.Ed., Ed.D.

(College/University/Graduate School attended) _____ (Degree received, if applicable)

If you have a disability requiring accommodations, please contact the CRTPA at (850) 891-8540. The telephone number of the Florida Relay TDD Service is 711 or 1-800-955-8771.

CITIZEN ADVISORY BOARD/COMMITTEE APPLICATION

Please provide biographical information about yourself (attach a resume, if available). Identify previous experience on other boards/committees; charitable/community activities; and skills or services you could contribute to this board/committee:

Bio - attached

References (at least one):

Name: M. B. Adelson III (HOA Legal Counsel) Phone: 850-412-0306

Address: 310 West College Avenue Tallahassee, FL 32301

Name: Henry Pollock - Prog. Director - Educator Refection Phone: 850-245-0546

Address: 325 W. Gaines, St. Tallahassee, FL 32399

Name: Laurie Apgar OMC Manager Phone: 850-245-3151

Address: 3900 Commonwealth Blvd. Dept. Environmental Protection

All statements and information provided in this application are true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: Desmond Patrick Gray, Jr.

BIOGRAPHY

DR. PATRICK GRAY

Dr. Patrick Gray serves as President of the Piney-Z Plantation Homeowners Association. He also represents that HOA with the Leon County Council of Neighborhood Associations.

Dr. Gray was an Associate Professor of Education in the Educational Leadership Program at Barry University. He taught graduate and doctoral courses in school law, ethics, research, leadership, policy development, and organizational change. He holds a B.S. degree from Florida State University, M.Ed. from Florida Atlantic University, and Ed.D. from the University of Florida, with post-doctoral study of school law at Harvard University, and international civil law at Oxford University.

Dr. Gray served the Dade County Public Schools as Associate Superintendent for Professional Standards and Operations, where he directed quality employment, performance and personnel standards for more than 43,000 employees. As Associate Superintendent for the Bureau of legislative Relations and Policy Development, he developed the Miami-Dade School Board's state and federal programs. After his retirement Dr. Gray was contracted (pro bono) by the School Board to direct the search and selection processes for the Superintendent and the School Board Attorney; in that service he supervised actions by the Community Selection Committees and the contracted international search firm.

State legislation and regulations have been written by Dr. Gray on personnel records, employee evaluation, and the Code of Ethics for the Education Profession in Florida. He directed the Orange Bowl Parades, chaired the Dade County Addiction Services Board, and was appointed to the Miami-Dade County Alliance for Ethical Government.

Dr. Gray was appointed by the Commissioner of Education to serve on the Florida Education Practices Commission, and was elected Chair by his Commission colleagues. He served on the Council of Great City Schools Assistance Team for urban school districts, and has given presentations and seminars nationally and internationally on subjects ranging from Due Process to AIDS Policies to Performance Evaluation and Professional Ethics. The Florida Department of Education appointed Him to both development and validation teams for the Florida Education Leadership Examination.

Legally qualified as an expert witness in performance evaluation, professional ethics and personnel management, Dr. Gray represents the Florida Department of Education, and selected school districts in litigation involving both licensure and employment. Dr. Gray served as a teacher, principal, and in executive level positions. He was selected Educator of the Year for the Dade County Public Schools, and Volunteer of the Year by Youth Crime Watch. He served two elected terms as President of the Florida Association of School Personnel Administrators, and was named the Florida Distinguished Public Schools Educator for 1989 by Florida State University.