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: **London Police Services Board**

Contact Information

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Province: ON

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Experience and Qualifications

1. Serving on the Police Services Board requires monthly, full-day meeting attendance; each meeting requires 4-6 hours of reading in advance. Can you describe your ability to participate and contribute this minimum amount of time monthly?:

As a litigation partner of 30+ years in my law firm, I am no stranger to full day meetings, mostly on the mediation/arbitration front. I am used to lengthy reads, usually for research purposes.

Full resume available upon request.

2. What skills, education, community involvement and/or experience (including lived experience) do you have that will assist you in a role on this specific board?:

I pride myself in an ability to hone in on specific issues quickly to justify a position or decision.

My legal education focused in part on criminal law, germane to police work. My community involvement from past to present is as follows:

- Director, Sarnia & District Association for the Mentally Retarded
- Commissioner, London Transit Commission
- part-time Assistant Crown Attorney
- Legal Representative, Ontario Review Board
- Temple Attorney, Mocha Shriners and,
- Treasurer, London Valley Consistory Club.
- 3. If you have experience on a Board, Commission or Committee (in London or elsewhere), please provide the details. If you have not previously served on a Board, Commission or Committee, please describe why this appointment is of interest to you.:

The Ontario Review Board and London Transit Commission service above consisted of participating in public and in camera hearings, with drafting and issuing reasons for decision in the case of the Review Board. I served on LTC's Paratransit Committee. My first year Huron College roommate served on the Vancouver Police Services Board, and his positive experience and recommendation there has made me interested in this position.

4. We value the contributions of Londoners with diverse experiences and welcome applications from individuals who share our commitment to reconciliation, equity and inclusion. Please describe how your work, community or lived experience will enhance these efforts through Board and Committee work. (max. 3000 characters):

I have done applications to the Ontario Human Rights Commission, and the Law Society of Ontario and Advocates' Society to which I belong through my work have equity and inclusion as their mantra. Needless to say, if one does not believe in these principles, you are not a member.

Attach resume or other document here (optional).:

Attach more files here, if needed:

Confirmations

I declare the following: 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): **Printed newspaper advertisement**

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

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