

City of London - Application for Appointment to a City of London Board or Commission

Application

Please choose the Board or Commission you are interested in serving on: **Covent Garden Market Corporation Board of Directors**

Contact Information

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Province: **ON**

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Experience and Qualifications

If you have experience on a London Board or Commission, please provide dates and details. (max. 3000 characters):

**Covent Garden Board of Directors
(March 2004 - Dec 2010 Director and Vice Chair)
Covent Garden Board of Directors
2018-2022 - Director**

What do you hope to contribute or learn as part of a Board or Commission? (max. 3000 characters):

I am a fifty-eight year resident who wishes to participate in the continued growth of downtown London. I genuinely want to give back to my London for the opportunities it has provided my family, not the least was excellent educational opportunities and a good life in London. I believe that the continued success of the Covent Garden Market depends on the involvement of all Londoners and I will represent the city responsibly and with integrity on all matters.

I will use my experience as a previous member (Director and Vice Chair) on the Covent Garden Market Board I ensure that decision was made that were fiscally responsible and ensured that I was educated on all issues before they came to the board. I also supported the use of the Market by various community group to show case the diversity we have in London.

As a Director and Vice Chair of Residenza Affordable Housing (RAH) - a non-profit charity that built (in 2011) and currently runs a 52 - unit affordable housing seniors building in east London. And opened a second affordable housing project for 60 new units in 2020. RAH is also part of the Vision SoHo Alliance looking to build a total of 680 new apartments on the Old Victoria Hospital Lands on South St. Past member, 2002-2009, of Brescia College's Planning and Facilities Committee, involved in the addition of new offices and classrooms which opened in September 2003 and the Beryl Ivey Library.

How will you support the work of a Board or Commission? (max. 3000 characters):

I have the interest and knowledge to contribute positively to continued success of the Market and its role as a focal point in London. I have a strong work ethic and am known for completing tasks on time and on budget. I am known to be a quick study on complex issues.

I believe I can bring unique ideas to the management and control of the Market and how it can continue to grow with the added people moving into and studying in London's core.

I ensure that I will meet my meting and duty obligations required to fulfill this position.

Please describe additional experience, training, or community involvement that will help you in your role as a Board or Commission Member. (max. 3000 characters):

Work experience: I have worked at GM Electro-Motive/GDLS-C in London for 39 years in various positions of increasing responsibility, including Manufacturing, , Project Management, Facility start-ups and Program Management of defence and locomotive contracts.

Education: -Master of Business Administration - University of Western Ontario (Ivey). - Honours Bachelor of Arts - University of Western Ontario. -Industrial Management Certificate – Fanshawe College. -Human Resources Management -Certificate – Fanshawe College.

Skills: Excellent listening, oral and written communication skills. Strong analytical skills for implementing solutions to complex problems. Experience in preparations of budgets, forecasts and performance measurement matrices. High level of customer focus and ability to determine customer needs -Bid and Proposal preparation. Contract fact-finding and negotiations (Supplier and Customer). Numerous company training programs in various aspects of industry.

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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 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): **City Website**

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

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