

From: noreply@civicplus.com
To: [CC \(City Clerk's Office\)](#)
Subject: Online Form Submittal: Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2024
Date: Tuesday, January 28, 2025 2:34:52 PM

Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2024

Instructions

Please complete and submit to the City Clerk Department located in the City Hall Administration Office at 110 E. La Habra Boulevard, La Habra, CA 90631.

Position: Community Services Commission

Other Position: *Field not completed.*

First Name Denise

Last Name Schmidt

Address: [REDACTED] e

City: LA HABRA

Telephone: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

How long have you been a La Habra resident? 32

Occupation: retired

Educational Background: *Field not completed.*

Are you the spouse or child of a current City Councilmember, City Manager, or Department Head? No

If yes, please identify the person and your relationship to them: *Field not completed.*

Membership or License in Professional or Technical Associations: *Field not completed.*

Membership in Civic and or Service Organizations:

current Community Services Commissioner and prior Beautification Committee member. Currently on the Centennial Committee

Civic Interests:

It has been rewarding to serve on the Community Services Commission these past years promoting city-sponsored events and advising City Council on improving, supporting, and assisting with the recreational and social needs of community members to enhance the quality of life for all residents of La Habra. This will be my last term if selected to serve on the Commission again. My time on this Commission brings the ability to use the knowledge and experience I have obtained to make good decisions and judgements.

Do you possess any special skills?

My 39 years in a leadership role at PIH has allowed me to develop skills in leading teams as well as working with people to help grow in their careers.

Additional Comments:

Working with Kelly, Kim and Anthony has been a highlight being on this Commission and hope to continue working with them for this term.

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From: noreply@civicplus.com
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Subject: Online Form Submittal: Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025
Date: Wednesday, February 5, 2025 11:19:45 PM

Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025

Instructions

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Position: Community Services Commission

Other Position: *Field not completed.*

First Name: Manuel

Last Name: Miranda

Address: [REDACTED]

City: La Habra

Telephone: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

How long have you been a La Habra resident? 3 Years

Occupation: Shop Foreman

Educational Background: College, 2 year

Are you the spouse or child of a current City Councilmember, City Manager, or Department Head? No

If yes, please identify the person and your relationship to them: *Field not completed.*

Membership or License in Professional or Technical Associations: ASE Professional

Membership in Civic
and or Service
Organizations: None

Civic Interests: Community outreach and well being.

Do you possess any
special skills? Expert in automobile industry.

Additional Comments: Looking to help the community anyway possible.

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Subject: Online Form Submittal: Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025
Date: Thursday, February 6, 2025 11:24:42 AM

Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025

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Position:	Community Services Commission
Other Position:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
First Name	Janette
Last Name	Cortez
Address:	██████████
City:	La Habra
Telephone:	██████████
Email:	████████████████████
How long have you been a La Habra resident?	20 months
Occupation:	Investment Data Manager
Educational Background:	Latina
Are you the spouse or child of a current City Councilmember, City Manager, or Department Head?	No
If yes, please identify the person and your relationship to them:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Membership or License in Professional or Technical Associations:	<i>Field not completed.</i>

Membership in Civic
and or Service
Organizations:

Field not completed.

Civic Interests:

Field not completed.

Do you possess any
special skills?

Field not completed.

Additional Comments:

I am a mom of twins, and want to help create a city for them to thrive in.

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CITIZENS' BOARD/COMMISSION APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT

Please complete and submit to the City Clerk Department located in the Administration Building at 110 East La Habra Boulevard, La Habra, CA 90631. Please select the position applying for:

POSITION: Community Services Comm OTHER POSITION: _____

APPLICANT'S NAME: CARRIE SURCH

RESIDENCE/BUSINESS ADDRESS: [REDACTED] LA HABRA CA 90631

PHONE: [REDACTED] E-MAIL: [REDACTED]

HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN A LA HABRA RESIDENT? 35YRS OCCUPATION: REALTOR

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: High School Graduate from James A Garfield LA and some College Courses in Business

