

Memo

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners
From: Paul Horne, Parks Planner
Date: August 11, 2014
Re: Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Applications



Discussion

Attached are six applications we've received for the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board.

Background

Chart of current members:

Existing Membership	Residence	Date of Appointment	Term Expiration (June 30, 20XX)
Vacant	Town	NA	2013
Sara Brinson	Town	8/24/2012	2014
Brett Moraes	Town	8/24/2012	2013
Nanishka Albaladejo	Town	8/24/2012	2014
Dee Reid	ETJ	8/24/2012	2013
Megan Bolejack	ETJ	8/24/2012	2014

Recommendation

That the Board considers appointing the current applicants
The following chart reflects the proposed new terms of service.

Existing Membership	Residence	Date of Appointment	Term Expiration (June 30, 20XX)	New Term Expiration (June 30, 20XX)
Sarah Carr	Town	8/11/2014	2013	2015
Sara Brinson	Town	8/24/2012	2014	2016
Brett Moraes	Town	8/24/2012	2013	2015
Nanishka Albaladejo	Town	8/24/2012	2014	2016
Dee Reid	ETJ	8/24/2012	2013	2015
Megan Bolejack	ETJ	8/24/2012	2014	2016

TOWN OF PITTSBORO

PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD APPLICATION

Name: Brett Moraes

Full Address: 142 Fox Chapel Ln, Pittsboro, NC 27312

Phone: Home (919)____360-7090_____ Work (919)_542-4512_____

Email: b_moraes21@yahoo.com Mobile : same as above_____

Please check only one: Reside In Town__X__;

ADVISORY BOARD FUNCTION

The primary function of the advisory board is to advise and make recommendations to the Town Manager or his designee the Parks Planner, and to the governing board.

QUALIFICATIONS

- 1. List any experience you may have in working on an advisory board or with a parks and recreation department.**

I have served on the board for the last few years, the last couple as secretary. I would like to continue serving.

- 2. List any organizations, clubs or civic groups that you are a member of.**

Columbus Lodge 102 AM+FM

- 3. In what areas of parks and recreation are you most interested?**

Parks & Sporting facilities (multi-purpose sports fields)

- 4. What suggestions do you have that would improve the services of the parks and recreation department to the citizens of Pittsboro?**

Continue to seek community input and work with local groups and orgs to foster relationships and shared responsibility.

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PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD APPLICATION

Name: Dee Reid

Full Address: 590 Old Goldston Road, Pittsboro (ETJ)

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Email: deereid.pittsboro@gmail.com

Please check only one: Reside In Town____; Reside in ETJ_x____; Don't Know____

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QUALIFICATIONS

- 1. List any experience you may have in working on an advisory board or with a parks and recreation department.**

I served two terms on Chatham County Recreation Board and am currently Vice Chair of the Pittsboro Parks and Recreation Advisory Board.

- 2. List any organizations, clubs or civic groups that you are a member of.**

Former chair of Chatham Together Board of Directors, volunteer mentor with Chatham Together, since 2000. Member of Chatham Arts Advisory Board

- 3. In what areas of parks and recreation are you most interested?**

I am interested in support for diverse recreation activities and parks, and am personally interested in bicycling and hiking trails and greenways.

- 4. What suggestions do you have that would improve the services of the parks and recreation department to the citizens of Pittsboro?**

We have excellent parks, thanks to support from development, private grants and the Town. However, the Town probably needs to update its land use plan and ordinances to ensure that they are responsive to the future public park needs that will be associated with larger developments and increasing population.

**TOWN OF PITTSBORO
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD APPLICATION**

Name: Megan Bolejack

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Email: m_bolejack@hotmail.com Mobile (919-357-8990

Please check only one: Reside in ETJ: X

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QUALIFICATIONS

1. List any experience you may have in working on an advisory board or with a parks and recreation department.

I joined the Pittsboro Parks and Recreation Board in 2008. I have served as chair for four years. I volunteer with the Chatham Parks Foundation. I serve as vice chair on the Chatham County Recreation Committee. I have been involved with both Pittsboro Parks and Chatham County Parks and Recreation since 2006. My previous employment was with Chatham County Public Health Department. In my position, I partnered frequently with parks and recreation to promote physical activity in Pittsboro and throughout the county.

2. List any organizations, clubs or civic groups that you are a member of.

I am involved with Pittsboro Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, Chatham Parks Foundation and Chatham County Recreation Committee. I also volunteer with Chatham County Together. I am a member of the North Carolina Parks and Recreation Association and NC Society of Public Health Educators.

3. In what areas of parks and recreation are you most interested?

I am most interested in the development of greenways and trails.

4. What suggestions do you have that would improve the services of the parks and recreation department to the citizens of Pittsboro?

I would like to see Pittsboro have a well-planned and developed greenway system. I would like to see continued funding and resources for parks in Pittsboro to keep our wonderful parks maintained and funding for the development of new parks, greenways, and programming.

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PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD APPLICATION

Name: Nanishka Albaladejo

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Mobile (919) 244-3761

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- Current PARAB member

2. List any organizations, clubs or civic groups that you are a member of.

- Former member of (June 2014) ERC/Watershed Review Board
- LEED Green Associate certificate

3. In what areas of parks and recreation are you most interested?

- Park preservation

4. What suggestions do you have that would improve the services of the parks and recreation department to the citizens of Pittsboro?

- Continue to host events in current parks to draw more attention and awareness to their importance.

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PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD APPLICATION

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Have served the past year as a member of the PARAB

- 2. List any organizations, clubs or civic groups that you are a member of.**

- 3. In what areas of parks and recreation are you most interested?**

I am most interested in the playground/children's areas of the parks. I would also like to see more greenways, esp that connect to existing parks/trails in and around Pittsboro. Would also be interested in a potential dog park.

- 4. What suggestions do you have that would improve the services of the parks and recreation department to the citizens of Pittsboro?**

I think they are great- perhaps just making sure residents of PBO/Chatham County know what great parks we have to offer.