Committee: Environmental and Ecological Planning Advisory Committee

Organization/Sector represented:

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Occupation: PhD Candidate

Work experience: I have 8 years of experience in the private market. My last role was chief geologist of a large geo-engineering consulting company. I specialize in various natural and human-related issues such as flooding and soil erosion processes.

Education: I have an undergrad in political science and geography. My masters is in fluvial (river) geomorphology. I am currently in the last year (4th) of a PhD program at Western. Skills: I have strong skills in environmental assessment, engineering design and ability to solve a variety of environmental problems.

Interest reason: I live in the city for 3 years now and would like to influence issues that are related to my expertise.

Contributions: I can influence issues related to conflict between nature and humans and how these can be reduced or solved before they even materialize.

Past contributions: I have worked for the national park service in Israel for 10 years (voluntarily) and have been serving in a task committee appointed by the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) since 2009 to address dam-break flooding.

Interpersonal: I have been working with a variety of groups that complement my skills - engineers, biologists, geologists and human geographers so I believe in a holistic view rather than tackling a problem from a very narrow professional perspective.

Interview interest: Yes