



APPLICATION FORM GLADSTONE CITY BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

Please use this form to express your interest in serving on a particular board/committee or commission. You may attach additional material if you wish. For information on vacancies and board/committee bylaws, please visit www.gladstonemi.org, call 906-428-2311 or e-mail kberry@gladstonemi.org. Please note that applications are kept on file for six months. The Gladstone City Commission makes appointments to City Boards at their regular meetings as vacancies occur. Completed applications are public documents and are subject to the Michigan Freedom of Information Act.

Eligibility Requirements:

Are you a registered voter in the City of Gladstone? *

Yes ☐ No ☒

Have you been a City resident for at least 12 months?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Are you currently in default to the City of Gladstone?

Yes ☐ No ☒

Are you related to any elected City Commissioner (including by marriage)?

Yes ☐ No ☒

*According to the City Charter, each member appointed by the City Commission shall be a qualified and registered elector of the city on such day and throughout the member's tenure of office.

Name of City Board or Committee: If applying for more than one board/committee, please list order of preference:

- 1) Open DDA Board Position
- 2) _____
- 3) _____

Applicant Name as it Appears on License: Parker James Grzybowski

Driver's License Number: G621676367270

Home Address: 7772 County 426 M.5 Rd Gladstone MI, 49837 Phone: 906-420-0320

Occupation: VP & Treasurer (Operations Mgmt/Sales) Business: D&D Dog Dynamics (Gladstone Berry Farm)

Business Address: 919 Delta Ave (D&D) 7772 County 426 M.5 Rd (Gladstone Berry Farm) Phone: 906-280-5235 (D&D) 906-420-0320 (GBF)

E-Mail Address: Parkergrybowskiddynamics@gmail.com Parkergrybowskigbfarm@gmail.com

Are you currently serving or have you served on any City board or committee? If so, please list and give approximate dates.

I am not currently serving on any city board committee nor have I ever served.

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Education/Credentials: Associates in applied science in Business through Bay College and a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Management through Northern Michigan University

Professional activities that relate to this board/committee: Some professional activities that I am involved in that pertain to this position include my positions at D&D Dog Dynamics where I help plan and make big and small, long/short term decisions on company direction. At Gladstone Berry Farm some roles that pertain to this board position would be the same roles that I mentioned above, along with analysis of financial results, daily/weekly/monthly/yearly goal setting, and operational performance monitoring.

Community activities that relate to this board/committee: I am currently not involved in many community based activities that would pertain to the DDA board.

Why are you interested in serving on this board/committee? I am interested in serving on the board of the DDA as I am eager to get more involved in the community that I live in and I feel the DDA is the best way to do this. It not only gives me a way to give back, but it also allows me to contribute to the growth and continued success of downtown Gladstone.

What talents or experience would you bring to the board/committee? Some experience and talents that I would bring to the board include evidence-based decision making, business management in operations and administration, financial performance monitoring and planning, and a deep understanding of business and economic related topics with an appetite for knowledge and learning.

Any other comments or information you wish to provide to the Mayor and City Commissioners?
My residency is based on D&D Dog Dynamics training center location address of 919 Delta Ave.

Are you involved in any personal, professional or business pursuit that would affect your ability to make fair and impartial recommendations as a member of a City advisory board or committee? Yes ☐ No ☒

Appointed members are expected to attend all meetings of the board/committee. A member who misses more than 3 consecutive meetings or 1/3 of all meetings will tender their resignation to the board/committee chair. Are you aware of the meeting schedule and are you available to attend regularly scheduled meetings? Yes ☒ No ☐

Parker Grzybowski

6/16/2025

Signature

Date

I certify that there are no misrepresentations, omissions or falsifications on this application and by signing this application I give consent to the City to conduct a background check to verify the information I have provided.

Please return this form with any attachments to:
kberry@gladstonemi.org; fax to: 906-428-3122; or mail to: City Clerk's
Office, Gladstone City Hall, Gladstone, MI 49837.

Thank you for your interest in serving as a volunteer board or committee member. Your willingness to serve is greatly appreciated.