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

Application

Committee you are interested in serving on: **Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Oppression Community Advisory Committee**

Contact Information

Name: Rebecca May

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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 do not have prior experience on a Community Advisory Committee.

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

I hope to gain experience working with my community on a broader scale, while making a positive impact. I work with marginalized and diverse individuals within my role in the social services and feel my experience could be a valuable asset to the Advisory Committee.

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

Everyday, I work from an anti-oppressive framework within my personal and professional lives. I am a strong advocate and will support the work of the committee by listening, learning and living up to my personal values.

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 an individual who has worked within the social services sector of London Ontario for almost 4 years, I believe I can enhance your efforts set by your committee, by providing valuable insight to the marginalized and vulnerable individuals I serve daily. Currently, I work with Youth Opportunities Unlimited in a Housing Stability capacity, but also work full-time with the YOU Youth Shelter as a Primary Caseworker. In addition to YOU, I hold a role supporting individuals with complex mental health at CMHA and Addiction Services Thames Valley. In the past, I have worked with organizations such as Mission Services of London and The Inn St. Thomas. In many of these roles, I have utilized an anti-oppressive lens, with emphasis on inclusivity and diversity.

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

As for educational experience, I am a two-time Fanshawe College graduate in both Social Service Work and Special Event Planning. I have had the honour of planning many events both individually, as well as on a committee, including The Preeclampsia Walk - London.

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): **Social media**

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

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