

Application Form

Profile

Diana

First Name

Dickey

Middle Initial

Last Name

[REDACTED]

Email Address

[REDACTED]

Home Address

Suite or Apt

Salem

City

OR

State

97302

Postal Code

What Ward do you live in? *

☒ Ward 3

Home: [REDACTED]

Primary Phone

Business: [REDACTED]

Alternate Phone

Marion County

Employer

Health Educator

Job Title

Health Educator

Occupation

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Salem Parks and Recreation Advisory Board: Submitted

Which of the following City of Salem Board or Commission meetings have you attended? *

- ☒ Citizen Budget Committee
- ☒ Community Police Review Board
- ☒ Downtown Advisory Board
- ☒ North Gateway Redevelopment Advisory Board
- ☒ Salem Housing Advisory Committee
- ☒ Salem Human Rights and Relations Advisory Commission
- ☒ Salem Parks and Recreation Advisory Board
- ☒ Salem Planning Commission
- ☒ Salem Urban Development, Community Services and Housing Commission

Interests & Experiences

What do you feel you can contribute as a board or commission member?

As a former Salem City Council member and parks master plan committee chair, I am aware of the need and opportunities that exist in our parks system. I can provide a perspective that is supportive and advocates for parks and recreational facilities, combined with an understanding of how parks fit within the bigger picture of the scope of city services and as well as some of the limitations on current funding for parks. I would love to explore with SPRAB opportunities to continue to improve and enhance the parks system. Salem has many great parks and many parks with great potential. My hope is that someday the parks system will have adequate funding for development and maintenance for the benefit of Salem residents and visitors.

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

After my City Council term ended, I took a break from city service, but then had recently began looking for an opportunity to volunteer again.

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.

One of my biggest projects while on the City Council was the completion of Hoodview Park in NE Salem. Advocating for its development required collaboration between city staff, council members, neighborhood association and neighbors. Through the entire process, which took several years, I learned a lot about the overall parks system, parks funding and development and the critical need for ongoing maintenance. This was also true when I chaired the parks master plan advisory committee.

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

Salem City Council 2009-2017 incl. City Budget Committee, Urban Renewal Agency Board member, and Salem Housing Authority Board member; Northgate Neighborhood Association 2006-2009, North Neighborhoods Community Progress Team 2008-2016;

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

See Above

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).

Laura Tesler former City Council colleague, [REDACTED] Tiffany Partridge, friend,
[REDACTED]

Question applies to Salem Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

Salem Parks and Recreation Advisory Board bylaws state that one member must have expertise in urban forestry, horticulture, or arboriculture. Does this apply to you?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☒ Prefer not to Answer

Gender

☒ Female