



# Application for Appointment to City of London Advisory Committees

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## Application

I am interested in serving on the following committee(s):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accessibility Advisory Committee                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Cycling Advisory Committee                                  |
| Do you have a disability? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Oppression Advisory Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advisory Committee on the Environment                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental and Ecological Planning Advisory Committee    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural Advisory Committee                           | <input type="checkbox"/> London Advisory Committee on Heritage                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Animal Welfare Advisory Committee              | <input type="checkbox"/> London Housing Advisory Committee                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Childcare Advisory Committee                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation Advisory Committee                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Safety and Crime Prevention Advisory Committee  | <input type="checkbox"/> Trees and Forests 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. (maximum 750 characters, attach an extra sheet if you need more space)

I am currently a member of AWAC (August 2016 - May 2019) in good standing with active attendance at both committee as well as subcommittee. I was satisfied that we were able to tackle most of the work plan in full as well as addressing new items as presented to the committee via public request, staff and/or council request.

What do you hope to contribute or learn as part of an Advisory Committee? (maximum 750 characters, attach an extra sheet if you need more space)

I hope that I can have the opportunity to serve on AWAC again. As most of the work on AWAC was done at subcommittee level, (with only two active members from AWAC serving continuously on the wildlife and companion animal subcommittee, the remainder members of the general public), we were able to research, study and provide a lot of detailed information regarding the items on the work plan to the committee for decision making. Over the next two years I hope that with some new faces and a full committee we will have the opportunity to recruit new working members for subcommittee and be able to accomplish many tasks. Having a wildlife/naturalist voting member was a wealth of knowledge and was excited to learn about wildlife initiatives.



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How will you support the work of an Advisory Committee? (maximum 750 characters, attach an extra sheet if you need more space)

I have excellent time management skills, am an active participant in all volunteer opportunities I choose to engage in and have a flexible schedule. During my time serving on AWAC over the last three years, I've increased my researching skills and have been able to speak knowledgably in presentations to both the committee as well as civic administration. I work well with large or small groups as well as independent study. I will continue to attend meetings & subcommittee meetings regularly and work on my own time outside to support any and all projects that require such.

Please describe additional experience, training, or community involvement that will help you in your role as an Advisory Committee Member. (maximum 750 characters, attach an extra sheet if you need more space)

I have owned a small business in London for the past twelve years handling all aspects of mid level management; accounting, human resources, filing varied government forms, scheduling, advertising and striving daily to create an inclusive and pleasant workplace. In the community, I am an active volunteer with the London Central Lions Club where I have been fortunate to chair committees and fundraisers taking a leadership role and ensuring all aspects of our projects are completed efficiently. I have volunteered with various animal rescues from 2012 to present, most recently as a casual foster for International Fund for Animal Welfare (IFAW) Northern Dogs Project.

## 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 the commitment may be up to 4 hours per month to attend meetings and prepare.
- I understand that my application will be included on a public agenda that is published on the City website.

By submitting this application for consideration, you are declaring that the information in your application is true.

The City of London has a strong commitment to workplace diversity and inclusion, and this commitment extends to our Advisory Committee appointments. An inclusive workplace creates a more supportive environment and ultimately helps us to provide better service to our diverse community.

Municipal Council approves all appointments. The appointment process is governed by [Council's policy on Advisory Committees](#). For more information, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 519-661-2489, ext. 4599.

(Optional) How did you hear about this opportunity?

- City website
- Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter)
- Contact from the City Clerk's Office
- Friend or co-worker
- Printed newspaper advertisement
- Other - specify