

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

Application

Committee you are interested in serving on: **Community Advisory Committee on Planning**

If applying for the Accessibility Community Advisory Committee, please select: **No, I am not an applicant with a disability.**

If applying for the Ecological Community Advisory Committee, a professional designation, education or experience in related fields is a requirement based on the technical nature of the committee work. Please indicate your area(s) of expertise:

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

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 no experience.**

What do you hope to contribute or learn as part of a Community Advisory Committee? (max. 250 characters): **I have a long term interest in local history. My latest and perhaps my last project is entitled "London's First Fifty Years" and is a survey of buildings with photographs and descriptions of the importance of the buildings, including architectural, from the early days of the city. It surveys both buildings that still exist and some for whom their remains only a site and photographs.**

I have over the years been involved in many historical research projects involving research, documentation and in some cases successful preservation of buildings and grave sites. While I was teaching I local history in the classroom I worked with a committee on two books that provided tours along with maps that were used by teachers taking classes on local history field trips.

In term of contribution, I think I could contribute a good knowledge of London's geography and history. I also have an extensive personal library of books, maps and documents that might prove beneficial for others.

How will you support the work of a Community Advisory Committee? (max. 250 characters): **While I confess to something of a bias towards the preservation of historical buildings and would likely be inclined towards supporting that kind of end or project in any planning the committee recommended. But I do not believe nor would I support the saving of old buildings at all costs. I personally believe that the biggest and most challenging issue facing all cities, including London is in dealing with climate change, in many and complex ways. I would say that my first support will be to any planning designed to address that issue.**

Please describe additional experience, training, or community involvement that will help you in your role as a Community Advisory Committee Member. (max. 250 characters): **I have been teaching in London and area elementary and secondary schools for over forty years. I have also coached in community sports including soccer, basketball, golf, tennis, track and field. I am an avid golfer and have been an active member of London's public golf courses for over twenty years.**

As a teacher, in addition to performing regular classroom duties, I have worked on curriculum preparation committees in science, history and English, planned and supervised field trips, written curriculum documents, organized sporting events and tournaments and organized history and science fairs.

I would say my community involvement particularly in working with and supporting kids has been long and active. I think in the area of planning, I am reasonably well equipped by experience and training to represent the interests of kids in any planning for London, I'm involved in.

Attach resume or other document here, if needed:

Attach more files here, if needed:

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 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): **Other**

If you selected 'Other', please specify: **Councillor Hopkins informed me.**

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