



# BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLICATION

## Redevelopment Authority

GCRA meets at 12:30 p.m. on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 301 University Ridge, Greenville.

### Personal Information

<b>Name:</b>	Dean Doolittle	<b>Birthdate:</b>	
<b>Prefix:</b>	Mr.	<b>City/State/Zip:</b>	
<b>Home Address:</b>		<b>Phone #:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>		<b>Driver's License #:</b>	
<b>Voter Registration #:</b>		<b>Occupation:</b>	Business Development
<b>Employer:</b>	MorganFranklin Consulting	<b>School Attended:</b>	USC
<b>Highest Degree Earned:</b>	BS Accounting	<b>Field of Study:</b>	Accounting
<b>Year of Graduation:</b>	1987	<b>Social Media Profile:</b>	
<b>Linked In Profile:</b>			

### Experience / Certifications / Interest

#### Military Experience:

NA

#### Certifications:

Former CPA

#### Civic Organizations / Other Affiliations:

Leadership Greenville Class 27  
Leadership SC 2009

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

Former board experience:  
Harvest Hope Food Bank (Greenville and Statewide)  
Big Brothers Big Sisters  
The Family Center (Columbus GA)  
Boys and Girls Club (Charlotte)  
Friends of the Zoo (Greenville)  
Zoo Atlanta Finance Committee

#### My interest in serving on the Redevelopment Authority is:

I've seen Greenville experience a tremendous amount of growth and redevelopment over the past 40 years. It is imperative that we not lose sight of the importance of affordable and safe housing to 1) create economic stability for low-to-middle income earners like teachers and first responders, 2) reduce homelessness, 3) foster social equity to ensure diverse groups are represented, and 4) improve workforce retention.

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

To help GRCA in it's mission to secure affordable and safe housing for the citizens of Greenville County.

#### Describe your strengths or skills that would positively contribute to the Redevelopment Authority:

As a former CPA and corporate financial executive, I can bring 40 years of business experience to the board – including 5 years in real estate development. I also have many years of board experience in NFP's in Greenville as well as other regional

cities. I have a network of community-oriented colleagues through my participation in Leadership Greenville and Leadership South Carolina.

**My community topics of concern that relate to the Redevelopment Authority are:**

As noted above, my main areas of concern are economic stability, homelessness, social equity, and workforce retention. Housing prices in Greenville have increased dramatically over the past 10 years which leaves the low-to-middle income earner with very few options for affordable and safe housing. I'm also concerned with the transition of neighborhoods like Nicholstown that slowly push out the low income families who need to be close to the city and public transportation.

**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 Redevelopment Authority?  Yes  No

Have you attended a meeting of the Redevelopment Authority?  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?  Yes  No  
*If yes, please explain:*

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

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

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

## 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:** *Michael Dean Doolittle*

**Date:** 9/25/2024

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