ARE YOU THE SPOUSE OR CHILD OF A CURRENT CITY COUNCILMEMBER, CITY MANAGER, OR DEPARTMENT HEAD? Yes If yes, please identify the person and your relationship to them: No

MEMBERSHIP OR LICENSE IN PROFESSIONAL OR TECHNICAL ASSOCIATIONS:
Professional RE License 35 yrs, Pacific West Association Board of Realtors, CAR/NAR California Association of Realtors, National Association of Realtors, Cartus Relocation Certification for 20 years

MEMBERSHIP IN CIVIC AND OR SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS:
La Habra Meals on Wheels President and BOD member, La Habra Woman's Club member, Chair for La Habra Veterans Committee 13 yrs, Centennial Committee member, La Habra Collaborative member and Food Giving Program

CIVIC INTERESTS:
Over the past two decades I have enjoyed working with and supporting many of the non profit organizations in the community with many of their events. Love being a mentor to our youths whenever possible. One of my favorite passions is helping ,supporting of Veterans and Seniors and finding ways to help or develop programs to serve them.

DO YOU POSSESS ANY SPECIAL SKILLS?:
As a former Community Services Commissioner my focus was finding ways to serve as a representative to the community in many different capacities. Be it volunteering, mentoring, supporting and to provide feedback to city staff on matters that effect the community.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

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SIGNATURE: CSurich

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Date Application Received: _____ Application Received By: _____

LH Resident Verified: _____ Date Verified: _____

Interview Date: _____ Interview Time: _____

Date Applicant Notified by Phone: _____ Date Applicant Notified by Letter: _____

Date Follow-up Letters Mailed: _____ Date Completed: _____

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Subject: Online Form Submittal: Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025
Date: Saturday, February 8, 2025 7:22:04 PM

Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025

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Position:	Planning Commission
Other Position:	Community Service Commision
First Name	Ginger
Last Name	Logan-Cannon
Address:	[REDACTED]
City:	LaHabra
Telephone:	[REDACTED]
Email:	[REDACTED]
How long have you been a La Habra resident?	40 years
Occupation:	Retired Parole Agent
Educational Background:	NASTERS IN ORGANIZATIONAL MANAGEMENT
Are you the spouse or child of a current City Councilmember, City Manager, or Department Head?	No
If yes, please identify the person and your relationship to them:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Membership or License in Professional or Technical Associations:	Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Incorporated 2. National Organization of Libks, 3 California Correctional Peace aOfficets Association

Membership in Civic and or Service Organizations: Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Incorporated, 2. LIBKS INCORPORATED, CALIFORNIA Correctional Peace officers association

Civic Interests: Community, justice,

Do you possess any special skills? Event Planning

Additional Comments: I have lived and raised a family in the City of LaHabra, im committed to this city and would like to become more vested in it. I would truly like the opportunity and the honor to serve at the discretion of the City as a Commisioner. I'm also eager to learn.

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Subject: Online Form Submittal: Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025
Date: Sunday, February 16, 2025 6:10:38 PM

Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025

Instructions

Please complete and submit to the City Clerk Department located in the City Hall Administration Office at 110 E. La Habra Boulevard, La Habra, CA 90631.

Position: Planning Commission

Other Position: *Field not completed.*

First Name Lyndsey

Last Name Lefebvre

Address: [REDACTED]

City: La Habra

Telephone: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

How long have you been a La Habra resident? 14 Years

Occupation: Data Sales/Adjunct Professor

Educational Background: B.A. and M.A. in English Comparative Literature and Linguistics from CSU Fullerton

Are you the spouse or child of a current City Councilmember, City Manager, or Department Head? No

If yes, please identify the person and your relationship to them: *Field not completed.*

Membership or License in Professional or Technical Associations: *Field not completed.*

Membership in Civic and or Service Organizations:

Sonora PTA

Civic Interests:

City development, residential issues, housing and housing affordability, economic diversity

Do you possess any special skills?

I have professional experience with political campaigns and electoral politics. I have experiences with minutes and Robert's Rules of Order.

