# 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: **Middlesex-London Health Unit Board** 

#### **Contact Information**

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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):

I am currently the Chair of the Middlesex-London Health Unit being appointed back in 2018 by City Council as the Citizen Appointee. I serve on all of the committees at the Health Unit including Finance, Policy and the MOH/CEO performance committe. Previous Board experience includes serving on the Thames Valley District School Board from 2013-2018 as a Trustee with one year as Vice Chair and 2 years as Chair. I served on a dozen committees there including Policy, Audit, First Nations, Negotiations, Chairs Committee and more.

I also serve on the Humane Society of Middlesex London (since 2018) and the Goodwill Industries Board (Since 2020).

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

I hope to continue to provide good governance and support to the Board and the Medical Officer of Health and Chief Executive Officer. As we transition past COVID it will be important to have a smooth transition that allows the Health Unit to get back to focusing on their core programing that was shelved due to the pandemic.

It has been an interesting 4 years being on the Health Unit and with potentially a lot of people transitioning off of the board depending on the outcome of the election, it would be beneficial to have some continuity wherever possible.

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

As the current Chair I am well positioned to support the organization, as I have been for the last 4 years. I understand the workload and time commitment, and am passionate about the work they do there. I have a deep understanding now about the programs and services they provide and i hope i can provide some continuity of leadership to the organization which is vitally needed at this time.

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

As mentioned above, I was a TVDSB Trustee from 2013-2018 - being Chair for 2 years and Vice Chair for 1 year.

I serve on the Humane Society of London and Middlsex for the last 4 years.

I serve on the Goodwill Industries Board of Directors for the last 2 years.

I have served in the past on the Board of Governors at Western University, Regional HIV Aids Connection and the Crime Prevention Advisory Committee for the City of London.

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): **Word of mouth** 

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

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