



City of Santa Clara

The Center of What's Possible

APPLICATION BOARD, COMMISSIONS, AND COMMITTEE CITY OF SANTA CLARA

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Nancy Biagini

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95050

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Retired

Job Title:

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

none elected

Historic and Landmarks Commission

Commissioner

July 2017 to current

Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

Reclaiming Our Downtown

member

2017 to current

Santa Clara Parade of Champions

Sponsorship Chair

January 2019 to current

American Leadership Forum-Silicon Valley Chapter

Class 3

1991

Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

History (specifically, Santa Clara history), reading, cooking, music, art

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

Antioch University

Labor Studies

Bachelors Degree/1991

George Mason University - Schar School of Policy
and Government

Organizational Development
and Knowledge Management

Masters Degree/2015

Special awards or recognition received:

Congressional Recognition (Anna Eshoo & Ro Khana), Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors Commendations, State Senate Certificate of Recognition, South Bay Labor Council/COPE Mover & Shaker Annual Award (numerous years), San Jose Mercury News Woman of Labor

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

I am retired from my former full time job and have the time, energy and drive to give back to my hometown. I've learned a great deal from my experience on the Historical and Landmarks Commission, and have kept up on the agendas and work of the Planning Commission. Given that experience, I do see opportunities whereby inter-Commission communications can further assist in enhancing the choices both Commissions face.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

I look forward to talking with the Council and the members of the Commission in order to gain a deeper understanding of how my experiences and talents can best be used. I'm not afraid of the research and work necessary. I realize that I would have to give up on my position on the HLC, but I'd like to take my talents to a deeper level. With the changes coming to Santa Clara and the life experience I have in my hometown, I can bring a perspective that many may not have. Change is exciting. The right kind of change, that celebrates diversity and inclusiveness, is what will further Santa Clara reputation as the Center of What's Possible. I'm eager to help move it along.

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Nancy A. Biagini

Date Signed:

02/06/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Rich Brunner Jr

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95050

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

EPRI

Job Title:

IT - Analyst, Infrastructure

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

IT - Computers - Politics - Mountain Biking - Road biking - music - arts - Cars

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

San Jose State University

Computer Science

Not completed

San Jose Occupational Center

Computer Science

1985

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Special awards or recognition received:

Work awards and achievements available on request

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

Hi, I would like to be a active member helping my city. I believe I have the talent - knowledge - and work good with others to be very productive in a team I work with.
I have lived in Santa Clara for over 20 years and see changes, I would like to help with new changes in the coming future.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

I am a friend of Karen Hardy, and she recommended I apply to the Planning Commission.

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court.
(If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Rich Brunner Jr

Date Signed:

01/02/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:	Planning Commission		
Name:	Jayapriya Cherukuru		
Address:			
City:	Santa Clara		
State:	CA	Zip Code:	95051
E-mail Address:			
Primary Phone Number			
Secondary Phone Number			
Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?	☒ Yes	☐ No	☐ Unsure
Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?	☒ Yes	☐ No	☐ Unsure
Have you attended a meeting of this Board/ Commission/Committee?	☒ Yes	☐ No	☐ Unsure
Present Employer:	County of Santa Clara		
Job Title:	Capital Projects Manager III		

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

Historical and Landmarks Commission, City of Santa Clara	Commissioner	Jul 2016 - Present
Architectural & Site Approval Committee, County of Santa Clara	Committee Member	Apr 2010 - Mar 2014
County of Santa Clara	Historical Heritage Coordinator for County and Staff to Historical Heritage Commission	Apr 2010 - Mar 2014

Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

Real Estate, Capital Improvements, Event management, Conflict Resolution, Facilitation.