Additional Comments:

I would be honored to serve the City of La Habra as a Planning Commissioner. I adore the community that I have moved into, and I am excited for the continuing support and building of our caring community. I am accessible and pride myself on approaching my work through collaboration.

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Subject: Online Form Submittal: Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025
Date: Thursday, February 20, 2025 8:25:07 PM

Citizens' Board & Commission Application 2025

Instructions

Please complete and submit to the City Clerk Department located in the City Hall Administration Office at 110 E. La Habra Boulevard, La Habra, CA 90631.

Position:	Planning Commission
Other Position:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
First Name	Yamilet
Last Name	Lara
Address:	[REDACTED]
City:	La Habra
Telephone:	[REDACTED]
Email:	[REDACTED]
How long have you been a La Habra resident?	3
Occupation:	Urban planner & designer
Educational Background:	Bachelors degree in Geography and Certificate in Urban Studies
Are you the spouse or child of a current City Councilmember, City Manager, or Department Head?	No
If yes, please identify the person and your relationship to them:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Membership or License in Professional or Technical Associations:	<i>Field not completed.</i>

Membership in Civic
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Civic Interests:

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Do you possess any
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Additional Comments:

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YAMILET LARA



SKILLS

Bilingual (Spanish), Excellent Customer Service, Time Management, Leadership, Problem Solving, Communication Skills, Ability to accept and learn from criticism, Positive Attitude

EXPERIENCE

JUNE 2024- PRESENT

PLANNER I, CITY FABRICK

- Lead a project that helped the development in pedestrian improvements for seniors
- Created and lead curriculum on community resiliency centers for community-based organizations
- Conducted site analysis and contributed to the preparation of comprehensive urban development plans
- Collaborated with senior planners to develop and implement sustainable design principles in urban development projects
- Drafted zoning documents and development proposals
- Conducted field surveys to assess the existing conditions of neighborhoods and potential areas for improvement

SEPTEMBER 2023- PRESENT

INTERN, CITY FABRICK

- Conducted site analysis and contributed to the preparation of comprehensive urban development plans
- Assisted in data collection and analysis for zoning regulations and land use policies
- Participated in community engagement sessions to gather public input on proposed urban projects
- Collaborated with senior planners to develop and implement sustainable design principles in urban development projects
- Contributed to the drafting and review of zoning documents and development proposals
- Conducted field surveys to assess the existing conditions of neighborhoods and potential areas for improvement
- Worked with Adobe and ArcGIS tools to create and design different projects

OCTOBER 2022

EARTH DAY PROJECT SHOWCASE, GEOG 452 SUSTAINABLE CITIES

- Worked with a group to evaluate the application of the Urban Agriculture Incentive Zone Act on 3 different cities
- Conducted research on the application of the Urban Agriculture Incentive Zone Act on each city by reviewing government documents and calling city planning departments
- Effectively simplified information in order to communicate it in a visual poster form
- Submitted the poster to a region wide Earth Day showcase (presented by Cal State Long Beach) for evaluation

OCTOBER 2022

SURVEYING, CITY FABRICK

- Assisted in surveying neighborhoods for the Anaheim Corridor Project in Long Beach, CA
- Worked with a group member to reach more residents within affected neighborhoods
- Effectively communicated our study to residents in order to obtain clear responses and understanding
- Collected and stored data to get clear results of the community needs

MAR 2021 – JUNE 2024

CLIENT SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE, ADP PAYROLL SERVICES

- Identify client needs, research issues, clarify information, and provide solutions
- Utilize technology and applications to organize cases and appointment management
- Efficiently communicate with clients and colleagues
- Handle incoming calls from clients
- Efficient note taker

DEC 2015 – MAR 2021

APPAREL AND ACCESSORIES TEAM LEADER, TARGET

- Educate team on sales and the importance of customer service
- Collaborate with different leaders in order to complete projects
- Solve any problems or concerns regarding team members or guest issues

EDUCATION

MAY 2024

BA GEOGRAPHY, CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY LONG BEACH

MAY 2021

AA GEOGRAPHY FOR TRANSFER, CERRITOS COLLEGE