

ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPLICATION FOR BOARD APPOINTMENT

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 To advise the County of any changes please contact Christine Coble
 by telephone at 606-5300 or by e-mail at CobleC@leoncountyfl.gov
 Applications will be discarded if no appointment is made after two years.



Name: Terri Messler Date: 9-17-10

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Occupation: ADA Compliance and Safety Employer: DEP - Florida Park Service

Please check box for preferred mailing address.
 Work Address: 3900 Commonwealth Blvd. MS 535
 City/State/Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32399

Home Address: 9171 Ravena Road
 City/State/Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32309
 * Please use this address for mailing address.

Do you live in Leon County? Yes No If yes, do you live within the City limits? Yes No
 Do you own property in Leon County? Yes No If yes, located within the City limits? Yes No

For how many years have you lived in and/or owned property in Leon County? 39 years

Are you interested in serving on any specific Committee(s)? If yes, please indicate your preference
 1st Choice: J. R. Alford Greenways Citizen's Advisory Committee
 2nd Choice: Miccosukee Canopy Road Greenways Citizen's Advisory Committee

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:
 Culture and Arts ___ Environmental/ Growth Management ___ Health Care ___ Human Relations ___
 Human Services ___ Housing ___ Library Services ___
 Other Areas _____

Have you served on any previous Leon County committees? Yes No

If Yes, on what Committee(s) have you served? Apalachee Parkway Regional Park Planning Committee

How many days per month would you be willing to commit for Committee work? 1 2 to 3 4 or more

And for how many months would you be willing to commit that amount of time? 2 3 to 5 6 or more

What time of day would be best for you to attend Committee meetings? Day Night

(OPTIONAL) 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.

Race: Caucasian African American Hispanic Asian Other
 Sex: Male Female Age: 50 Disabled? Yes No
 District 4

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@leoncountyfl.gov

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.

I previously served on the Leon County Apalachee Parkway Regional Park Planning Committee. I have served on numerous committees with the Florida Recreation and Park Association. I have a Master's Degree in Recreation and Park Administration from FSU and a Bachelor's Degree in Child Development/Family Relations, also from FSU. I am a Certified Park and Recreation Professional through the National Recreation and Park Association since 1987. I am involved with Boy Scout Troop 44, Lincoln High School Band Boosters, Blessed Sacrament Church Choir and other church ministries. I am interested in preserving the beautiful natural and cultural resources of Leon County for the outdoor recreation enjoyment of our citizens and visitors.

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

Name: Eleanor Warmack Telephone: 850-878-3221
Address: 411 Office Plaza Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32301

Name: Barbara MacDonald Telephone: 850-877-0023
Address: 9187 Ravena Road, Tallahassee, FL 32309

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 FOLLOWING QUESTIONS, YOU MUST COMPLETE THE ORIENTATION PUBLICATION www.leoncountyfl.gov/bcc/committees/training.asp BEFORE YOUR APPLICATION IS DEEMED COMPLETE.

Have you completed the Orientation? Yes No

Are you willing to complete a financial disclosure form and/or a background check, if applicable?
 Yes No

Will you be receiving any compensation that is expected to influence your vote, action, or participation on a Committee? Yes No If yes, from whom?

Do you anticipate that you would be a stakeholder with regard to your participation on a Committee?
 Yes 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 No If yes, please explain

Do you or your employer, or your spouse or child or their employers, do business with Leon County?
 Yes No
If yes, please explain

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 No
If yes, please explain

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

Signature: Terri Messler 9-17-10

Please return Application
by mail: Christine Coble, Agenda Coordinator
Leon County Board of County Commissioners
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Tallahassee, FL 32301

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