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

Stanford Center for Professional Development
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Leadership and Transformation Program
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August 2013

San Jose State University

Master of Urban Planning

May 2005

University of Madras

Bachelor of Architecture (5-yr)

May 1998

Special awards or recognition received:

AICP Certified.
Certificate of Commendation from County of Santa Clara

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

I'm a resident of this prestigious city; and as the first city that welcomed me into this country for the past 17 years. I currently serve on the Historical and Landmarks Commission with the City of Santa Clara. My term is set to expire this Jun 2019. With my broad breadth of experience in Planning, Land Use, CEQA, Architectural and Site Approval, Historic Preservation and managing significant and highly sensitive public Capital projects on an everyday basis, I feel that I can be of service to my City, by bringing this experience, to make thoughtful, fiscally responsible and public endorsed land use decisions. My roles and responsibilities over the last 15 years backed with my strong educational background will help in meeting the City's goals and and in meeting the demands of its residents.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

As a certified AICP Planner and currently managing several Capital Improvements projects such as County of Santa Clara, Civic Center Master Plan, Homeless Shelters and Transitional Housing projects for Office of Supportive Housing, Large Campus acquisition and Space Planning projects, combined with my current service on the Historical Landmarks Commission, I believe I would be able to help the City Council and the Planning Commission with the right decision making tools.

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☒ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

County of Santa Clara

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

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Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

C Jayapriya

Date Signed:

02/06/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Suzanne

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Code:

95051

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Kaiser Permanente

Job Title:

Critical care registered nurse

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

Las Madres Neighborhood Playgroups 2000-2006

Treasurer

2000-2006

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

Love reading and travelling, speak 3.5 languages, care about my community, am a consensus builder, believe in finding thoughtful win-win solutions

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

DeAnza College
San Francisco State University
Louis Pasteur Universite de Strasbourg, France

Econometrics
Nursing

Bachelor's degree in
econometrics 1995
Bachelor's degree in
nursing 2008

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Special awards or recognition received:

Sigma Theta Tau nursing honors society award

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

I moved to Santa Clara in 1999 and am a 19yr resident. I care deeply about this town and its community. Planning future developments and assessing the impact of such decisions on the Mission City are important. I would work hard to ensure the city is renewed while retaining characteristics that have distinguished it from other Bay area cities. A friendly, efficient city with a culturally diverse and hard working population.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

I work three 12hr shifts a week and would need to see if committee work time is compatible with my schedule. Thank you for considering my application.

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☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

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Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Suzanne Decker

Date Signed:

01/22/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Qian Huang

Address:

City:

SANTA CLARA

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95051

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Job Title:

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

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College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

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Special awards or recognition received:

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Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

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Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Qian Huang

Date Signed:

01/16/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:	Planning Commission		
Name:	MV Kumar		
Address:			
City:	Santa Clara		
State:	CA	Zip Code:	95050
E-mail Address:			
Primary Phone Number			
Secondary Phone Number			
Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?	☒ Yes	☐ No	☐ Unsure
Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☒ Unsure
Have you attended a meeting of this Board/ Commission/Committee?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☒ Unsure
Present Employer:	In-between careers presently		
Job Title:	VP/Founder		

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

Salary Setting Commission	Commissioner, and Vice-chair	2019-2022

Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

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College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

University of California, Berkeley, CA -- Haas School of Business
--

Business Administration

MBA. 1999

The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA

Engineering

MS, 1990

Indian Institute of Technology(IIT), Madras, India
--

Engineering

BS, 1988

Special awards or recognition received:

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

Bring to use nearly three decades of corporate planning and executive leadership here in Silicon Valley to benefit our City and this commission: Fiscal planning, operational excellence, oversight, advisory role, and overall a sense of civic responsibility and duty.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

About thirty years of South Bay residency, more than half of it now in our city, Santa Clara.

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

(E-Sd:) MV Kumar

Date Signed:

01/17/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Edward Liang

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95050

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office

Job Title:

Deputy District Attorney

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

National Asian Pacific Islander Prosecutors
Association

Santa Clara County
Representative

2012 - Present

California District Attorney Association

Member

2012 - Present

California Narcotics Officers' Association

Member

2014 - 2017

Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

I enjoy exploring new restaurants of all cuisines.

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

University of Virginia, School of Law

Law

J.D. 2010

University of California, Berkeley

Economics

B.A. 2007

Special awards or recognition received:

Golden Key International Honour Society

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SEE ATTACHMENT

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

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☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Edward Liang

Date Signed:

02/18/2019

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Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

The Planning Commission plays a vital role in advising the City Council on matters affecting the present and future of Santa Clara. As a member of the commission, I hope to provide another voice and perspective to the City Council on how that present and future should look.

