

City of Lewisville, TX - Boards and Commissions Application

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Occupation: Realtor- New Century Real Estate

Employer: self employed

Are you a resident of Lewisville? Yes **Length of Residency:** 25 years

Do you, your spouse or your employer have any financial interest, directly or indirectly, in matters that might come before the Board and Commission to which you seek appointment? No

If yes, explain:

Do you, your spouse or your employer have any financial interest, directly or indirectly, in the sale to the City of any land, materials, supplies or service? No

If yes, explain:

Applicate Board Preferences

Arts Advisory Board:

Animal Services Advisory Committee:

CDBG Advisory Committee:

Lewisville Housing Finance Corporation:

Lewisville Industrial Development Corp:

Lewisville 2025 Advisory Board: 1

Library Board:

Lewisville Parks & Library Dev Corp:

Old Town Design Review Committee:

Park Board:

Planning & Zoning Commission:

TIRZ #1:

TIRZ #2:

Zoning Board of Adjustment:

Oil and Gas Advisory Board:

Background

Education: High School, College

College – Course Study: General Studies-Brookhaven College

Other – explain: Real Estate licensing courses through UTA online.

What is your occupational experience? I have worked in the Real Estate for the past 14 years as an assistant to a broker/residential property management company, then as a licensed Realtor for the past 9 years. Prior to that, I was a student and working at my family's wholesale jewelry business.

Areas of Interest: I like to travel, especially internationally. I also enjoy reading, cooking and community service/volunteering

Please specify membership and give title and dates, and/or employment with all Boards, Commissions, Corporations, Non-Profit Entities, Agencies, or other Entities on any other government Board or Commission that you have held: I am on the Board of Directors for the Texas Muslim Women's Foundation.TMWF is a

501(c)(3)civic organization that empowers, promotes and supports all women and their families through educational, outreach, philanthropy and social services. I am also a member of of the 2016-17 class of Citizen's University.

Are you involved in any community activities? I am the band booster club president at Huffines Middle School. I also serve as a Youth Adviser at the Islamic Association of Lewisville/Flower Mound.

Have you attended one or more meetings of the Boards/Commission/Committee for which you have applied?
No

Please write a brief narrative outlining your interests and qualifications for seeking appointment: I have been a resident of the City of Lewisville since I was 16 years old and cannot imagine living anywhere else. I am passionate about my City and like to think of myself as an ambassador already! In my capacity as a Realtor, I help families move into and around Lewisville and it brings me immense joy when I see newcomers fall as much in love with our city as I am. I feel like I possess the knowledge (thanks in part to my education and involvement through Citizen's University) and drive that will make me an asset to any of the board/commissions on which I am applying to serve.

What do you hope to accomplish by serving on a Board or Commission? If appointed to a Board/Commission, I hope to utilize not only my professional experience and knowledge as a Realtor, but also my passion as a concerned citizen to contribute to and enhance the City of Lewisville for all residents and businesses.

What else would you like to tell us about yourself? I am enthusiastic and reliable. I work well in groups and am a great multi tasker. I am also bilingual, fluent in Urdu/Hindi along with English. I am also taking classes in conversational Spanish. Communication, both written and oral are my strong suits.