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Mary Angela

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

Yes

How long have you lived continuously in the City of Novi?*

48 years

Employed by

Retired from Van Buren Public Schools, Belleville, MI

Educational Background*

BS in K-9 Education and MS in Secondary English, SUNY Geneseo EdS in Gifted Education, Wayne State University

Please describe your professional qualifications, skills and/or work experience, and how you would use these to benefit the boards and/or commissions for which you are applying.*

I was a teacher/administrator for 34 years. During that time I taught mostly middle school English for 13 years and administered, from its inception, a district-wide gifted program for 21 years including writing curriculum, supervising teachers, and working with administrators and parents. I helped plan and execute two state conferences for teachers, administrators, and parents of gifted children. I sat on Wayne County RESA's committee for gifted education and the Schoolcraft College Kids on Campus advisory board for most of the 21 years that I was the gifted program coordinator for Van Buren Schools. Working with the state consultant for gifted education, I revised the state grant application for use by all school districts in Michigan to apply for state grants for their gifted programs. I also served on the committee which successfully merged three support groups into one, the Michigan Alliance for Gifted Education. Working on several boards and committees at the state, county, and local levels, I have the experience to successfully work with the current members of the Beautification Commission and the Election Commission.

Please list any community groups with which you are currently or have previously been active and describe your role.*

I have been an active Novi CERT member since approximately 2007. I have served on the CERT Leadership Council for the past three years. I have participated in the Lakes Area Citizen's Police Academy and am enrolled in this year's Novi Ambassador Academy. I have been an election inspector in Novi for more than 15 years. I am currently chairperson for Precinct 18. I currently serve on the Friends of the Novi Library Board.

What motivated you to apply to serve on a board or commission, and why did you select the boards/commissions that you did?*

I am applying to serve on these commissions because I think it is important for citizens to give back and participate in their community. I would like to increase my service to the City of Novi. The Beautification Commission and the Election Commission are both areas in which I am interested.

If appointed, what do you hope to accomplish during your term? What do you hope to learn?*

For the Beautification Commission, I will thoughtfully consider new ideas and innovations that are presented to the commission. I hope to learn more about the workings of the commission and also continue to learn how to best serve the diverse cultures that we have in our community. For the Elections Commission, I have taken my job as an election inspector and precinct chair very seriously by ensuring that my precinct follows all election procedures to the letter so that every qualified voter is able to vote according to election laws. I hope to learn about any new protocols so that our elections are valid and without question of fraud.

Is there anything else you would for Council to be aware of, or know about you?

I consider my strengths to be organizational skills and leadership.

Beautification Commission

Order of preference number

1

Beautification areas of expertise

Leadership

BORDescription

Order of preference number

Board of Review areas of expertise

BldgAuth Description

Order of preference number

Building Authority areas of expertise

ConstBOA Description

Order of preference number

Construction Board of Appeals areas of expertise

CIA Description

Order of preference number

Corridor Improvement Authority areas of expertise

EDC Description

Order of preference number

Economic Development Corporation areas of expertise

EC Description

Order of preference number

2

Election Commission areas of expertise

Registered Voter (required)

Basic Knowledge of Election Process

HistCom Description

Order of Preference Number

Historical Commission Area of Expertise

HD Description

Order of preference number

Housing & Community Development Advisory areas of expertise

LibBoard Description

Order of preference number

Library Board areas of expertise

PRCS Description

Order of preference number

PRCS areas of expertise

PC Description

Order of preference number

Planning Commission areas of expertise

ZBA Description

Order of preference number

Zoning Board areas of expertise

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Signature/Date

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