



**CITY OF FRUITA
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

BOARD OR COMMISSION: Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

NAME: Shannon Wadas

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RESIDENCE ADDRESS:

City	State	Zip
<u>Fruita</u>	<u>CO</u>	<u>81521</u>

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<u>719-440-7429</u>	<u>970-256-7400</u>
Home	Work

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How long have you been a resident of Fruita? 12 years

Occupation/Employer: Associate Director/ RiversEdge West

List any volunteer and/or work experience:

- Volunteer: Colorado Master Gardener with CSU Extension Office
- Professional Experience: Experience with riparian restoration work with RiversEdge West including coordination and fundraising efforts and partner collaboration. Experience with managing several state parks with Colorado Parks and Wildlife including visitor services and safety, campground and event management and volunteer program coordination.

Are you presently serving on a board or commission? If so, which one(s)?

Yes, Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

Why do you want to be a member of this board or commission?

I have been serving on this Board and feel that I am a valuable member. I wish to apply for reappointment.

List any abilities, skills, or interests which are applicable to the board or commission for which you are applying.

I am intersted in assisting with invasive plant species management and native plant establishment in addition to providing feedback and expertise to management strategies for the City's open space properties. I also have nonprofit and fundraising experience to assist with ideas for leverging funding and or creating new partnerships.

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Are you committed to attending meetings?



Yes



No

Are you committed to serving an entire term?



Yes



No

Please specify any activities which might create serious conflict of interest if you should be appointed to a particular board or commission. (If unsure, please call the City Manager's office at 858-3663)

N/A

List any licenses, certificates or other specialized training applicable to the board or commission for which you are applying.

Additional information or references you believe may be helpful in considering your application.

References:

Rusty Lloyd, Executive Director of RiversEdge West
970-256-7400
rlloyd@riversedgewest.org

Pete Firmin, Park Manager of James M. Robb Colorado River State Park
970-434-3388
pete.firmin@state.co.us

Signature Shannon Wadas

Digitally signed by Shannon Wadas
Date: 2023.12.03 22:06:05 -0700

Date 12/3/2023

All applicants are strongly encouraged to attend a regularly scheduled meeting of the board or commission for which they are applying. Frequent non-attendance may result in termination of the appointment.

ATTACHMENTS TO APPLICATION MUST BE LIMITED TO TWO PAGES

Please feel free to submit a resume along with this application. Application and any attachments should be returned to the Fruita City Council c/o the City Clerk, 325 E. Aspen, Fruita, CO 81521. Although we have indicated the best time to apply for a particular board, we accept applications for any of the boards year-round. Thank you.