

CITY OF OCALA

BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLICATION

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Business: Ocala Housing Authority (OHA) Business Phone: (352) 620-3374

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Occupation: Chief Executive Officer Email Address: Gdawson@ocalahousing.org

Brief Resume of Education and Experience:

I have worked in community dev/affordable housing for 32 years, with 29 of those years in management. As the CEO of the OHA for 23 years, I am responsible for the administration of a \$15 million budget that provides housing assistance to low-income families. I am a Florida Licensed Mortgage Broker and Real Estate Broker, and I have a B. S. degree in Accounting, a MBA, and Doctorate in Bus. Admin. Degree.

Are you a Resident of Marion County? (If so, state length of time)	Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Number of Years: <u>59</u>		
Do you own property within the City limits?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
Do you reside within the City?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
Do you own a business within the City?	Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	
Are you a registered City voter?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	
Do you hold a public office?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
Are you employed by the City?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
At the present time, do you serve on a City Board, Commission, Authority, or Committee?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	

Please Note: A board/commission member shall not serve on more than one City board/commission at a time, unless that board/commission is an interim Ad Hoc Committee.

Please check the boards(s)/commission(s) you wish to serve on. If you have more than one interest, please number in order of your preference.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> - Affordable Housing Advisory Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> - Ocala Historic Preservation Advisory Board |
| <input type="checkbox"/> - Airport Advisory Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> - Ocala Housing Authority |
| <input type="checkbox"/> - Board of Adjustment * / ** | <input type="checkbox"/> - Planning and Zoning Commission * / ** |
| <input type="checkbox"/> - Golf Advisory Board | <input type="checkbox"/> - Recreation Commission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> - Municipal Arts Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> - Tree Commission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> - Municipal Code Enforcement Board * | <input type="checkbox"/> - Utility Advisory Board |
| <input type="checkbox"/> - Municipal Tennis Association Advisory Board | |

* Requires Financial Disclosure Form (if appointed to board/commission)

** Requires Property Description


Property Description: OFFICES FOR HOUSING AUTHORITY SEC 13 TWP 15 RGE 21

Until such time as you are selected for the board/commission of your choice, can we submit your application when vacancies occur without contacting you each time? Yes ☒ No ☐

Why do you think you are qualified to serve on this Board?

I believe my education, professional work experience, knowledge, and skills have equipped me to serve on the AHAC. Having 32 years of community dev/affordable housing experience, 37 years of accounting experience, along with having served as the developer of a 131-unit and 28-unit single-family housing dev., and co-developer of 469 LIHTC units, and OHA property manager, I am qualified to serve on the AHAC.

I HEREBY CONFIRM THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS APPLICATION, THAT ALL INFORMATION FURNISHED BY ME IS TRUE AND ACCURATE AND THAT, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, I MEET THE CRITERIA FOR SERVING ON THE BOARD(S)/COMMISSION(S) FOR WHICH I AM APPLYING.

Signature:  Date: 28-Feb-2022

Notes:

- (1) Application effective for ONE YEAR from date of completion
- (2) If you have any questions regarding this application, please call the Office of the City Clerk at (352) 629-8266

Return to:

City Clerk's Office
110 SE Watula Avenue
Ocala, FL 34471