After living in Santa Clara for seven years, I have seen many changes in the city. The continued development of Santa Clara helps it stay relevant in an ever-changing economy. However, those changes also must not leave behind those that already living in the city. As the father of a young son, I see Santa Clara as a place where he can call home. I want to assure him that, while the face of the city may change, the heart of it does not.

My main focus as a commissioner will be ensuring that there is adequate affordable housing, which is also a priority for the city, given the Affordable Housing Ordinance. Although I am currently a homeowner, given today's housing market, I would now unlikely be able to afford a house in Santa Clara with median home prices nearing \$1 million. As I see friends contemplate moving their families out the Bay Area, if not California altogether, I firmly believe that new developments should have enough units that young families can afford. Families, in whatever composition, form the backbone of this community. We should do everything we can to keep families as part of the fabric of Santa Clara.

Another focus of my time as commissioner would be balancing growth with sustainability. As Santa Clara grows, structural problems become more apparent, especially traffic concerns. In order to lessen the impact of new housing developments, the city should have more specific plans such as the Lawrence Station Area Plan. By focusing housing around transit hubs, people will use cars less and public transportation more. Additionally, as a city with much more employment opportunities than housing, placing housing developments closer to the office buildings in our city would also reduce the need for cars, again lessening the impact on the daily lives of existing residents. Steady, intelligent growth in the city would positively affect the welfare of the entire community.

Santa Clara is a vibrant city that embodies the values of Silicon Valley. However, it faces the same problems afflicting the entire area. I firmly believe that I can help the city face those challenges by becoming part of the Planning Commission.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

Diversity in organizations such as the Planning Commission is important because it brings together a variety of viewpoints to create solutions for complex issues. I have spent much of my academic and professional life advancing the virtues of diversity through my work with a variety of groups.

During law school at the University of Virginia, I served as co-chair of the Student Bar Association's Diversity Committee. Every year, the law school has a diversity pledge, where students and faculty come together to sign the pledge affirming the value and importance of diversity. As a co-chair, I organized the event by bringing together the various affinity groups at the law school and soliciting sponsors for the event. The event resulted in hundreds of signatures for the pledge, showing the community at-large that the law school values inclusiveness.

Additionally, I am a member of the Diversity Committee at the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office. I work with the group to establish hiring practices that allow our office to be representative of the county. We discuss and implement recruitment ideas to ensure the applicant pool for our job openings reaches people from all affinity groups.

As the Santa Clara County Representative of the National Asian Pacific Islander Prosecutors Association (NAPIPA), I have participated in many projects that further the organization's goal of promoting diversity. I, along with a co-author, published an article about NAPIPA and the importance of diversity in the California District Attorneys Association's *Prosecutor's Brief*, a publication read by all prosecutors in California. I help organize our annual scholarship banquet, which provides scholarships to Asian and Pacific Islander law students interested in becoming prosecutors. Currently, I am heading a project to create a video of various Asian and Pacific Islander prosecutors describing why they became prosecutors and the importance of minority representation in the field.

Given my work with these organizations, I will bring the lessons I have learned to the Planning Commission. By working together in a group with a diversity of ideas, I believe we can better serve the City Council and, ultimately, the City of Santa Clara.



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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Vicente Lovelace

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95051

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

University of California, Santa Cruz

Job Title:

Research Assistant

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

United States Student Association

Interim Board Chair

68th National Student
Congress - Summer
2015

UC Santa Cruz Student Union Assembly

Elected College Representative,
Volunteer, Community
Organizer, Committee Delegate

September 2015 - June
2017

Hispanic-Serving Institution Committee

Student Liaison

March 2017 - June 2017

Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

Phi Beta Kappa of Northern California

Member

May 2017 - Present

Phi Alpha Delta of UCSC

Member

February 2016 - June
2017

Oxford Migration Studies Society

Event Coordinator

October 2017 - July 2018

Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

Political communications; program management; project coordination; administrative/executive support; public speaking;
policy analysis; nonprofit advocacy teams; grant writing; bilingual/billiterate in Spanish

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

University of Oxford, Kellogg College

Migration Studies

Master of Science | July
21, 2018

University of California, Santa Cruz, Cowell College

Latin American & Latino
Studies/Politics, Combined

Bachelor of Arts | June 9,
2017

Special awards or recognition received:

SEE ATTACHMENT

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

SEE ATTACHMENT

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

My long-term career goals are to graduate law school and practice immigration law. In pursuit of these goals, I'm searching for opportunities where I can obtain the requisite skills and experience for becoming a successful attorney and an influential policy-maker.

