

## **Application for Boards and Commissions**

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City of New Haven, CT

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Are you a registered voter?	Yes
What political party do you belong to? [This information is only requested as it is required by the city charter (Article X Sec. 2-551) to ensure minority party representation on boards and commissions]	Democrat
Which board and/or commission are you hoping to serve on?	Environmental Advisory Council
What is your current occupation?	Environmental Scientist, Water advocate
Please explain why you are interested in serving on this board/commission?	I live in New Haven which is great City. My vision for the city is it being viable and beautiful. That is why I am interested in promoting environmental practices that will keep the city clean, healthy and beautiful. I am also an advocate of pollution prevention, which sometime goes unseen. Pollution prevention is a very cost effective way to keep our land, air and water clean - and keep people healthy (and happy).
Why do you believe you are a good fit for this board/commission?	I have attended meetings with the EAC for the past 5 years. My education includes Atmospheric Sciences (MSc) and Water treatment Research (PhD). I am very interested in advance technologies both for water and energy. I am interested in New Haven being a progressive town that will draw people to live here.
Do you have any time commitments that would prevent you from participating in the board/commission meetings?	Not currently. I attend meetings with Water State Plan of Connecticut on Tuesdays between 1-3:00 pm.