

City of London - Application for Appointment to City of London Community Advisory Committees

Application

Committee you are interested in serving on: **Integrated Transportation Community Advisory Committee**

Contact Information

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Experience and Qualifications

If you have experience on a London Advisory Committee, please provide dates and details. (max. 250 characters):

I have not previously served on a London Advisory Committee.

What do you hope to contribute or learn as part of a Community Advisory Committee? (max. 250 characters):

I bring to the table a fresh youth perspective and experience in navigating government processes. As a native Londoner, a current Western student and former Fanshawe student who regularly takes the LTC, I believe I can serve as a voice for the post-secondary student population on the transportation issues we are facing. I'm also well versed in the government processes as per my work experience and education.

How will you support the work of a Community Advisory Committee? (max. 250 characters):

As we combat climate change and deal with the increasing cost of living, we need to change the status quo that cars are the best way to get around from point A to point B. We need to incentivize more people to use public transit and bicycles to get around, but in order to do so we need more accessible LTC routes and schedules as well as more bike lines around the city. I will support the work of the committee by hopefully taking on a leadership role, ensuring the voices of students are heard, and by collaborating with other committee members to make sure we are all on the same page and working towards the same goals.

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

As a young Londoner I value deeply the transportation issues that our post-secondary student population is facing. As a student that takes the LTC regularly, I'm on the ground everyday experiencing issues related to the capacity of buses on busy routes, tardiness, and route availability. My lived experiences as a transit user and my work in government are assets that I believe will positively impact the committee.

Please describe additional experience, training, or community involvement that will help you in your role as a Community Advisory Committee Member. (max. 250 characters):

**Former Army Reservist
Volunteer for Suicide Prevention Middlesex-London
Volunteer for CRA Community Income Tax Program
Rotary Club Member**

Attach resume or other document here, if needed:

Attach more files here, if needed:

Confirmations

I declare the following: **I am at least 18 years old.; I am not a City employee or Council member.; I understand that the commitment may be up to 4 hours per month to attend meetings and prepare.; 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):

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

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