



# BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLICATION

## Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee

The Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee (ATax) meets on an as needed basis at 301 University Ridge, Greenville.

### Personal Information

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| <b>Name:</b>                  | Danielle Nance                          |                              |   |
| <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>              | Hincapie Hospitality (Hotel Domestique) | <b>Occupation:</b>           | Director of Food and Beverage                     |
| <b>Highest Degree Earned:</b> | Bachelors                               | <b>School Attended:</b>      | Furman University                                 |
| <b>Year of Graduation:</b>    | 2009                                    | <b>Field of Study:</b>       | English Major, Minor: Ancient Greek/Roman Studies |
| <b>Linked In Profile:</b>     |   | <b>Social Media Profile:</b> |   |

### Experience / Certifications / Interest

**Military Experience:**

NA

**Certifications:**

WSET Level 2 Sommelier  
Certified Tourism Ambassador (Greenville, SC)  
Serve Safe Manager Certified

**Civic Organizations / Other Affiliations:**

Sitting Board Member of the South Carolina Restaurant and Lodging Association (SCRLA) – local and state

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

Volunteer for National Sandwich Day  
Organized & hosted annual 100% benefit dinner for Project Host

**My interest in serving on the Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee is:**

My interest in serving on the Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee stems from my passion for community development and my belief in the importance of sustainable tourism. I firmly believe that effective management of accommodations tax revenue is crucial for fostering a vibrant local economy while preserving the unique character of our community.

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

The Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee serves as an advisory body responsible for overseeing the allocation and distribution of revenue generated from accommodations taxes within a particular jurisdiction. The committee's primary role is to provide recommendations to City Council officials regarding the allocation of these funds to support tourism-related initiatives, events, and projects that promote economic development and tourism in the area.

**Describe your strengths or skills that would positively contribute to the Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee:**

My tenure in the service industry community since 2015 has equipped me with valuable insights into the dynamics of tourism and hospitality sectors. This experience has given me deep understanding of the challenges & opportunities faced by

businesses within these industries. As such, I bring firsthand knowledge of the local tourism landscape to the Committee, enabling me to offer informed perspectives on how to effectively allocate tax revenue to support sustainable growth and development.

**My community topics of concern that relate to the Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee are:**

Preserving our community's unique character, addressing Greenville's transportation challenges, and fostering cultural enrichment. Preserving our community's identity involves supporting initiatives that honor our heritage, protect historical landmarks, and nurture the authenticity of our neighborhoods. Additionally, addressing transportation issues is paramount, necessitating investments in infrastructure improvements and solutions to enhance mobility and connectivity for residents and visitors

**Qualifiers / Areas of Expertise**

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

- Large Full Service Hotel
- Limited Service Hotel
- Cultural Organization
- Food Industry
- Tourism Industry

**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**

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 Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee?  Yes  No

Have you attended a meeting of the Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee?  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?  Yes  No  
*If yes, please explain:*

Do you or a member of your immediate family receive direct services from this board?  Yes  No  
*If yes, please explain:*

Do you or a member of your immediate family financially benefit from the actions of this board?  
*If yes, please explain:*  Yes  No

Does your employer provide goods and/or services to this board?  
*If yes, please explain:*  Yes  No

Does your employer receive direct services from this board?  
*If yes, please explain:*  Yes  No

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: Danielle Elizabeth Nance

Date: 5/15/2024

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