



Memorandum

To: Mayor Nelson and Members of the City Council

From: Daniel R. Buchholtz, MMC, Administrator, Clerk/Treasurer

Date: January 30, 2020

Subject: Board/Commission Appointment

The City has received a Board/Commission application from Aisha Ali, 1620 81st Avenue NE #3, Spring Lake Park, with interest to serve on the Planning Commission and the Parks and Recreation Commission.

Ms. Ali's application is included with this memorandum.

There is one vacancy on the Planning Commission for a two year term. In addition, there are two vacancies on the Parks and Recreation Commission, one for a one year term and the second vacancy for a two year term.

Staff believes that Ms. Ali would be an excellent addition to either the Planning Commission or the Parks and Recreation Commission.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at 763-784-6491.



Rec'd 1/29/20

**APPLICATION
BOARD/COMMISSION MEMBER**

These questions are designed to obtain information about your experience and interest in civic activities. You may return your application by mail, email or fax. **Mail to:** Administrator, Clerk/Treasurer's Office, 1301 81st Avenue NE, Spring Lake Park, MN 55432; **E-Mail to:** jgooden@slpmn.org; or **Fax to** (763) 792-7257. Your application will remain on file for six months. If you have questions, please call the Administrator, Clerk/Treasurer's Office at (763) 784-6491. **Thank you for your interest!**

Name: Aisha Ali Adult (18+) Student (under 18)

Address: 1620 81st Ave NE Unit 3, Spring Lake Park, MN **Zip:** 55432

Home #: _____ **Cell #:** 612 345 2101

Email: aishaoromiaali@gmail.com **Work #:** 612 345 2101

Length of residence in Spring Lake Park (in years) 7 May we call you at work? Yes No

I am interested in serving on the following commission:
(If you have an interest in more than one commission, you may rank your choices)

- Planning and Zoning Commission
- Parks and Recreation Commission

Community, Civic or Volunteer Experience:
I have worked in Community setting since my teenage years. Please see Resume/CV attached.

Interests and Hobbies: I am passionate about human rights, community advocacy, empowering women and youth.
Hobbies include playing basketball, spending time with my family.

Occupation and Work Experience (you may attach a resume if desired): _____
Registered Nurse with a Masters in International Public Health. Director of Oromia Health Care. Please resume attached.

Please complete other side of application

Educational Background/Training: Registered Nurse with Masters in International Public Health

What skills or personal qualities do you possess that would make you valuable as a board or commission member? I possess leadership qualities and can work well in a team environment.

My extensive work and community experiences have exposed me to various people and situations.

These amazing experiences have allowed me to gain skills to assist me in my own personal growth.

And have met wonderful people and helped them grow as well.

Why are you interested in volunteering? I am interested in volunteering because as stated earlier you are exposed to various situations and people and this allows you to grow and simultaneously help others. I believe in leading by example. Through volunteering you can truly make an impact.

Conflicts of Interest

No commissioner shall: (1) Enter into any contract with the city unless otherwise authorized by law. (2) Use their position to secure any special privilege or exemption for themselves or others. (3) Use their office or otherwise act in any manner which would give the appearance of or result in any impropriety or conflict of interest.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION CONCERNING YOUR APPLICATION

DATA PRIVACY NOTICE: Minnesota law requires that you be informed of the purposes and intended uses of the information you are providing on this application. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13.601, your name, city of residence, employment history, volunteer work, awards and honors are public data and is available to anyone who requests the information. The data that you give us about yourself is also needed to identify you and assist in determining your suitability for the commission(s) for which you are applying. This data is not legally required, but refusal to supply the information requested may affect the City Council's ability to evaluate your application. Should you be appointed to serve on a board or commission, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13.601, your residential address and either a telephone number or electronic mail address (or both) where you can be reached also become public information.

I have read and understand the data privacy information given above and authorize investigation of all statements contained in this application as may be necessary to arrive at an appointment decision. I certify that all answers given here are true, and I understand that any false information on or omission of information from this application will be cause for rejection of this application.



Applicant signature (electronic)

01/29/2020

Date

CURRICULUM VITAE

MS. AISHA ALI

PERSONAL DETAILS

NAME Aisha Ali
ADDRESS 1620 81st Ave Ne, Unit 3, Spring Lake Park MN 55432
TELEPHONE 612 345 2101
EMAIL aishaoromiaali@gmail.com
EDUCATION

2014 **Afaan Oromo Certification**
Minneapolis Community and Technical College
2013-2014 **Master of International Public Health**
University of Queensland (Australia)
2008-2011 **Bachelor of Nursing (holds MN RN Licensure)**
RMIT University (Australia)

Ongoing Professional Development
Medical Administration Training

Professional Affiliation
Australian Nursing Federation

CAREER PROFILE

Highly developed interpersonal & communication skills & the ability to liaise with health professionals regarding patient care plans & patient progress - fluent English & Afaan Oromo (Eastern African) language skills

Committed to ongoing professional development - actively seek opportunities for learning

Strong observation & assessment skills

Able to prepare highly accurate documentation with attention to details

Competent in the development of care plans & care of allocated patient load

Able to work as a contributing & supportive team member

Possesses outstanding leadership skills

Effective organisational & time management abilities to ensure targets are met

A commitment to always provide quality service - all tasks performed with professionalism

Able to work autonomously & in an efficient manner at all times - aware of own strengths & limitations

Strong belief in compassionate and first class treatment and care of the sick

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

March 2017-Present **Oromia Health Care- Owner, