

Application Form**Profile**

Elana

First Name

Lynn

Last Name

Middle
Initial

Email Address

Home Address

City

Suite or Apt

State

Postal Code

What Ward do you live in? * Unknown

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Equity Action Partners

Employer

Government Relations
Coordinator

Job Title

Contract Lobbyist

Occupation

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Salem Human Rights Commission: Submitted

Which of the following City of Salem Board or Commission meetings have you attended? * None**Interests & Experiences****What do you feel you can contribute as a board or commission member?**

As someone with a political and legal background I am great at seeing the bigger picture and understanding what is actually achievable. I have dedicated my life to justice in various forms from environmental to criminal and in that pursuit have worked with people from all different walks of life. Also, I am a proud member of the LGBTQIA+ community as a non-binary queer person that grew up in the south I have experienced so much hatred and my hope to protect other LGBTQIA+ people from having the same experience. I believe I would be as asset to the commission as a whole and also the LGBTQIA+ Intersectional Task Force sub-committee.

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What prompted your interest in applying to serve as a board or commission member?

I recently moved to Salem and want to help foster the a safe respectful community.

Please explain how your education, professional, personal, or volunteer experience and knowledge qualify you to serve on the board(s) or commission(s) for which you are applying.

My education focused on environmental justice which plays an important role in human rights as well as my background as a paralegal in immigration law and intake coordinator for multiple areas of law. Now my political experience highlights the importance of personal connection, honest policy, and team work.

List any experience you have with volunteering for the City of Salem or other organizations.

Since I am new to the area I have not volunteered yet, but I volunteered for years with Global PDX a local non-profit that serves as a center for Oregon organizations doing global work.

Briefly explain any experience you have working with your neighborhood association or other public bodies or committees.

I work with public bodies on a daily basis in my current role, I can not think of an agency I have not worked with at this point.

Can you commit to attending a minimum of 75 percent of scheduled meetings? (Please refer to the City's website for the meeting schedule. Failure to meet the attendance requirement may result in removal from office.)

Yes No

Please list up to three (3) references whom we could contact to learn more about your qualifications (name/email address or phone number/relationship).

Iris Maria Chevez - iris@equityactionpartners.com/504-701-3931/boss at Equity Action Partners
Carolyn Lee - carolyn.frances.lee@gmail.com/206-351-4486/Chief of Staff for HD 29
Sarah Terry Arbuckle - sarah.g.arbuckle@gmail.com/310-938-5769/Form legislative aid for HD 48 and current Oregon Department of Education employee

Question applies to Salem Human Rights Commission

As part of its mission, the Human Rights and Relations Advisory Commission strives to reach out to the Salem community. Please describe your affiliations within the community that may aid the Commission in this mission.

Aside from my connections at the capitol I do not have many affiliations since I am new to the area.

Question applies to Salem Human Rights Commission

The Salem Human Rights and Relations Advisory Commission includes one youth representative who shall not be younger than 15 years of age and not older than 21 years of age. Are you applying for this position?

Yes No

Although, I can not apply for the youth representative since I am 22, I still believe I will bring a youthful perspective.

Demographics

Some boards and commissions require membership to be racially, politically or geographically proportionate to the general public. The following information helps track our recruitment and diversity efforts.

Ethnicity

Gender
