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Citizen's Energy Advisory Commission: Submitted

Please select your first Board preference: *

☒ Citizen's Energy Advisory Commission

Please select your second Board preference: *

☒ None Selected

Please select your third Board preference: *

☒ None Selected

Please select your fourth Board preference: *

☒ None Selected

Please select your fifth Board preference: *

☒ None Selected

Please select your sixth Board preference: *

☒ None Selected

Nathan

First Name

C

Middle Initial

Blanton

Last Name

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Street Address

Suite or Apt

Raleigh

City

NC

State

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Postal Code

What district do you live in?

☒ District 2

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Primary Phone

Home: (704) 674-8554

Alternate Phone

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Email Address

Duke Energy

Employer

Nuclear Operations Tech III

Job Title

If you live in an Extraterritorial Jurisdiction Area, select Yes:

☐ Yes ☒ No

In order to assure countywide representation, please indicate your place of residence:

☒ Unincorporated Wake County

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a Board or Commission?

I've worked in the energy industry most of my adult life. First in the nuclear navy, and afterwards in power production in various manufacturing facilities culminating with my current work at Harris Nuclear Plant here in Wake County. Having benefited over the years by taking advantage of the many public services that allowed me to pursue a college education and a well-paying job, I have always wanted to give back to the community.

Work Experience

Volunteer Experience

Education

Comments

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Demographics



Gender *

☒ Male

Ethnicity *

☒ Caucasian

Other

How did you become aware of Wake County volunteer opportunities?

☒ County Website

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☒ None Selected

Please select your sixth Board preference: *

☒ None Selected

Michael

First Name

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Middle Initial

Burriss

Last Name

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Street Address

Suite or Apt

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City

NC

State

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Postal Code

What district do you live in?

☒ District 4

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Primary Phone

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Alternate Phone

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Email Address

MBP, Inc.

Employer

Program Manager

Job Title

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☒ Yes ☐ No

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☒ Unincorporated Wake County

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a Board or Commission?

Throughout my building career, my mechanical engineering, energy production and conservation background have led me find, implement, and follow-up on energy conservation methods. I would like to use those experiences to help Wake County to continue its goals for community conservation and progress.

Work Experience

MBP, Inc. - 2017 - present - A professional services group providing construction management, project management and commissioning services. Metcon, Inc. - 2013- 2017 - A construction management and general contracting firm specializing in Net Positive buildings. DH Griffin Construction, 2008-2013 - A construction management and general contracting firm. Wake County Public Schools - 1989-2008 - Assistant Supt. for Facilities Design & Construction.

Volunteer Experience

Warmth for Wake - 2017, Triangle YMCA - Garner, CPNi of NC - Construction Professional Network service group working with Tier One counties in NC to revitalize and rebuild downtown areas. 1983-present ASME-American Society of Mechanical Engineers

Education

1983 - BSME, NCSU 2001- NCSU Facilities Engineering Mgmt Certificate

Comments

I appreciate consideration for this position.

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Capital Area Workforce Development Board: Submitted
Citizen's Energy Advisory Commission: Submitted
City of Raleigh Planning Commission: Submitted
Commission for Women: Submitted
Housing Authority: Submitted
Planning Board: Submitted
Wake County Steering Committee on Affordable Housing: Submitted

Please select your first Board preference: *

☒ Planning Board

Please select your second Board preference: *

☒ City of Raleigh Planning Commission

Please select your third Board preference: *

☒ Housing Authority

Please select your fourth Board preference: *

☒ Commission for Women

Please select your fifth Board preference: *

☒ Citizen's Energy Advisory Commission

Please select your sixth Board preference: *

☒ Commission for Women

Susan

First Name

Sanford

Last Name

Middle Initial

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Street Address

Suite or Apt

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City

NC

State

27610

Postal Code

What district do you live in?

☒ District 5

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Primary Phone

Business: (919) 334-4078

Alternate Phone

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Email Address

Research Triangle Cleantech
Cluster

Employer

Executive Director

Job Title

If you live in an Extraterritorial Jurisdiction Area, select Yes:

☐ Yes ☒ No

In order to assure countywide representation, please indicate your place of residence:

☒ Raleigh

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a Board or Commission?

I would like to contribute to my community and to learn firsthand about planning and other County issues.

Work Experience

please see resume

Volunteer Experience

Futures for Kids online career coach Big Brothers Big Sisters - big sister Previously, Habitat for Humanity of Durham Durham Literacy Center

Education

please see resume

Comments

Thank you

[Susan Sanford - resume.docx](#)

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☒ Female

Ethnicity *

☒ Asian

Other

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Susan Sanford

1117 Gatling Street, Raleigh, NC 27610 susanrsanford@gmail.com 919-308-6441 [LinkedIn](#)

SUMMARY

Public sector professional with 15 years of experience in community economic development. Skilled in project management, research and analysis, collaborating with diverse stakeholders, and leading teams.

