

APPLICATION FORM FOR APPOINTMENT TO CITY OF LONDON BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES

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1. Application for appointment to:

Board of Governors Western University
(Name of Board, Commission, Committee, etc.)

2. Name: Mrs. Linda Freeman

3. Home Address:

37 Mohawk Rd. London

Postal Code: N6G 2P6 e-mail address:

4. Telephone Number: (Bus.)

* If it is easier to attach your resume in response to questions 5, 6 & 7, please feel free to do so.

5. Occupation: Canada Post letter carrier (26 years) former teacher (Medway Highschool, Fanshawe College)

6. Describe your work experience: taught for 10 yrs. in

Adult Education, shop steward (7 yrs.) and postal carrier for 26 yrs.
London School board trustee 1982-1997 Painted houses in 1970's to pay for tuition @ Western

7. Education: graduate Banting S.S., Western 1975-1979 Bachelor of Education Western 1980

8. What skills, abilities and specialized knowledge do you have that will assist this body?

negotiation & policy making skills from my years as a school board trustee and as an active union member of CUPE. Spent 3 years on the UWO student council and senate. I am pragmatic and like to work as a team

9. Why are you interested in serving the City of London on this body? member with other board members

I have served in various positions in the past 30 years including initiating and running 2 neighbourhood watch areas for 25 years.

I live within 2 km of Western, deliver mail in all student neighbourhoods near Western's campus and attended one of my daughter's graduation 2 weeks ago at Western (masters)

10. What contribution do you believe you can make to this body? Western is perceived as an enclave unto itself.

I want to engage the broader academic community to include Western on and off campus. My priority is to outreach and integrate Western's facilities, programs & students into the larger London demographic

11. What past contributions have you made on a similar body or organization? Western student council and student senate (including senate academic review board, 15 yr. school board trustee, Depot 6 organizer of Christmas parties, retirements and social fundraising. Big sister 20 yrs.

12. What experience do you have in exchanging your views with others and in appreciating and respecting the skills, abilities and knowledge of others? and their meetings

My attendance record for past organizations is excellent. I show up prepared, having read the agenda, spoken to those concerned with issues and listen to others. I am empathetic and never make up my mind to vote before I can hear all of the discussion debate and other points of view.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

At the discretion of the Committee, and dependent also on each applicant's expression of interest, all or some of the applicants may be invited to attend a short, private interview with the Committee. The purpose of such interviews is to allow applicants an opportunity to elaborate on their application.

Are you interested in such an interview? YES ☒ NO ☐

The Committee then submits recommendations to the Council on appointments. The final approval of appointments is given by the Council. All appointments are at the pleasure of Council and all appointees will be asked to acknowledge this fact in written form.

If you require any additional information about the appointment process or if you have any questions about any of the bodies to which appointments are to be made, please contact Heather Woolsey at 519-661-2500 ext. 4599 or email at hwoolsey@london.ca

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Nov. 14 / 2013

Date

Linda Freeman

Signature of Applicant