

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

Application

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

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: **Biology; Ornithology; Zoology; Ecology; Natural History**

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 have not previously served as a member of a London Advisory Committee. I have previous experience with committee work at the University of Western Ontario.**

What do you hope to contribute or learn as part of a Community Advisory Committee? (max. 250 characters): **I am a biology professor at Western with an interest in biodiversity. I have taught many ecology courses, done field research on fish, and I am an active recreational birder. All of these experiences give me some expertise in anthropogenic effects on ecological processes. Furthermore, I am a neighbour to Mud Creek, which is undergoing a restoration project. I regularly visit this greenspace and am particularly interested in contributing my observations at this site to the committee.**

How will you support the work of a Community Advisory Committee? (max. 250 characters): **I have ecological knowledge that I can contribute to committee decisions. I have worked on a stream assessment project for an environmental consultant. I am keen to visit sites proposed for development or restoration and review reports from environmental groups to help make a committee make an informed decision about new projects.**

Please describe additional experience, training, or community involvement that will help you in your role as a Community Advisory Committee Member. (max. 250 characters): **In addition to my ecological background that I describe above, I have served in student government at the University of Western Ontario as a graduate student. In that role, I was a member of committees to manage the budget and decisions made in support of our Grad Club, and I helped draft a constitution for the Society of Biology Graduate Students. I also reported to my constituents of biology graduate students on activities at our student council meetings. I have experience working collaboratively in these projects, and I think that I would be a useful member of this advisory committee.**

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: **my department chair, David Coltman, circulated an email to his colleagues**

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