

Council District: 22 New Appointment: _____ Reappointment: ✓ Attendance Record: NA- Meets As Needed Attended Meeting: ✓



BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLICATION

Board of Tax Assessment Appeals

The Board of Tax Assessment and Appeals meets on an as needed basis at 301 University Ridge, Greenville.

Personal Information

Name:	Jeff Davis		
Prefix:	Mr.	Birthdate:	_____
Home Address:	_____	City/State/Zip:	_____
Email:	_____	Phone #:	_____
Voter Registration #:	_____	Driver's License #:	_____
Employer:	Self / Retired	Occupation:	Tax Attorney / CPA (Georgia)
Highest Degree Earned:	Law (1993)	School Attended:	The Citadel (BS) / USC (Law/MBA)
Year of Graduation:	1993	Field of Study:	Tax
Linked In Profile:	_____	Social Media Profile:	_____

Experience / Certifications / Interest

Military Experience:

4 Years Army ROTC in College at The Citadel. Eligible for commission but opted for graduate school, Law / MBA.

Certifications:

Georgia Bar & Georgia CPA

Civic Organizations / Other Affiliations:

Greenville County Republican Party

Volunteer Experience (please list and describe):

- > mySCGOP.com - Co-Founder & Chairman (2021 - Current). Educational nonprofit teaching civic engagement.
- > Regional Education Center Advisory Board (RECAB) - Legislative Delegation board (01/2019-2024)
- > Palmetto Kids FIRST Scholarship Program: K-12 educational tax credit scholarships for children with special needs. Chairman
- > SC School Improvement Council - Education Policy Fellowship Program. Education policy in SC. Fellow
- > Various political volunteer & other experience since youth.

My interest in serving on the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals is:

As a tax professional having been involved in tax appeals as a civic responsibility since 2010.

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

I have been on the board since March 2017, so have been through all the SCDOR training and know the position well. Per the website: "to receive and hear appeals of assessments from taxpayers in Greenville County and confirm, decrease, or increase those assessments, which are appealed."

Describe your strengths or skills that would positively contribute to the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals:

I have been on the board since March 2017. I was also on the equivalent board for Fulton County Georgia back around 2010. As a CPA / tax attorney I am well versed in tax matters and appeals procedures. I have previously (in Atlanta, Georgia) handled

property tax appeals for myself personally as well as prior clients.

My community topics of concern that relate to the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals are:

My interest is in fair application of property tax valuations for all citizens of Greenville County.

Other elected or appointed offices / Ethics / Legal

Do you currently hold an elected or appointed office or commission?

Yes No

If yes, please list:

- > If applicable – State Executive Committeeman, Greenville County Republican Party (2023 – Current)
- > Greenville County Board of Tax Assessment Appeals (Since 2017 – REAPPLYING)

Have you previously held an elected or appointed office or commission?

Yes No

If yes, please list:

- > If applicable – Chairman, Greenville County Republican Party (2021–2023)
- > Regional Education Center Advisory Board (RECAB) – a Legislative Delegation Board (Since 1/2019 – 8/2024) – Legislative Delegation Board. Did not reapply in 2024

Have you ever been fined for an ethics violation?

Yes No

If yes, please explain:

N/A – None

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation?

Yes No

If yes, please give details:

N/A – None

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:

N/A – None

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 Board of Tax Assessment Appeals?

Yes No

Have you attended a meeting of the Board of Tax Assessment Appeals?

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:

N/A

Do you or a member of your immediate family receive direct services from this board?

Yes No

If yes, please explain:

N/A

Do you or a member of your immediate family financially benefit from the actions of this board?

Yes No

If yes, please explain:

N/A

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

N/A

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

N/A

Does your employer financially benefit from the actions of this board? Yes No
If yes, please explain:

N/A

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: JEFF DAVIS

Date: 9/30/2024

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