# Profile

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Question applies to multiple boards

Applications are accepted for the calendar year only. The Olympia City Council's General Government Committee recommends appointments to the full Council. Recommendations are made following review of applications and interviews of qualified candidates.

The City of Olympia values participation from all perspectives and life experiences and looks for equity and inclusion in advisory board appointments.

Three absences from meetings in a year may result in removal from an advisory board.

Questions? Contact Susan Grisham, Executive Assistant, 360.753.8244, sgrisham@ci.olympia.wa.us

If you saved or submitted an application and did not receive a confirmation, please check your spam folder.

# The City of Olympia is committed to the non-discriminatory treatment of all persons in employment and the delivery of services and resources.

When filed with the City, your application and attachment documents are public records and may be subject to public release.

Manager

Occupation

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

### Utility Advisory Committee: Submitted

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If you applied for multiple boards or commissions, please rank them in order of interest below.

#### South Westside Olympia

If you choose "other" please write in your neighborhood here:

## Interests & Experiences

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Please keep answers concise and informative. You are introducing yourself to the Olympia City Council and sharing with them why you are interested in being considered for appointment. Olympia residency is not required; however, it is a primary consideration. You may attach a resume.

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1. Briefly describe why you wish to serve on this advisory committee.

I am interested in helping the city. I have significant relevant experience in utilities.

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2. Describe your qualifications and/or skills which would benefit this advisory committee.

32 years working for state agencies, nearly 20 of that working in solid waste management. 8years working for an oil refinery. 5+ years on the state's Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council.

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3. Describe your involvement in the Olympia community.

I am relatively new to active service for the City, but have been a public servant in this town for ~32 years.

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4. List your educational and professional background and area of study.

Chemical Engineering degree from UW - worked for a refinery for 8 years before returning to my native state and taking a job with Dept. of Ecology. I have regulated refineries, smelters, pulp mills. I was the chief of state Solid Waste activities for nearly 10 years. I worked with Puget Sound Partnership and also Dept. of Natural Resources as Budget Director nd De4puty for State Lands.

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5. Appointment to this committee will require your attendance at evening meetings. How many hours per month are you willing to commit as a volunteer?

I understand the committe meets for about three hours on the first Thursday, and I expect that there will be homework between meetings (perhaps 2-3 hours per week.)

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6. If you are not appointed to this committee at this time:

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6a. Do you wish to be considered for appointment to another advisory committee?

○ Yes ⊙ No

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6b. Do you wish to be considered for future appointment to this committee?

### ⊙ Yes ⊖ No

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6c. Would you be willing to volunteer for other City activities?

## ⊙ Yes ⊙ No

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If you answered yes to 6a, please identify what other Advisory Committiees you would be interested in being considered for in order of interest.

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7. Some appointments require that applicants reside within Olympia city limits. Even though your mailing address may be Olympia, you may reside in the County or another jurisdiction. Are you a resident of the City of Olympia?

⊙ Yes ⊖ No

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8. Citizens appointed to advisory committees are assigned and required to use a City email address for all advisory committee business.

Do you agree to comply with this expectation?

# I Agree \*

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9. How did you learn about this advisory committee recruitment?

Website and friends.

Upload a Resume