

Staff Use Only:

Council District 23

This application is a Reappointment

New Appointment

GREENVILLE COUNTY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

Human Relations Commission

(Name of Board or Commission to which you are applying)

An individual may only apply to serve on one board or commission during any election cycle.

In order for your application to be given consideration, it is critical that you answer all of the following questions as completely as possible.

Mr Mrs Ms Miss Name Ethan Johnstone

Home Address 34 2nd St. City Greenville

****You must be registered to vote in Greenville County at the time of application**

Occupation AmeriCorps Member

Employer AmeriCorps/United Way

EmployerAddress 105 Edinburgh Ct.
Greenville, SC
29607

Volunteer Experience

Meals on Wheels: Deliver hot meals to community members that have limitations in getting fresh food due to transportation, health issues, etc.

Triune Mercy Center: Assisting homeless individuals with access to local resources including food stamps and Medicaid applications, prescription drug assistance, employment application assistance, etc.

Do you currently hold any elected or appointed office or commission No

If yes, list

Have you previously held any elected or appointed office or commission? No

If yes, list

Have you ever been fined for any ethics violations? No

If so, please comment

Describe your understanding of the role of a member of the board or commission to which you are applying
As a Human Relations Commission member I would participate in the evaluation and discussion of issues relating to the betterment of Greenville County and its residents, including issues related to housing, financial stability, equal opportunity in employment and public accommodations, as well as hearing and solving complaints and disputes on these matters. I would work with committee members to promote an environment of equality among all citizens of Greenville County.

Have you ever attended a meeting of this board or commission? Yes No

Are you available to meet at the regularly scheduled date and time of the board or commission meeting? Yes No

If appointed, will you pledge to faithfully attend the meetings? Yes No

How many hours/week are you available to give to this board of commission? 5

What specific skills do you believe you could contribute as a member of this board or commission?
I am passionate about equal rights for all citizens and am able to harness that passion in an effective and productive manner. Being a transgender citizen of Greenville County, I have experienced some of the direct effects of not having the same rights as the larger community and I am able to give a voice to those with similar experiences. I have exceptional communication and organizational skills and am professional and thoughtful in my approach to problem solving and group dynamics.

Highest Degree Earned Associates in Applied Science

School Attended Greenville Technical College

Field Of Study Human Services

Do you have expertise in any of the following areas (check all that apply).

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Tourism Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Architectural |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural / Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Fire Protection Eng / Contractor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Restaurant | <input type="checkbox"/> Electrical Engineer / Contractor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hotel Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Design/Architectural / Professional Contractor |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Structural Engineer / Contractor |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Mechanical Engineer / Contractor |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing Engineer / Contractor |

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation? If so, please give details

Yes No

Are you current in payment of Greenville County property taxes?

Yes No

Do you reside in a municipality? If so, please name.

Yes No

Do you, any member of your family or a business with which you or a member of your family is associated, provide goods and/or services to this board for payment?

Yes No

Statement

By my signature, I state that all information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

I understand it is my responsibility to insure my application is submitted within the application period and that it has been received by the County Council Office.

I understand my appointment to the board for which I am applying will not result in me receiving any compensation for my service.

Signature _____ Date _____

Recommended by _____

Please return completed form to:

**Greenville County Council
301 University Ridge, Suite 2400
Greenville, SC 29601-3665**

If you have questions, please call 467-7115 or check the www.greenvillecounty.org website.