

City of London - Application for Appointment to a City of London Board or Commission

Application

Please choose the Board or Commission you are interested in serving on: **Eldon House**

Contact Information

Name: **Chintan Joshi**

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Province: **ON**

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Experience and Qualifications

If you have experience on a London Board or Commission, please provide dates and details. (max. 3000 characters):

While I do not have direct experience serving on a London Board or Commission, I am confident in my ability to effectively contribute and fulfill the responsibilities associated with such a role. Allow me to elaborate on the qualities and experiences that make me a strong candidate.

Throughout my career and personal endeavors, I have developed exceptional communication skills, both written and verbal. I am adept at expressing ideas clearly, actively listening to others, and fostering productive discussions. These skills will enable me to effectively collaborate with fellow board members, engage with stakeholders, and represent the interests of the community.

Moreover, I have a deep commitment to community service and a genuine passion for making a positive impact. I am dedicated to leveraging my skills, knowledge, and experiences to contribute meaningfully to the betterment of the London community through a Board or Commission.

Although I may not have specific experience on a London Board or Commission, I bring a strong skill set, a commitment to community service, and a dedication to continuous learning. I am confident that these qualities will enable me to make valuable contributions and serve the best interests of the organization, the community, and its stakeholders.

Thank you for considering my candidacy, and I welcome the opportunity to further discuss how I can contribute to the success of a London Board or Commission.

What do you hope to contribute or learn as part of a Board or Commission? (max. 3000 characters):

As a member of a Board or Commission, I hope to contribute my skills, knowledge, and expertise towards the advancement of the organization's goals and objectives. I aim to bring a fresh perspective, critical thinking abilities, and a collaborative approach to decision-making processes.

One of my key goals is to actively participate in discussions and provide valuable insights that can help shape policies, strategies, and initiatives. I am eager to offer my diverse background and experiences, which can contribute to a well-rounded and inclusive decision-making process

Furthermore, I am committed to actively listening to the perspectives of other board members, stakeholders, and the community at large. I believe in fostering open dialogue and creating an environment where diverse opinions are valued and respected.

In terms of learning, I am excited to gain a deeper understanding of the organization's mission, values, and operations. I am eager to expand my knowledge in areas relevant to the Board or Commission's focus, such as governance, policy development, or specific industry expertise. I look forward to collaborating with fellow board members and learning from their unique perspectives and experiences.

Overall, my aim is to make a positive impact and contribute to the success of the Board or Commission by actively engaging in its work, leveraging my skills, and continuously learning and growing in my role.

How will you support the work of a Board or Commission? (max. 3000 characters):

I am wholeheartedly committed to supporting the work of a Board or Commission by actively engaging in its mission, goals, and initiatives. Here are several ways in which I will contribute to the success of the Board or Commission:

Active Participation: I will actively participate in board meetings, committee meetings, and other relevant activities. I will come prepared, having thoroughly reviewed meeting materials, conducted necessary research, and developed informed perspectives. I will contribute thoughtfully to discussions, asking pertinent questions, offering insights, and sharing my expertise where applicable.

Collaborative Approach: I believe in the power of collaboration and teamwork. I will work closely with fellow board members, recognizing that collective efforts yield the best outcomes. I will actively listen to diverse viewpoints, respect differing opinions, and strive for consensus-building. By fostering an inclusive and respectful environment, I will help create a positive and productive board culture.

Strategic Thinking: I will bring a strategic mindset to the board's work. I will analyze complex issues, identify trends and opportunities, and offer forward-thinking solutions. I will consider the long-term implications of decisions, aligning them with the organization's vision and strategic goals. I will contribute to the development of effective strategies and policies that drive positive change.

Commitment to Transparency and Accountability: I value transparency and accountability in governance. I will act with integrity, ensuring transparency in decision-making processes and adhering to ethical standards. I will promote accountability by monitoring progress, evaluating outcomes, and making data-driven decisions. I will also advocate for open communication with stakeholders, providing regular updates and seeking input when appropriate.

Community Engagement: I recognize the importance of engaging with the community served by the Board or Commission. I will actively seek input from stakeholders, including community members, organizations, and experts. I will ensure their voices are heard, their concerns are addressed, and their perspectives are considered in decision-making processes. By fostering strong community relationships, I will contribute to the

Board or Commission's effectiveness and relevance.

Continuous Learning and Development: I am committed to ongoing learning and growth. I will stay informed about relevant industry trends, best practices in governance, and emerging issues. I will attend training sessions, workshops, and conferences to enhance my knowledge and skills. By continuously improving myself, I will bring valuable insights and expertise to the board's work.

In summary, my unwavering support for the work of a Board or Commission includes active participation, collaborative teamwork, strategic thinking, transparency and accountability.

Please describe additional experience, training, or community involvement that will help you in your role as a Board or Commission Member. (max. 3000 characters):

In addition to my strong qualifications and skills, I bring valuable experience, training, and community involvement that will greatly support my role as a Board or Commission Member.

