



City of Gainesville

Office of the City Clerk
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APPLICATION FOR ADVISORY BOARDS/COMMITTEES

(Please Print or Type)

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____
Last Prefix, First M.I. Suffix

Address: _____
Street Address Apartment/Unit #

City State ZIP Code

Phone: _____ Alternate: _____

Email _____

Residential District ☐ District I ☐ District II ☐ District II ☐ District IV ☐ I do not live in Gainesville (FL)

Do you claim an exemption to public record disclosure pursuant to FLA. STAT. Section 119?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, list the reason:
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Are you currently a member of a City of Gainesville Advisory Board or Committee ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please list with terms served: _____

PLEASE NOTE: You may only apply for two (2) City Advisory Boards and/or Committees each application cycle. A person may only be appointed to two (2) City Advisory Boards and/or Committees. Only one appointment can be to a quasi-judicial board.

Are you applying to a Quasi-judicial Advisory Board or Committee? (Please select one, if applicable)

Are you applying to the **Gainesville/Alachua County Regional Airport Authority (GACRAA)?**

YES
☐

NO
☐

All applicants to the GACRAA must submit a signed copy of the GACCRA certification form.

Is the complete form attached?

YES
☐

NO
☐

Are you applying to the **City Plan Board?**

YES
☐

NO
☐

Are you applying to the **Human Rights Board?**

YES
☐

NO
☐

Are you applying to the **Board of Trustees?**

YES
☐

NO
☐

Are you applying to the **Pension Review Committee?**

YES
☐

NO
☐

		Are you applying to Historic Preservation Board ?		YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Are you applying to the Development Review Board ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Are you applying to the Charter Review Commission ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>

Advisory Boards and Committees List

Are you applying to the Gainesville Community Reinvestment Area Advisory Board (GCRA)?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, do you reside in the GCRA reinvestment area?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
			Do you work in the GCRA investment area?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
NOTE: If applying to the GCRA, please attach the completed form to this application			Employer: _____		
			Job Title: _____		

Are you applying to the Police Advisory Committee ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, are you currently employed as a Police Officer for the City of Gainesville?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
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Please select the Board or Committee you are applying to:

Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Board	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gainesville Cultural Affairs Board	<input type="checkbox"/>
Citizens Advisory Committee for Community Development (CACCD)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gainesville Housing Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>
City Beautification Board	<input type="checkbox"/>	Infrastructure Surtax Oversight Board (WSPP)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Downtown Advisory Board	<input type="checkbox"/>	Public Recreation and Parks Board	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fire Safety Board of Adjustment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Regional Transit Advisory Board	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gainesville Art in Public Places Trust	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tree Advisory Board	<input type="checkbox"/>

SHIP Affordable Housing Advisory Council

Do you represent one or more of the following categories? (Select all that apply)

Citizen who is actively engaged in the residential home building industry in connection with affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Citizen who is actively engaged as a not-for-profit provider of affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>
Citizen who is actively engaged in the banking or mortgage banking industry in connection with affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Citizen who is actively engaged as a real estate professional in connection with affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>
Citizen who is a representative of those areas of labor actively engaged in home building in connection with affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Citizen who actively serves on the City Plan Board	<input type="checkbox"/>
Citizen who is actively engaged as an advocate for low-income persons in connection with affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Citizen who represents employers within the jurisdiction	<input type="checkbox"/>

Citizen who is actively engaged as a for-profit provider of affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Citizen who represents essential services personnel, as defined in the local housing assistance plan	<input type="checkbox"/>
None of the above	<input type="checkbox"/>		

If appointed to the City of Gainesville's SHIP Affordable Housing Advisory Committee, I will attempt to accomplish the following objectives:

Represent and work for the benefit of both my specific constituency and the entire community	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Serve the entire two-year term	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If unable to complete a term, provide the City with a written letter of resignation	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Attend monthly meetings, either in-person or virtually	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Notify staff in advance, if unable to attend a meeting	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Arrive at meetings on-time and stay until the end of the meeting (usually 60-90 minutes)	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Review backup materials provided by staff and/or other AHAC Members	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Thoughtfully complete evaluation forms, if asked to evaluate development proposals	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Participate in the development of all AHAC recommendations; and	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Participate in presenting written and/or verbal recommendations to the City Commission, including occasionally attending City Commission Meetings	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>

Regional Transit System Advisory Board

Are you a member of one of the following groups? (Select all that apply)

Regular user of the transit system	<input type="checkbox"/>	Environmental community	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senior Citizen	<input type="checkbox"/>	Neighborhood/Homeowners Associations	<input type="checkbox"/>
Person with a disability	<input type="checkbox"/>	Student oriented housing developments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chamber of Commerce Representative	<input type="checkbox"/>	Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization Advisory Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>
University of Florida student nominated from a list of at least three names submitted by the University of Florida Student Senate (please attach nomination)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Major employer in the local area	<input type="checkbox"/>
None of the above	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Downtown Advisory Board

Please select all that apply:

I am a resident of the City of Gainesville ☐

I am NOT a resident of the City of Gainesville ☐

I am a property owner ☐

I am a tenant ☐

I am a stakeholder (non-profit agency, educational institution and governmental agency that either own or occupy property located in or that provides services to downtown Gainesville) ☐

Do you claim any exemption to public record disclosure pursuant to FLA. STAT. Section 119?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please attach a detailed explanation of exemption to this application.

INTERESTS & EXPERIENCES

**Please answer the following three questions for each board you are applying to. Attach additional pages if necessary*

1. Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

2. How many terms have you served on this board or committee previously?

3. Are you applying for a student seat? ☐ Yes ☐ No

4. Have you been removed from any advisory board for attendance, behavior or another reason? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered yes to the question above, please explain: (attach extra pages if needed)

Members of all City of Gainesville Advisory Boards and Committees must **only serve two (2) consecutive terms**, except for the City Plan Board, Development Review Board, Historic Preservation Board and the Police Advisory Council.

PLEASE ATTACH YOUR RESUME TO THIS APPLICATION.

Are you a City of Gainesville Employee? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you a City of Gainesville Intern? ☐ Yes ☐ No

DEMOGRAPHICS – OPTIONAL

The City of Gainesville collects this information to help assess who we are reaching with our programs, who are not represented and helps us design our programs to serve all of our neighbors better.

Ethnicity:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Asian or Pacific Islander	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:
<input type="checkbox"/>	African American		
<input type="checkbox"/>	American Indian/Alaskan Native Aleutia	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unknown
<input type="checkbox"/>	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic	<input type="checkbox"/>	Prefer Not to Answer

Gender:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Male	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female
<input type="checkbox"/>	Nonbinary or third gender	<input type="checkbox"/>	Prefer not to answer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Prefer to self-describe:		

Additional space (if needed):

Some of the boards and committees appointed by the City Commission are required to comply with Chapter 112, Florida Statutes, the Financial Disclosure Law. If applicable, would you be willing to file the required financial statement? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you affirm that your personal and business (if applicable) affairs within the City of Gainesville and Alachua County are in substantial compliance with all city and county regulatory and taxing authorities rules and regulations? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree with the following statement? Appointees to advisory board/committees are required to attend scheduled meetings as specified in the "Advisory Board Handbook." ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree with the following statement? I understand that this completed application is the property of the City of Gainesville, is subject to public record requests and I hereby certify that the statements made on this application are true and correct. ☐ Yes ☐ No

Paper applications are available in the Office of the City Clerk for pick-up on the first floor of City Hall at 200 E. University Avenue, 32601 or may be mailed upon request. Please contact Jertoyia Russell at 352.393.8656 or email russellj1@gainesvillefl.gov. Mailed applications must be received by the Office of the City Clerk by the deadline, normally by 5:00 p.m. on the last business day of the month.