LinkedIn profile - <https://www.linkedin.com/in/vicente-lovelace/>

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Vicente Lozano Lovelace

Date Signed:

01/25/2019

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Vicente Lovelace

Planning Application Attachment

Special awards or recognition received:

"A measure of comfort": recalibrating the definition of sanctuary city with an anti-sanctuary federal government" accepted for presentations at the 2019 Urban Affairs Association Conference in Los Angeles and the EURA-UAA City Futures IV Conference in Dublin, Ireland

Published in the Journal for the Anthropological Society at Oxford, Issue X No. 1

John Dizikes Writing Prize, 2017; Dean's Honor List, 2015-2017; Don Rothman Endowed Award in First-Year Writing, 2016; UC Board of Regents Scholar, 2015; Silicon Valley Realtors Association College Scholarship, 2015; National Hispanic Recognition Scholar, 2014

Third Prize, The Humanist Magazine National Essay-Writing Contest - "Silent Polar Bear"

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

I dedicated my academic and extracurricular experiences to beginning a public service career. My long-term goals are to graduate law school and become an elected official. I've developed capacities for policy analysis, community organizing, and social science-based research within nonprofit organizations along the Central Coast and in England. Since arriving back in the US, I've been searching for opportunities to serve my community. With news that the 49ers will receive up to \$30 million in city tax dollars this year, I believe the best place to serve my hometown is with the Planning Commission.

Santa Clara's most important public policy issue right now is city development, and millennial residents lack appropriate representation. The affordable housing shortage, public transportation improvements, and Levi's Stadium legal battles make this commission a focal point for the city's future. Millennials need to be a part of that decision-making process. Santa Clara University students, young adults commuting to work, and 20+-year-old stadium workers need more voice in high-stakes development negotiations. They need a Commissioner who will not approve new housing developments if they increase traffic congestion in high-density areas. They need a Commissioner who will hold large corporations accountable to our city's zoning ordinances, property taxes, regulations, and suburban communities. They need a Commissioner who will continue to investigate new development proposals thoroughly and publicly. More importantly, millennial residents need a Commissioner who can engage them and incorporate their insight and passion into the city development process. In short, I aim to dutifully serve the Planning Commission and work to bridge the gap between millennials and city development.



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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:	Planning Commission		
Name:	Ashish Mangla		
Address:			
City:	Santa Clara		
State:	CA	Zip Code:	95051
E-mail Address:			
Primary Phone Number			
Secondary Phone Number			
Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?	☒ Yes	☐ No	☐ Unsure
Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?	☒ Yes	☐ No	☐ Unsure
Have you attended a meeting of this Board/ Commission/Committee?	☒ Yes	☐ No	☐ Unsure
Present Employer:	Synopsys Inc		
Job Title:	Engineer		

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

Citizen's Independent Bond
Oversight Committee of
Measure J, Santa Clara

Committee Member

Sept, 2009 to Dec, 2012

Board of Library Trustee,
Santa Clara

Chair and Member trustee

July 2010 Oct, 2018

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

Scouts BSA

Polaris District Advancement
Committee Member, Assistant
Scoutmaster and
Merit Badge Counselor

June 2016 to till now

Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

Teachers, Libraries, City Planning and civil services, Scouting, Schools, Education

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

BITS, Pilani, India

Micro-Electronics

MS 1991-1993

Special awards or recognition received:

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

Interested in hearing and providing suggestions on matters pertaining to the physical development of the City for residents of Santa Clara in general and for Children of Santa Clara in particular. Interested in Placemaking in our community as well which can serve all groups in the city of all nationalities, age and Races.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

Working for Library Board and volunteering for libraries and schools, I have unique perspective for Planning facilities which could help our City, bring sharp focus to multiuse aspect.

