

ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPLICATION FOR BOARD APPOINTMENT

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Name: Suzanne M. (Sue) Dick		Date: 09-25-09
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Occupation: President	Employer: Greater Tallahassee Chamber of Commerce & The Economic Development Council of Tallahassee/Leon County, Inc.	
<p>Please check box for preferred mailing address.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Work Address: P.O. Box 1639 City/State/Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32302 (Street Adr: 100 N. Duval Street 32301)</p>		
<p>Home Address: City/State/Zip:</p>		
<p>Do you live in Leon County? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, do you live within the City limits? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Do you own property in Leon County? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, is it located within the City limits? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>For how many years have you lived and/or owned property in Leon County? <u>18</u> years</p>		
<p>Are you interested in serving on any specific Committee(s)? If yes, please indicate your preference</p> <p>1st Choice: <u>Leon County Charter Review Committee</u> 2nd Choice:</p>		
<p>If not interested in any specific Committee(s), are you interested in a specific subject matter? If yes, please check those areas in which you are interested, or describe other areas not listed:</p> <p>Human Services __ Housing __ Health Care __ Science __ Library Services __ Growth Management __ Tourist Development __ Transportation __ Bicycle/Pedestrian __ Parks & Recreation __ Code Enforcement __ Other Areas _____</p>		
<p>Have you served on any previous Leon County committees? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If Yes, on what Committee(s) have you served? _____</p>		
<p>How many days per month would you be willing to commit for Committee work? <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 to 3 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4 or more</p> <p>And for how many months would you be willing to commit that amount of time? <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 to 5 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 6 or more</p> <p>What time of day would be best for you to attend Committee meetings? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Day <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Night</p>		
<p><i>(OPTIONAL)</i> Leon County strives to meet its goals, and those contained in various federal and state laws, of maintaining a membership in its Advisory Committees that reflects the diversity of the community. Although strictly optional for Applicant, the following information is needed to meet reporting requirements and attain those goals.</p> <p>Race: <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female Age: <u>45</u> Disabled? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Persons needing a special accommodation to participate in an Advisory Committee should contact Christine Coble by telephone at 606-5300 or e-mail at CobleC@mail.co.leon.fl.us</p>		

In the space below briefly describe or list the following: any previous experience on other Committees; your educational background; your skills and experience you could contribute to a Committee; any of your professional licenses and/or designations and indicate how long you have held them and whether they are effective in Leon County; any charitable or community activities in which you participate; and reasons for your choice of the Committee indicated on this Application. Please attach your resume, if one is available.

It would be an honor to serve on the County Charter Review Committee. I have served as President of the Greater Tallahassee Chamber of Commerce and the Economic Development Council of Tallahassee/Leon County for 9 years. (Occupational and educational experience can be found on the attached resume.) On a daily basis, I have the opportunity to interact with small business owners, non-profit agencies and public sector community leaders to discuss key issues facing our community. My reason for wanting to serve on this Committee is to provide recommendation as it relates to county governance, accountability, efficiencies and accessibility. I would actively participate in the discussions and provide recommendations that might ensure and enhance Leon County's constitution.

During the past several years Leon County has proven its partnership with the business community through programs such as; Vision 2020, working with Innovation Park Board to restructure and maximize business development opportunities, and the Enterprise Zone Designation and Administration. Just to name a few. My hope is that the business community and local government can mutually benefit through this process. Resume/Affiliations are attached.

References (you must provide at least one personal reference who is not a family member):

Name: Mark O'Bryant Telephone: 850-431-5380

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IMPORTANT LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

AS A MEMBER OF AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE, YOU WILL BE OBLIGATED TO FOLLOW ANY APPLICABLE LAWS REGARDING GOVERNMENT-IN-THE-SUNSHINE, CODE OF ETHICS FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS, AND PUBLIC RECORDS DISCLOSURE. THE CONSEQUENCES OF VIOLATING THESE APPLICABLE LAWS INCLUDE CRIMINAL PENALTIES, CIVIL FINES, AND THE VOIDING OF ANY COMMITTEE ACTION AND OF ANY SUBSEQUENT ACTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. IN ORDER TO BE FAMILIAR WITH THESE LAWS AND TO ASSIST YOU IN ANSWERING THE QUESTIONS BELOW, YOU MUST COMPLETE AN ORIENTATION BEFORE YOUR APPLICATION IS DEEMED COMPLETE.

