

**Staff Use Only:**

Council District 20

This application is a

Reappointment

New Appointment

Attendance Record:

100%

## GREENVILLE COUNTY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

Planning 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 Nicholas W Hollingshad

Home Address 4 Portofino Court City Greenville

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

Occupation Consultant

Employer Self

EmployerAddress 4 Portofino Court  
Greenville, SC 29609

Highest Degree Earned Ph.D.

School Attended Georgia Tech, UNT

Field Of Study Chemical Engineering, Theoretical Physics

Volunteer Experience

Greenville County Planning Commission (2016 to present)

Greenville County Parks, Recreation and Tourism Advisory Board (2016)

VITA Tax Preparer, Greenville United Way (2015 to present)

Planning and Zoning Commission, Flower Mound, TX (13 years, 11 years as Chairman)

North Shore Water Supply Corp. Board Member (2 years)

**Describe your understanding of the role of a member of the board or commission to which you are applying**

The primary function of the Planning Commission is to review and take action on neighborhood development plans and rezoning requests. The Commission is normally the final approval for neighborhood development plans, and makes recommendations to the County Council on rezoning cases. The position requires attendance at monthly Planning Commission meetings, zoning public hearings and other related meetings.

**What specific skills do you believe you could contribute as a member of this board or commission?**

I have 17 years of experience as a planning commissioner. In addition, I am a registered professional engineer and my engineering background has proved useful in cases involving, for example, traffic, drainage, or slope stability issues. Finally, my broad business and investment background enables me to better understand the economic implications of planning decisions on both the applicants (often developers or business owners) and the community (residents and nearby

How many hours/week are you available to give to this board of commission? 20

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

Do you, any member of your immediate family, or a business with which you or a family member is associated, provide goods and/or services to this board for payment?  Yes  No

Do you or any member of your immediate family receive direct services from this board?  Yes  No

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation? If so, please give details  Yes  No

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Do you currently hold any elected or appointed office or commission? Yes

If yes, list Greenville County Planning Commission

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Have you previously held any elected or appointed office or commission? Yes

If yes, list Greenville County Parks, Recreation and Tourism Advisory Board  
Flower Mound, Texas Planning and Zoning Commission

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Have you ever been fined for any ethics violations? No

If so, please explain

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Have you ever been subject to penalty relating to a violation of State ethics standards? No

If so, please explain

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Are you current in payment of Greenville County property taxes?  Yes  No

If applying for the Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee  
the Construction Board of Appeals or the Historic Preservation Commission please check  
the box that applies to your field of employment or expertise:

**Accommodations Tax Comm.**

- Tourism Industry
- Cultural / Arts
- Restaurant
- Hotel Management

**Historic Preservation Comm.**

- Archeologist
- Historian
- Architect
- Member of Historic  
Preservation Group

**Construction Board of Appeals**

- Architectural
- Fire Protection Eng / Contractor
- Electrical Engineer / Contractor
- Design/Architectural / Professional Contractor
- Structural Engineer / Contractor
- Mechanical Engineer / Contractor
- Plumbing Engineer / Contractor

**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.*

*I understand my lack of attendance resulting in three consecutive meetings or 25% of all meetings within a year may result in my removal from the board.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return completed form by mail, fax or email to:**

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

**Fax: (864) 467-7358**

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If you have questions, please call 467-7115 or check the [www.greenvillecounty.org](http://www.greenvillecounty.org) website.