

VOLUNTEER ADVISORY BOARD APPLICATION

BOARD/S YOU ARE APPLYING TO BE ON	· Community Redevelopment Agency *
NAME	Jae Kanella Markis
RESIDENCE ADDRESS	Lake Worth Beach, FL 33460 United States
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DO YOU HAVE A DIFFERENT MAILING ADDRESS?	No
PHONE	(561) 800-9465
BUSINESS PHONE	(561) 571-5038
EMAIL	jamarkis@gmail.com
ARE YOU A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES?	Yes
ARE YOU A REGISTERED PALM BEACH COUNTY VOTER?	Yes
ARE YOU A REGISTERED LAKE WORTH VOTER?	Yes
HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN A RESIDENT OF LAKE WORTH BEACH?	The majority of my life. I come from a working class family, and we moved between east and west Lake Worth throughout my youth. I have lived at my current address for approximately four years.
LIST ALL PROPERTIES OWNED AND/OR BUSINESS INTERESTS IN LAKE WORTH	None.
WHAT IS YOUR OCCUPATION?	Social Worker
EMPLOYER?	Rebel Recovery FL
BUSINESS ADDRESS: (CRA BOARD ONLY)	- West Palm Beach, FL 33401 United States
ARE YOU CURRENTLY SERVING ON ANY CITY ADVISORY BOARD?	No
HAVE YOU EVER SERVED ON A CITY OF LAKE WORTH BOARD?	No
DO YOU SERVE ON ANY BOARDS IN FLORIDA, OR ARE YOU AN ELECTED OR APPOINTED STATE, COUNTY, OR MUNICIPAL OFFICE HOLDER, OR PALM BEACH COUNTY EMPLOYEE?	No
HIGH SCHOOL	Homeschool (Palm Beach County)
DATE OF GRADUATION	05/01/2015
COLLEGE	Florida Atlantic University
DATE OF GRADUATION	12/17/2021
RESUME ATTACHMENT	· Jacqueline-Kanella-Markiss-2016-Resume-5.pdf

WORK EXPERIENCE

See attached resume. Summary: I am a grassroots community organizer and work professionally as a social worker. I am experienced in case management, street outreach, event planning, technical writing, editing, speaking to the public, fundraising, LGBTQ and mental health peer-support groups, and conflict resolution.

INTEREST/ACTIVITIES

Housing justice, community organizing, volunteering, historic preservation, community education, and environmentalism.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

See attached resume. I have been involved with Food Not Bombs Lake Worth, the Lake Worth Beach Neighborhood Care Village, ran a youth newsletter based in Lake Worth at Compass GLCC, worked as an outreach worker that was assigned to Lake Worth, currently serve as a board member to Rad El Dub Community Land Trust, and currently work as a social worker within the Palm Beach County shelter system.

6. A - WHY DO YOU DESIRE TO SERVE ON THIS BOARD (FIRST PREFERENCE)

I desire to serve on the CRA board so that I can represent working-class people. If I serve, I'd like to focus on affordable housing models and obtaining community benefit agreements. I'd like to see the creation of workforce housing, accessory dwelling unit grants, and contracts with developers to contribute to the infrastructure to the city. Additionally, I'd like to see more transparency in notifying, educating, and obtaining feedback from the public about city projects.

6. B - WHY DO YOU DESIRE TO SERVE ON THIS BOARD (SECOND PREFERENCE)

I consider Lake Worth my home town, as it is the place I have always considered home. I have a deep love for the variety of cultures, history, and beauty this city has. I love learning our city's rich history, exploring the city parks, and wish to preserve historic sites that are unique to Lake Worth Beach.

6. C - WHY DO YOU DESIRE TO SERVE ON THIS BOARD (THIRD PREFERENCE)

Finally, I'd like to serve my community because it is my life purpose became a social worker because I wanted to fight for social justice and uplift oppressed communities. In that vein, I feel compelled to take an active role in my city by contributing my time and resources to improve its operations.

CONSENT

I agree to the privacy policy.

I understand the responsibilities associated with being a board/committee member, and I have adequate time to serve if appointed.

I have read the attached Ordinance No. 2010-29 and Article XIII (Palm Beach County) Code of Ethics and understand the policy on the City of Lake Worth Beach Code of Ethics. Within 30 days after appointment, I understand that I am required to participate in Ethics Training and submit an Acknowledgement of Receipt form to the City Clerk's Office in order to continue to serve on my appointed board.

*THIS APPLICATION IS VALID FOR ONE (1) YEAR FROM THE DATE SIGNED ABOVE.

*THIS APPLICATION IS NOT VALID WITHOUT APPLICANT'S PROOF OF RESIDENCY.

SIGNATURE

Jae Kanella Markis