



# BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLICATION

## Planning Commission

The Planning Commission meets at 4:30 p.m. on the 3rd Wednesday of each month in Conference Room D at County Square.

### Personal Information

<b>Name:</b>	Elise McGee		
<b>Prefix:</b>	Ms.	<b>Birthdate:</b>	
<b>Home Address:</b>		<b>City/State/Zip:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>		<b>Phone #:</b>	
<b>Voter Registration #:</b>		<b>Driver's License #:</b>	
<b>Employer:</b>	self	<b>Occupation:</b>	Business Development
<b>Highest Degree Earned:</b>	Master of Science	<b>School Attended:</b>	Baylor University
<b>Year of Graduation:</b>	1993	<b>Field of Study:</b>	Economics
<b>Linked In Profile:</b>		<b>Social Media Profile:</b>	

### Experience / Certifications / Interest

**Military Experience:**

NA

**Certifications:**

NA

**Civic Organizations / Other Affiliations:**

Greenville Community Church, Member and Volunteer  
Fellow, The Colson Center, Colson Fellows Program

**Volunteer Experience (please list and describe):**

South Carolina Skilled Trades Alliance, Greenville SC, Ambassador over Service Council, Volunteer  
October 2021 – Present

Women Confidence Builders, Greenville SC, Marketing & Social Media Support, Volunteer, Participant  
September 2021 – Present

Mom & Pop Alliance, Upstate SC, Supporting Member, Volunteer  
October 2021 – Present

Upstate Continuum of Care, Greenville SC, Member  
January 2023 – Present

Jasmine Road, Greenville SC, Volunteer, Supporter  
January 2018 – Present

**My interest in serving on the Planning Commission is:**

Driven to build a better Upstate SC, I'm developing a housing community for the homeless in Upstate SC. I want to ensure we utilize resources responsibly as we rapidly grow. With nearly 30 years of experience working with diverse organizations, combined with my volunteer work and passion for serving all citizens, I'm committed to bringing hope, value, and improved quality of life to everyone. Eager to contribute to local government, I seek an opportunity to serve our great county.

**Describe your understanding of the position for which you are applying:**

I will work with fellow members and full-time staff of the GCPC to build a thriving future for all residents within a vibrant community.  
We will:  
Promote public health, safety, & prosperity by developing & implementing comprehensive plans to address the needs of our growing community.  
Ensure responsible use of resources, consider long-term implications, and maximum positive impact.  
Foster collaboration & engagement with citizens, businesses, government, & stakeholders for the shared vision o

**Describe your strengths or skills that would positively contribute to the Planning Commission:**

- New Business Development
- Client Management
- Relationship Building
- Program Management
- Project Management
- Public Speaking & Presentations
- Training & Development
- Vendor Relations
- Federal Grant Writing
- Verbal & Written Communication
- Database Design & Management
- Networking
- Critical Thinking
- Client Needs Analysis
- Marketing & Social Media

**My community topics of concern that relate to the Planning Commission are:**

Small Business Growth and Development, Viable alternatives for housing for the homeless and those in danger of homelessness; Home Ownership Opportunities to end generational poverty; improved transportation infrastructure (Park and Ride, public transportation options); Eco-friendly housing developments where trees are protected

**Qualifiers / Areas of Expertise**

**Please check the box(es) that apply to your field of employment or expertise:**

- Attorney / Paralegal
- Real Estate Development
- Land Use Planning
- Insurance
- Banking / Finance
- Land Conservation
- Engineer
- Real Estate Agent / Broker
- Builder / Contractor
- Investments / Securities

**Other elected or appointed offices / Ethics / Legal**

Do you currently hold an elected or appointed office or commission?  Yes  No  
*If yes, please list:*

Have you previously held an elected or appointed office or commission?  Yes  No  
*If yes, please list:*

Have you ever been fined for an ethics violation?  Yes  No  
*If yes, please explain:*

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

Are you currently, or have you ever been, a part or party to any litigation with or against Greenville County?  Yes  No  
*If yes, please explain:*

**Additional Questions**

Do you hold a South Carolina Real Estate License?  Yes  No

- Would you be willing to submit to a criminal background check and/or credit check?  Yes  No
- Are you aware of the meeting schedule and time commitment for the Planning Commission?  Yes  No
- Have you attended a meeting of the Planning Commission?  Yes  No
- Are you aware of the County's attendance policy as it relates to boards and commissions?  Yes  No
- Are you aware this is not a compensated position?  Yes  No

### Conflict of Interest

It is the policy of Greenville County to require disclosure of any personal or financial interest that may be influenced by decisions of the Committee, Board or Commission for which any citizen applies for membership.

- Do you or a member of your immediate family provide goods and/or services to this board?  
If yes, please explain:  Yes  No
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- Do you or a member of your immediate family receive direct services from this board?  
If yes, please explain:  Yes  No
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- Do you or a member of your immediate family financially benefit from the actions of this board?  
If yes, please explain:  Yes  No
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- Does your employer provide goods and/or services to this board?  
If yes, please explain:  Yes  No
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- Does your employer receive direct services from this board?  
If yes, please explain:  Yes  No
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- Does your employer financially benefit from the actions of this board?  
If yes, please explain:  Yes  No

### Statement of Agreement and Understanding

**Electronic Signature Agreement.** By selecting the "Submit" button, you are signing this Application electronically (e-signature), you agree your "e-signature" is the legal equivalent of your manual signature on this Application. Additionally, you agree to and attest to the following:

*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 have read the Greenville County Board and Commission Policy and I understand the rules of conduct for the seat for which I am applying.*

*I understand my lack of attendance for three (3) consecutive meetings or 25% of all regular scheduled meetings within a year may result in my removal from the board.*

*I understand that I serve at the pleasure of County Council and all appointments are subject to the Ethics, Government Accountability, and Campaign Reform Act, S.C. Code Ann. Section 8-13-100 et. seq., and any member appointed to a board or commission whose action is inconsistent or may be perceived to be inconsistent with the spirit or intent of the Act may be subject for removal.*

*I understand that information provided in this application may be subject to South Carolina Freedom of Information disclosure.*

Signature: Elise K. McGee

Date: 3/5/2024

Applicants are encouraged to notify their representing Council Member  
of their interest to be considered for a desired board seat.