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Ashish Mangla

Date Signed:

02/19/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Tahir J Naim

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95051

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

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Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Self

Job Title:

Attorney

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

South Asian Bar Ass'n of Northern California

Board member 11yrs
President
Life Member

1996-2007
2000-2002
A Decade at Least

Sierra Club

Life Member

A Decade at Least

Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

A civil nature and keen intellect. Cyclist and hiker. Enjoys the occasional glass of wine beside the fire pit in my backyard. Nearing retirement. Bird watcher. There's a Bewick's wren that comes by every so often and enchants me. An Anna's hummingbird is a daily visitor.

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

Golden Gate Univ. (SF)

Law

LL.M. (Tax) 1995
J.D. 1992

Macalester College (St. Paul)

Poli. Sci.

B.A. 1987

Special awards or recognition received:

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

I am a Santa Clara resident since Oct. 2014 and want to ensure that as development and density occur as they must, that profit is not placed before livability. The Skyline development in San Jose was a wakeup call. Such a beautiful location and exterior. So close to multi-nodal transit and the walkability was fast coming to fruition. However, the layouts of all the units (and we looked at all the 2BR and 3BR units) were so cramped and with odd shapes that we couldn't bring ourselves to make an offer on any. Happily, we were able to make our home in Santa Clara instead. At the City's Senior Center I've seen the postings of elderly people looking for a room to rent. That lot by Monroe and San Tomas would have been perfect for low income seniors. Instead it's going to God knows what. I certainly want to see more single senior housing available. And we also need to have businesses here. I'm so happy to see auto repair places like Tim's and the tool rental place on Lafayette and happy to work from home. Nvidia and Intel don't hurt either. :)

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

Grew up in Chicago, in a neighborhood with a university (Univ. of Chicago). Hyde Park housing consisted of single-family homes next to 6-unit, 3-story apartment buildings, next to high-rises from 10 to 30 stories high. Spacious public parks beside Lake Michigan. I grew up in a 2,000 sq.ft. 3BR/2Ba apartment. I am perplexed that when we build high here, we don't build spacious. It was possible to walk anywhere for your basic needs. There was housing stock for all incomes from janitors to professors and millionaire like brain surgeons and Muhammed Ali. Heck, Obama's home is still there.

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Tahir J. Naim

Date Signed:

12/20/2018

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

John Padilla

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

California

Zip Code:

95051

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Sonicwall Inc.

Job Title:

Director of IT

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

Many interests in the outdoors, Aviation, technology and U.S. History. Accomplished welder and private pilot.

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

San Jose State University

Aviation Operations

B.S. 2003

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Special awards or recognition received:

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

We live in interesting times! Our city, like other cities in the Silicon Valley, is dealing with rapid change in growth and demographics. The planning commission has a role to advise and consent how the city can address the needs of its residents. I feel as though I can make a valuable contribution to the committee. Santa Clara has a unique history and character compared to other cities in our area. My goal on the committee will be to help address our residents needs while maintaining our uniqueness in the Silicon Valley.

As a long-time resident of Santa Clara, I will be devoted on how we can address these challenges. My strong communication and organization skills will be applied to work with other commission members, city leaders and residents alike.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

I love Santa Clara

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

John Padilla

Date Signed:

02/22/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Srdjan Pantic

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95050

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Netflix

Job Title:

Senior Software Engineer

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

Hiking, biking, backpacking

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

Belgrade University School of Electrical Engineering

computer engineering

Master, 1994

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Special awards or recognition received:

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

To contribute to city where i live and love.

Balancing quality of life for citizens and need to provide housing.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Srdjan Pantic

Date Signed:

02/22/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Kirankumar Shinde

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

California

Zip Code:

95051

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Job Title:

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

MMBA

Treasurer, Secretary

2005-2012

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

Music, Public Work

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

MS University

Marketing and Advertising

MBA

MS University

General Law, Labor Law

Bachelor of Law

MS University

Electronics & Communication,
Fiber Optics

Bachelor of Engineering

Special awards or recognition received:

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

I am licensed General Contractor and have confidence I can work on Planning commission

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

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☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Kirankumar Shinde

Date Signed:

01/20/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Keith Stattenfield

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code: 95051

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Apple, Inc

Job Title:

Software Engineer

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Santa Clara Planning Commission

Position/ Office Held:

Commissioner

Dates:

7/2007-7/2015

Santa Clara Charter Review Committee

Member
Vice Chair

2013-2014
2017-2018

Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Santa Clara City Library Foundation Board of
Directors

Position(s) Held:

Director
Treasurer
President

Dates:

2008-2014
2014-2015
2015-2016

Casa del Rey Homeowner's
Association President

President

1996-present

Santa Clara Sister Cities

Board member, volunteer

2015-2018

Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

University of Wisconsin

Major Subject:

Computer Science
Philosophy

Degree/Dates:

Bachelor, 1988
Bachelor, 1988

Stanford University

Computer Science

Masters of Science,
1994

Special awards or recognition received:

Santa Clara Library Foundation Hero, 2019

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

See attached pages

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☒ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

My employer, Apple, occasionally has development proposals in Santa Clara

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☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Signature of Applicant:

Keith Stattenfield

Date Signed:

2/22/2019

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**KEITH STATTFIELD
PLANNING COMMISSION
APPLICATION ATTACHMENT**

I served on the Planning Commission for eight years, and enjoyed my time and think I made positive contribution to the development in Santa Clara. Over those years, the work of the commission touched on different things; initially most items coming forward were business and commercial development, then as the Great Recession hit California much of this dried up, and more residential developments came forward. Work on the General Plan update also changed what we the commission looked for in developments across the city, and the appropriateness of scale and density that were being encouraged.

On the commission, I tried to balance the needs and requests of existing residents with each project that came before the commission. I tried to fairly evaluate each project, keeping in mind that the commission needs to make the required findings under the law before voting to approve a project. I think the role of the planning commission is to look at each proposal and approve those that meet the guidelines and findings, and recommend against (with suggestions for how to resolve issues) those that go against the general plan or other zoning issues.

On those issues that don't require findings or that go to the city council for final approval, including recommendations for subdivision, general plan changes, etc, I think that the commission should work hard to make sure that the city and community get a significant benefit out of allowing whatever changes an application requesting.

I served on the architectural approval subcommittee for most of my time on the Planning Committee, and there, many of the issues boiled down to trying to get neighbors to compromise and maintain some level of compatibility and privacy with increased density. For issues like this, I'd continue what I think was usually successful mediations, while generally permitting property owners to develop their homes and businesses in line with the law and adopted policies.

The biggest issue I see that the city faces, today and into the future, is the significant housing deficit that the entire area has compared to the number of jobs, which leads to increased traffic and congestion, and to residents and businesses getting priced out of the area. To that end, I am generally supportive of increased development, consistent with the general plan and with any special plans that eventually get implemented. However, we also need to hold developers to the promises they make to mitigate impacts,

since those impacts persist long after they've completed their project, and the city needs to have policies and guidelines about what we expect in terms of making a proposed development mesh with the neighborhood and provide benefits not just to that project but to the city as a whole. This creates and bleed over into other issues as well, like transit and pedestrian/bicycle access, sufficient park and recreation space, etc., all of which have the potential to improve or degrade our community.

Although I've been off the commission for a few years, I've tried to stay in touch with the issues, and watch or listen to many of the meetings online still. I am obviously familiar with the processes of the commission, can make time for the meetings and expect to prepare for and attend almost all of the meetings, and would plan to also attend educational seminars or conferences as they were available to keep my knowledge up to date.

Sophia Smith

From: Sophia Smith
Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:58 AM
To: 'Keith Stattenfield'
Subject: RE: Text appears cut off in my Planning Commission application (Keith Stattenfield)

Thank you Keith.

To make Council aware of your unavailability due to vacation, this email will be printed and attached to your application.

With thanks,

Sophia Smith | Staff Aide I

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From: Keith Stattenfield
Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:55 AM
To: Sophia Smith
Subject: Re: Text appears cut off in my Planning Commission application (Keith Stattenfield)

I am out of town from 3/5 thru 3/16. I may also be unavailable for a few days in May, but don't know any details yet. My April is, as far as I know, open.

-Keith

On Mon, Feb 25, 2019 at 8:50 AM Sophia Smith <SSmith1@santaclaraca.gov> wrote:

Good Morning Keith,

Your cleaned-up version has been received, printed and will be forwarded for consideration.

Can you please resend your previous email mentioning you're unavailability for the interviews because you'll be on vacation for an extended period?

In appreciation,

Sophia Smith | Staff Aide I

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From: Keith Stattenfield

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 4:42 PM

To: Sophia Smith

Cc: Keith Stattenfield

Subject: Re: Text appears cut off in my Planning Commission application (Keith Stattenfield)

Sophia,

Attached is a cleaned-up version, where I've attached the comment as separate pages. Thanks!

-Keith

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Megan Swartzwelder

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95051

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Are you a registered voter of Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Job Title:

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

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Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

Bi-lingual Korean, Running, Piano, Traveling

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

University of Hawaii, Manoa

Economics

M.A. 2015

San Jose State University

Economics, Minor Business

B.A. 2013

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Special awards or recognition received:

Cum Laude, Undergraduate scholarship recipient

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

My interest in serving and volunteering for the City of Santa Clara sparked when I enrolled in the Citizens Police Academy last Fall. I was intrigued by the quality of services the Police Department provided to the residents of Santa Clara.

After learning so much about the different departments of Santa Clara, much of which the Police Department was heavy involved in, I was eager to get involved in more department and had a greater sense of pride as a resident of Santa Clara.

Growing up in Santa Clara - from the early ages of elementary school at Milliken - I have seen the city go through many changes. The housing, business, and citizens have grown and evolved with the challenging changes of tech companies of Silicon Valley.

I am proud to be a citizen of Santa Clara, and through this committee, I hope to bring my expertise here and make Santa Clara a place where all would like to call home.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

Are you associated with any Organization/Employment that might be deemed a conflict of interest in performing your duties if appointed to this position?

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Unsure

If yes, please name the Organization or Employment.

City policy directs all advisory body members not to vote on matters where there exists a potential conflict of interest. Would you be willing to abstain from voting if such a conflict arises?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Do not list any misdemeanor settled in juvenile court. (If yes, explain convictions)

Planning Commission

Signature of Applicant:

Megan Swartzwelder

Date Signed:

02/22/2019

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Board/ Commission/ Committee Applying For:

Planning Commission

Name:

Vandana Upadhyay

Address:

City:

Santa Clara

State:

CA

Zip Code:

95054

E-mail Address:

Primary Phone Number

Secondary Phone Number

Are you eligible to register to vote in Santa Clara?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

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☒ Yes

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Have you attended a meeting of this Board/
Commission/Committee?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unsure

Present Employer:

Confia Systems

Job Title:

Founder

Previous Governmental Bodies/ Elective Offices
Applicant has served:

Position/ Office Held:

Dates:

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Civic or Charitable Organizations to which
Applicant has belonged:

Position(s) Held:

Dates:

Sierra Club

Member

Since 2002

Special Interests, Hobbies or Talents:

College, Professional, Vocational Schools
attended:

Major Subject:

Degree/Dates:

Massachusetts Inst. of Tech (MIT)

Technology Management

Masters

Top Indian University

Finance

MBA

Indian Univeristy

Physics, Math

Bachelors

Special awards or recognition received:

National Merit Scholar
Rotary International Scholar

Please state reasons why you want to become a member of this Board/Commission/Committee, including what specific objectives you would be working toward as a member of this advisory board:

Help build consensus on preparing city for

1. Sustainability and climate change
 2. Attracting residents with desirable housing and easy mobility
 3. Livability and quality of life
- which can be achieved by how land use and development is guided.

Bring my planning experience to both Short term and long term horizon initiatives.

Any other information which you feel would be useful to the City Council in reviewing your application:

I worked with the Technology Advisor for the Prime Minister of India responsible for national missions on telecom, education, health, informatics. Thus, I have experience in public policy at the federal level as well as helping its execution at the local level with public/private partnerships.

I have a deep interest in design of cities, civic architecture and public transportation. I have led my community of Mansion Grove of several thousand people whereby we were able to present our concerns regarding property development to the city officials and obtain help and redress. A new rule was enacted as a result. This experience empowered me to think about serving. I am also taking Santa Clara Leadership Program right now to formally prepare for such a role, if given an opportunity.

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Signature of Applicant:

Vandana Upadhyay

Date Signed:

02/17/2019

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