



# BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLICATION

## Human Relations Commission

The Human Relations Commission meets at 11:30 a.m. on the 1st Thursday of every other month at 301 University Ridge, Greenville.

### Personal Information

<b>Name:</b>	Amelia (Ame) Sanders	<b>Birthdate:</b>	
<b>Prefix:</b>	Ms.	<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>	Director of Consumer Experience (Retired) Podcaste
<b>Employer:</b>	Michelin (retired) State of Inclusion (Founder/Pre	<b>School Attended:</b>	Clemson University, Georgia State University
<b>Highest Degree Earned:</b>	MBA	<b>Field of Study:</b>	BS Math, MBA, Grad Cert Ecommerce
<b>Year of Graduation:</b>	1994	<b>Social Media Profile:</b>	
<b>Linked In Profile:</b>			

### Experience / Certifications / Interest

#### Military Experience:

NA

#### Certifications:

Positive Approach to Dementia Care, Certified Trainer (2018)  
My Neighbor's Voice – Facilitator (2023)

#### Civic Organizations / Other Affiliations:

- Greenville Chamber of Commerce – Leadership Greenville Class 43 (2016–2017), including volunteer projects with Upstate Warrior Solution and Rebuild Upstate
- TEDx Greenville – Presenter 2016, Volunteer Program Team Member for 2017, 2018, 2019 Conferences
- Riley Institute – Diversity Leaders Initiative (DLI) Fellow, 2014, including volunteer project with Momentum Bike Club
- Graduate of United Way of Greenville County Propel Program, 2019, board training.

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

Gvl Women Giving 9/24–  
League of Women Voters, DEI Team, 1/24–  
Gvl NAACP,, 7/24–  
Circles Upstate Ally & Big View Team Co-leader 2018–2023, Above & Beyond Award  
Upstate Mobility Alliance: Vol. & advisory board, 2021–2023  
Upstate Transp. Coalition: Board 2019–2020  
GHRC. – Financial Empowerment Center advisory team member, 2018–2022  
SC Child Wellbeing Coalition: Co-Chair of Economy Work Team, 2018–2019  
Project Host: 2017–2018  
Kids in the Kitchen: Nicholtown Com. Ctr, 2016–2018

#### My interest in serving on the Human Relations Commission is:

Assist the county in ensuring equitable opportunities and services are provided and available to all county residents.

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

Promote the quality of opportunity for all citizens. Provide oversight, direction, and support for the work and mission of GHRC.

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

- Focus of my work is community equity & inclusion and related research, interviews across the US, public speaking & writing/publishing
- Ldrshp & vol. roles across multiple issue areas, for adults & children, local, at regional, and state levels
- Significant corporate executive experience, oversight of large oper. & cap. budgets, manage large multi-level teams, multi-million-dollar projects, strategic planning & org change, formally recognized for Exemplary Organizational Leadership

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

Equity and economic mobility

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

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

*If yes, please list:*

Yes  No

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

*If yes, please list:*

Yes  No

Have you ever been fined for an ethics violation?

*If yes, please explain:*

Yes  No

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

*If yes, please give details:*

Yes  No

Are you currently, or have you ever been, a part or party to any litigation with or against Greenville County?

*If yes, please explain:*

Yes  No

**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 Human Relations Commission?

Yes  No

Have you attended a meeting of the Human Relations 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

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

*If yes, please explain:*

Yes  No

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: Amelia Sanders

Date: 11/24/2024

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