



CITY OF FORT PIERCE

100 NORTH US HWY 1
FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA 34950
(772) 467-3065 fax (772) 467-3841

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT

Name of Board or Boards for which you are applying: Civil Service Appeals Board

Name: Kori Benton	Phone: 772-519-0470
Home Address: 4181 Worlington Terr., Ft. Pierce 34947 City/Zip Code:	How long at this address? 2+ years
Are you a citizen of the United States? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Occupation: Urban & Regional Planner - St. Lucie County BOCC	
Do you own a business that operates within the City of Fort Pierce? If yes, list the address and nature of said business: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Do you now or in the future plan to do business with the City of Fort Pierce? If yes, in what capacity? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Are you employed by a business that is located within the City of Fort Pierce? If yes, state the business and location: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Do you have special training or knowledge in the area of: Architecture: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Engineering: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Real Estate Brokering: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Contracting: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Land Development: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Other: Describe your education, background, training and knowledge – (feel free to attach a resume):	
Are you currently a member of a Commission-appointed board/committee? If yes, please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Have you ever been convicted of a felony? If yes, what was the nature of the crime(s) you were convicted of: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Referred by:	Applicant Email Address: koricbenton@gmail.com
Date: 5.17.2019	Applicant's Signature <i>Kori Benton</i>

APPLICATIONS EXPIRE 6 MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF SUBMISSION. PLEASE REAPPLY AS OFTEN AS DESIRED.
Please return form to: City Clerk's Office – 100 North US Hwy 1, Fort Pierce, Florida 34950
fax (772) 467-3841 or via email at lcox@city-ftpierce.com

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EDUCATION

University of Florida – Gainesville, Florida

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-Public Affairs Certificate; Specializing in Environmental, Regional Planning, & State/Local Policy

UF GPA: 3.498 / UF Upper Division GPA: 3.57

Florida Atlantic University – Boca Raton, Florida

Masters of Arts: Public Administration - 2014

FAU GPA: 3.71

WORK

St. Lucie County – Senior Planner (2018-Present)

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- Intergovernmental coordination and economic development.
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City of Fort Pierce – Historic Preservation Officer (2013-2015)

City of Fort Pierce – Planning Specialist (2011-2013)

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Treasure Coast Section of Florida APA Executive Committee (2016-Present)

Fort Pierce Rotary Club (2016-Present)

Heathcote Botanical Gardens Board – (2015-Present)

Hibiscus Children's Center Foundation Board – President (2015-2016)

Hibiscus Children's Center Foundation Board – (2012-Present)

Hibiscus Children's Center Governing Board (2013-2014)

IRSC Student Affairs and Ethics Committee (2008)

Volunteer for Habitat for Humanity (2006-2009)

Volunteer for St. Lucie County Education Foundation (2005-2007)

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