EXPERIENCE

Executive Director, Research Triangle Cleantech Cluster Cary, NC NOV 2016-PRESENT

- Assess, develop, deliver, and refine strategies to meet the organization's Program of Work
- Develop, monitor, and manage annual operating budget and maintain operational reserves
- Develop and maintain relationships with industry, local government, and academic stakeholders
- Represent the organization and region at industry conferences and regional, stakeholder meetings

Membership Director, Research Triangle Cleantech Cluster Cary, NC JAN-NOV 2016

- Launched one-time projects, e.g. regional, career fair, to boost awareness of industry opportunities
- Launched advisory groups, e.g. Talent Committee, to operationalize feedback from key stakeholders

PROS Intern, Wake County Government Raleigh, NC JUN-SEPT 2014; JUL-NOV 2015

- Studied Little River inter-local agreement to understand political actors and onset of ag leases
- Met with ag producers and federal government staff to understand obstacles to monitoring land use
- Researched and benchmarked practices in soil and water conservation and government contracting
- Analyzed CBA for land uses and refined research into concise report for Board of Commissioners
- Created social media performance measurements for staff at eight (8) county parks
- Used GIS and census data to inform park staff of the need for additional facilities

Relevant economic development research, UNC-Chapel Hill AUG 2013-MAY 2015

- Researched and analyzed labor markets, targeted industry clusters, and incentives for a top 20 MSA
- Created a real estate, redevelopment plan using state tax credits for a rural community in NC

Competitive Market Analyst, Kenan Institute Chapel Hill, NC FEB 2015-JUN 2015

- Benchmarked pricing models and service delivery methods for a public sector client vs competitors

Corporate Communications Instructor, Samsung, LG Seoul, South Korea NOV 2011-MAY 2013

- Created curriculum and taught business professionals in group and 1:1 sessions for various clients

Executive Director, Futures for Kids (F4K) Raleigh, NC APR 2002-NOV 2011

- Stabilized startup organization with assertive fundraising; managed staff of 6 and \$500K budget
- Recruited 70% of new board members and facilitated the organization's first strategic plan
- Raised \$1.3M by developing partnerships with public institutions, private sector, elected leaders
- Developed performance measurements to track usage by schools, corporate partners, volunteers

Communications Consultant, FHI 360 Durham, NC OCT 2001-MAR 2002

- Increased communication channels between 70 international, field offices and headquarters

Marketing Specialist / Event Planner, IBM Durham, NC APR 1999-JUN 2001

- Facilitated collaboration between 8 cross-disciplinary teams through effective meetings

- Exhibited at trade shows and created events to promote IBM in key markets, inc NY, San Fran

EDUCATION

<i>Master of Public Administration</i> , University of North Carolina (UNC)-Chapel Hill	MAY 2015
<i>Certificate in International Development</i> , UNC-Chapel Hill	MAY 2015
<i>Basics of Economic Development workshop</i> , IEDC / UNC School of Government	AUG 2012
<i>Korean for General Purposes, levels 1-2</i> , Sogang University in Seoul	NOV 2011-MAY 2012
<i>Bachelor of Arts, Journalism</i> , UNC School of Journalism	DEC 1996

TECHNICAL SKILLS

ArcGIS – basic MapJournal IMPLAN - basic MS Office suite BasecampSocial media

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Commission for Women: Submitted
Juvenile Crime Prevention Council: Submitted
Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee: Submitted
Planning Board: Submitted
WakeMed Hospital Board of Directors: Submitted

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☒ Juvenile Crime Prevention Council

Please select your second Board preference: *

☒ Commission for Women

Please select your third Board preference: *

☒ Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee

Please select your fourth Board preference: *

☒ Planning Board

Please select your fifth Board preference: *

☒ Citizen's Energy Advisory Commission

Please select your sixth Board preference: *

☒ WakeMed Hospital Board of Directors

Damie

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Sesay

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City

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State

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Postal Code

What district do you live in?

☒ District 3

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Hatcher Legal, PLLC

Employer

Associate Attorney

Job Title

If you live in an Extraterritorial Jurisdiction Area, select Yes:

☐ Yes ☐ No

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☒ Morrisville

Interests & Experiences

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Work Experience

John M. Dahut & Associates June 2015 Ð August 2016 GEICO Staff Counsel ¥ Represented GEICO and its policyholders in subrogation and insurance defense cases involving personal and commercial insurance policies. ¥ Handled compl...

Volunteer Experience

¥ Montgomery County Bar Association~ Creating an Improved Tomorrow ('C-IT') Committee Co-Chair ¥ Montgomery County Teen Court Judge

Education

American University~ Washington College of Law~ J.D.~ 2011 University of Oklahoma~ B.A.~ 2008

Comments

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Ethnicity *

☒ African American

Other

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Greater Raleigh Convention and Visitors Bureau: Submitted
Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority: Submitted
GoTriangle Board of Trustees: Submitted
Wake Technical Community College Board of Trustees: Submitted
WakeMed Hospital Board of Directors: Submitted

Please select your first Board preference: *

☒ Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority

Please select your second Board preference: *

☒ Wake Technical Community College Board of Trustees

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☒ WakeMed Hospital Board of Directors

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☒ Citizen's Energy Advisory Commission

Please select your fifth Board preference: *

☒ Greater Raleigh Convention and Visitors Bureau

Please select your sixth Board preference: *

☒ Triangle Transit Authority Board

Jerrae

First Name

Williams

Last Name

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City

NC

State

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Postal Code

What district do you live in?

☒ District 6

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Alternate Phone

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Email Address

NC State Treasurer

Employer

Client Manager

Job Title

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☐ Yes ☐ No

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☒ Wake Forest

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Work Experience

Consultant~ NC Dept. of State Treasurer: Educating and implementing a new investment program with NC local governments~ higher education institutions~ and state agencies. Vice President~ Wells Fargo Bank: Advised local governments (including ...

Volunteer Experience

-Government Finance Officer Association~ Advisor/Member -Upward Cheerleading Coach K-2nd -CIS-Wake County~ Board Director -Agape Word Fellowship~ Board Director/Treasurer -Wake County Smart Start~ Past Board Director/Finance Committee -Girl Scouts...

Education

St. Cloud State University~ BA Public Administration and Finance Capella University~ Master of Business Administration

Comments

I have worked in/with the public sector for over 19 years.

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