- Have you completed the Orientation? Yes X No
Are you willing to complete a financial disclosure form, if applicable? Yes X No
Will you be receiving any compensation that is expected to influence your vote, action, or participation on a Committee? Yes X No If yes, from whom?
Do you anticipate that you would be a stakeholder with regard to your participation on a Committee? Yes X No
Do you know of any circumstances that would result in you having to abstain from voting on a Committee due to voting conflicts? Yes X No If yes, please explain
Do you or your employer, or your wife or child or their employers, do business with Leon County? X Yes No If yes, please explain The Economic Development Council of Tallahassee/Leon County, FL, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) and has an annual contract with Leon County
Do you have any employment or contractual relationship with Leon County that would create a continuing or frequently recurring conflict with regard to your participation on a Committee? Yes X No If yes, please explain

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- Objective** Continue to establish and implement programs and initiatives, which directly effect development of business, resulting in job creation, and enhancement of the quality of life in our community, by serving as President/CEO of the Greater Tallahassee Chamber of Commerce and the Economic Development Council of Tallahassee/Leon County.
- Summary of Qualifications** Eighteen years of executive management experience in business and economic development, community relations and overall administrative functions within the Tallahassee/Leon County area. Analytical decision-maker with excellent problem-solving skills, high principles and strong work ethic. Recognized for successful leadership with aptitude for assessing issues and conflicts in a professional, unbiased manner and developing a plan of action with measurable results. Ability to motivate and engage diverse individuals to become part of the solution.
- Experience**
- April 2000—Present
President, Greater Tallahassee Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development Council of Tallahassee/Leon County
Tallahassee, Florida
- December 1999—2000
Interim President, Greater Tallahassee Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development County of Tallahassee/Leon County
Tallahassee, Florida
- Responsible for overall operation of Chamber and EDC, including fiscal management of \$1.3 million budget, supervision of all departments and staff, reporting functions, development and implementation of strategic plans.
 - Represent the Chamber and EDC as spokesperson to community, media, local and state government.
 - Work closely with Chairmen, Executive Committee and Board of Directors to ensure maximum effectiveness in formulation and successful realization of all Chamber and EDC initiatives and policies.
- July 1996—December 1999
Senior Vice President, Greater Tallahassee Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development Council of Tallahassee/Leon County
Tallahassee, Florida
- Serve as a representative for the President in his duties as the Chief Executive and Operating Officer of the Chamber and EDC.
 - Assist President in implementing and overseeing of all fiscal and administrative responsibilities.
 - Directly accountable for Membership/Marketing, Programs/Special Events, Research and Business Development Departments; act as Communications officer/spokesperson, responsible for press releases, advertising placement and overall public relations activity.
 - Act as Tallahassee Film Liaison and represent Tallahassee/Leon County within the Florida Film Commissioners' Association.
 - Implemented WorldClass Schools of Leon County initiative and served as Program Director.

1993—1996

Vice President of Programs and Administration, Tallahassee Area Convention and Visitors Bureau
Tallahassee, Florida

- Oversaw and managed Bureau activities as related to budget, membership, program and business development, community relations and overall administrative functions.
- Board of Directors' management
- Participated and oversaw targeted marketing opportunities with the Leon County Tourist Development Council and the contracted public relations/advertising agency.

1989—1990

Director of Sales and Marketing, Tallahassee Area Convention and Visitors Bureau
Tallahassee, Florida

- Implemented a sales plan to generate overall visitor business and economic impact within the meeting/convention and tour/travel areas.
- Created the Tallahassee Film Office and obtained certification as a Camera Ready Community from the Florida Department of Commerce, providing the opportunity to pursue projects within the feature film, television movie, music recording, and commercial arenas.

1989—1990

Senior National Sales Manager, Miami Airport Hilton
Miami, Florida

1988—1989

Sales Manager, Fontainebleau Hilton
Miami, Florida

1986—1988

Assistant Director of Public Relations, Fontainebleau Hilton
Miami, Florida

Education

Bachelor of Science
Florida State University
Graduated June 1986

**Professional Associations/
Community Involvement
Experiences**

- American Society of Association Executives
- Economic Club of Florida – Board Member
- Florida Economic Development Council
- Florida Film Commissioners Association
- Florida's Great Northwest – Board of Directors
- Florida Society of Association Executives
- Miami Chamber of Commerce
- Northwest Florida Tourism Council
- Tallahassee Society of Association Executives

**Current Board
Involved/Affiliations**

- Florida Chamber Professionals Association
- Leadership Florida – Class 24
- Leadership Tallahassee – Class 16
- Knight Foundation Community Advisory Committee
- Tallahassee Regional Airport Advisory Council – Vice Chair

References

Personal and professional references provided upon request.