



**City of Peoria  
Committee Volunteer Interest Sheet**

Committed volunteers play an important part in shaping Peoria's future. Committee members assist the City Council and Administration in developing policies and services which reflect the needs and values of the entire Peoria community. As a member of a City committee, you serve as a respected community advisor to the City Council and Administration.

While volunteer involvement requires time and effort, it also provides an opportunity for genuine public service. In addition, you gain knowledge about the role of City Government and its day-to-day operations.

If you are interested in joining over 400 Peoria citizens currently serving as volunteer committee members, please complete this volunteer interest sheet and profile and return it to the:

City of Peoria  
Mayor's Office  
419 Fulton Street, Suite 207  
Peoria, IL. 61602

Any questions can be directed to the Assistant to the Mayor, Michelle King, at [mking@peoriagov.org](mailto:mking@peoriagov.org) or 309-494-8558.

I am interested in serving on the following committees:

	Advisory Committee on Police-Community Relations		Peoria Civic Center Authority
	Board of Examining Engineers		Peoria Housing Authority
	Board of Local Improvements		Peoria Urban Forestry Advisory Board
	CDBG Public Service Advisory Commission		Peoria Public Library Board of Trustees
	Constitution Garden Advisory Committee	x	Planning and Zoning Commission
	Construction Commission		Police Pension Fund Board of Trustees
	Downtown Advisory Commission		Public Arts Advisory Commission
	East Village Growth Cell		Public Building Commission of Peoria
	Fair Employment Commission		Riverfront Program and Police Advisory
	Fair Housing Commission		Sister City Commission
	Fire and Police Commission		Solid Waste (Landfill) Committee
	Firemen's Pension Fund Board of Trustees		Springdale Cemetery Management Authority
	Greater Peoria Mass Transit District Board of Trustees		Tourism Reserve Fund
x	Historic Preservation Commission		Transportation Commission
x	Land Bank Board		Zoning Board of Appeals
	Liquor Commission		
	Mayor's Advisory Committee for Citizens with Disabilities		
	Metropolitan Airport Authority of Peoria Board of Dir.		
	Municipal Band Commission		
	Peoria Area Convention and Visitors Bureau Board of Dir.		



## Profile

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Year/Date of birth: 1969/March 12

Preferred method of contact: mail, email, or fax.  Email

Preference on which commission you would like to serve: 1. Land Bank Board 2. Historic Preservation with the goal of a future on Planning and Zoning.

### Community volunteer experience:

I began my career at the Esther House as a volunteer - first downtown in the kitchen and then at Esther House; as well as countless hours of volunteering through my local church doing neighborhood outreach and mentoring single mothers.

Have you previously served on a City commission? If yes, state commission and date of service: No, I have not previously served.

**Professional and employment background:** Active Licensed Real Estate Broker with Keller Williams Premier Realty. Supervised the Peoria Rescue Ministries' Women's Emergency Homeless Shelter at the Esther House; currently the Director of Housing and Community Development at Phoenix Community Development Services. Caterpillar for 12 yrs: Purchasing, HR

**Educational background:** Maintain my Illinois Real Estate Broker license and am in good standing. B.S. in Interior Design from the Art Institute of Pittsburgh Online. National Center for Housing Management Certifications: Fair Housing, Tax Credit, Occupancy

**State briefly why you wish to be considered for a City volunteer commission and what you would hope to accomplish if appointed:**

I am a native Peorian who has raised three sons (of color) in this community; and I'm old enough to understand what "Will it play in Peoria" means. I believe in this city - I see it's capacity to be the city other's try to emulate...and I want to put my hands, my heart, my brain and even my back into helping bring this to pass. Others before me have laid the foundation and erected policy and plans that have been very successful. I want my turn in this marathon. I owe it to this city - I owe it to my children and theirs to come. I have experienced many pitfalls in life and I am behooved to use it for the good of us all.

**Would your service on a City commission be a conflict of interest for you?**

No, it would not be a conflict of interest for me.

Signature: Kimberly Washburn Date: 5-14-2021

**Please Note:** If you are selected for appointment to a City commission, a copy of this form will be attached to the public Council communication requesting your appointment.