Firstly, my experience as a sales associate in an electric vehicle showroom has provided me with a deep understanding of the emerging trends and challenges within the renewable energy sector. I have interacted directly with customers, assisting them in making informed decisions about electric vehicles and highlighting the benefits of sustainable transportation. This experience has given me a strong grasp of customer engagement, effective communication, and the importance of promoting environmentally conscious practices.

Furthermore, my time as a trade apprentice in a shipping service has exposed me to the intricacies of logistics and operations. I have gained hands-on experience in managing complex shipping processes, coordinating with various stakeholders, and ensuring efficient delivery of goods. This experience has honed my organizational skills, problem-solving abilities, and the ability to navigate logistical challenges effectively.

Additionally, my internship as a car technician has provided me with a solid foundation in mechanical systems and vehicle maintenance. I have worked alongside experienced technicians, learning about diagnostics, repairs, and safety protocols. This experience has enhanced my technical knowledge, attention to detail, and critical thinking abilities. It has also fostered a strong commitment to safety and compliance in all aspects of my work.

Outside of my professional experiences, I actively engage in community involvement initiatives. I have volunteered within my society focused on environmental conservation, where I participated in tree planting drives, community clean-up events, and educational workshops. This community involvement has instilled in me a deep sense of responsibility towards creating a better and more sustainable future.

In summary, my experience as a sales associate in the electric vehicle industry, my trade apprenticeship in a shipping service, and my internship as a car technician, coupled with my community involvement and relevant training, provide me with a well-rounded skill set to excel as a Board or Commission Member. I am confident that these experiences will allow me to contribute valuable insights, make informed decisions, and effectively address the needs of the organization, stakeholders, and the community at large.

We value the contributions of Londoners with diverse experiences and welcome applications from individuals who share our commitment to reconciliation, equity and inclusion. Please describe how your work, community or lived experience will enhance these efforts through Board and Committee work. (max. 3000 characters):

In Board and Committee work, I will actively contribute to initiatives that prioritize reconciliation, equity, and inclusion. I will champion the voices of underrepresented groups, ensuring their perspectives are considered in decision-making processes. I will advocate for policies and practices that promote diversity and remove barriers to participation. I will work collaboratively with fellow board members and stakeholders to develop strategies that address systemic inequities and create a more inclusive environment.

Furthermore, I will continuously educate myself on issues related to reconciliation, equity, and inclusion, attending relevant training, workshops, and conferences. I will seek opportunities to engage in meaningful dialogue with individuals from diverse backgrounds, fostering an environment of mutual respect and understanding.

In conclusion, my work, community involvement, and lived experiences have instilled in me a deep commitment to reconciliation, equity, and inclusion. I am eager to bring this passion and dedication to Board and Committee work, contributing to initiatives that advance these values and create a more equitable and inclusive society. I firmly believe that by embracing diversity and empowering marginalized voices, we can foster positive change and build a stronger and more vibrant community for all Londoners.

Attach resume or other document here, if needed: **Joshi Chintan - Resume.pdf**

Attach more files here, if needed:

Confirmations

I declare the following: **I am a resident of London. ; I am at least 18 years old.; I am not a City employee or Council member.; I understand that my application and any attachments will be included on a public agenda that is published on the City website.**

To help inform our outreach activities, please tell us how you heard about this opportunity: (optional): **City Website**

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

Submitted on: **6/18/2023 3:32:54 PM**

Joshi Chintan

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Education

Postgraduate Diploma - Practical elements of Mechanical Engineering | Pursuing | Fanshawe College | London, ON, Canada |

Bachelors Of Engineering - Automobile branch | 2017-21 | Ahmedabad, India | SAL Institute of Technology and Engineering Research | CGPA: 9.09

Experience

Overnight Maintenance Associate | May'23 - Present | Sunningdale Golf and country club

- Setting up events for weddings, parties and birthdays
- Maintenance and cleaning of banquets
- Managing events to maximise event success

EV Sales representative | Oct'22 - Feb'23 | Greentech EV Mart

- Promotion and Sales of EVs
- Resolve issues in customer service
- Was managing operation from sales to delivery

Trade apprentice | Jan - Jun'22 | Trueblue Shipping Services

- Assisted the supervisor
- Resolved the issues of statistical mistakes.

Freelance event worker | Jul'17 - Jun'21 | Divine planner

- Serving of products
- Marketing freelancer for certain companies
- Setting up for events

Skills and Interests

Technical: Automotive working | AutoCAD 2D, SolidWorks And CREO | Microsoft Excel.

Languages: Hindi | English | Gujarati | Kutchi

Interests: Cricket | Movies | Exercise

Availability

Monday, Tuesday and Friday after 6 PM

Wednesday before 12 PM and after 7 PM

Thursday after 7 PM

Weekends available