City of New Haven: Boards & Commissions Submit Date: Sep 03, 2024

Application Form

Profile					
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Are any of the above nur	nber a cell	phone num	ber?		
⊙ Yes ⊖ No					
If so, which? Also, is it ol	cay to send	a text mes	ssage?		
Mobile. Yes					
Habitat for Humanity New York City and Westchester County	Project Ma	anager			
Employer	Job Title	aa.g.e.			
Which Boards would you	like to app	ly for?			
Affordable Housing: For Revie	ew.				
Is this an appointment o	r reappoint	ment reque	est? *		
Interests & Experiences	5				
Please tell us about yoursell follow: resume, Curriculum '					
Satya_Fisher_Resumepdf Upload a Resume					
Are you currently employ Public School System	yed by the	city of New	Haven	or the Ne	w Haven
O Yes @ No					

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

I am interested in serving on the New Haven Affordable Housing Commission because I am looking to get engaged in my community through an issue of importance to me. I feel that it is crucial to be civically engaged and enjoy seeing the impact that thoughtful decision-making can have on a community. Joining a commission provides a unique opportunity to give back to the community by applying my skills and experiences to local issues. I am eager to learn from others who are passionate about improving our community. Serving on this commission allows me to follow my passion for affordable housing, contribute meaningfully to my community, and to grow personally and professionally.

Why do you believe you would be a good fit for your selected Board and Commissions?

I believe I would be a good fit for the Affordable Housing Commission because of my demonstrated passion and experience in the field of affordable housing. I am currently a Project Manager for Habitat for Humanity New York City and Westchester County. In this role, I oversee the development of 68 affordable homeownership units, working with multidisciplinary teams to secure financing and manage project execution. In addition to project management skills and experience, I have also honed my research skills through a year-long affordable housing policy fellowship in my home state of Hawaii. Prior to that, I had an undergraduate research position at Virginia Tech. As a Policy Fellow with Housing Hawaii's Future, I contributed to drafting legislation aimed at lowering rental security deposits and balancing deed restrictions to promote affordable housing. During my undergraduate studies, I researched the impact of housing instability on community health, particularly its role as a risk factor for adverse childhood experiences. This research is now being prepared for publication in an academic journal. My interest and commitment to affordable housing began while growing up in Hawai'i, a state known for its lack of affordable housing options. I witnessed friends and family members being driven out of our community by rapidly increasing housing costs. My background in both practical and policy aspects of affordable housing, combined with my desire to learn and collaborate with others, makes me well-suited to contribute to the commission's important work.

Do you have any time commitments that would prevent you from participating in the board/commission meetings?

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Demographics

In order to stay compliant with State Statute, what is your political affiliation on your voter registration?

Unaffiliated

In order to stay compliant with our city's charter, are you registered to vote in New Haven?

We strive to maintain diversity in all of our Boards and Commissions. These questions are optional and if you volunteer the information we will only use it to ensure that our boards and commissions are diverse.

Ethnicity

▼ Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

Gender

✓ Male