



Application for Boards/Commission

Contact Information

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Background

Years of Residence in John Day:	3 years, 6 months
Place of Employment:	NA
Occupation:	UDSI Bureau of Land Management, Planner (Retired)
Educational Background:	Natural Resource Management, MS Forest Management, BS
Prior Civic Activities:	John Day Planning Commissioner, Jan. 2020 – present Grant County Historical Museum volunteer, 2019 Adopt-a-Highway volunteer, 2019 – present Painted Sky Center for the Arts Grants Development Volunteer, 2019 – 2020 7 th Street Complex volunteer, 2019, 2021

Boards/Commissions of Interest

Please check all of the following Boards/Commissions that interest you:

- X City Council**
- Budget Committee**
- Planning Commission**

Special Skills or Qualifications

Summarize any special training, skills or experience you may have pertinent to the Board/Commission to which you are applying.

I have several decades of professional, interdisciplinary experience both leading teams and serving as team member. Issues addressed have almost always been framed within a context of complexity, limited resources, unknowns, and public scrutiny. In such an environment, I have developed a skill set enabling me to successfully contribute towards moving projects forward to completion. Such skills include listening, framing reasonable options, identifying fatal flaws, engaging with the public, winnowing through details, and building relationships that extend beyond any given project.

Motivation

Discuss your motivation for serving on this Board/Commission.

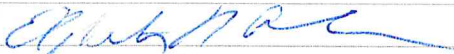
My motivation to serve as councilor stems from a desire to see this small community reflect a healthy, safe, inviting, and fiscally-sound environment; I want to render my insights, my skills, and my commitment towards working fairly and justly as a team member through challenging times to that end. Moreover, I enjoy serving as a planning commissioner. In that capacity I have established a sound record of being prepared, showing up, speaking up, and contributing in ways that have been positive for this community. Should I not be selected for this interim role as councilor, I look forward to continuing as planning commissioner.

Special Notice

Please be advised that members of the City Council and Planning Commission are required to file an annual **Statement of Economic Interest** with the State of Oregon. A sample reporting form is available from the Administration Office at John Day City Hall indicating the type of information you will be required to disclose if you are appointed.

Agreement and Signature

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as a volunteer, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in my immediate dismissal.

Name (printed)	Elizabeth R. Aleman
Signature	
Date	February 17, 2022

Our Policy

It is the policy of the City of John Day to provide equal opportunities without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, gender, sexual preference, age, or disability. The City of John Day accepts applications from potential board/commission members throughout the year and will hold applications until vacancies exist on specific boards/commissions.

Thank you for completing this application form and for your interest in volunteering with us.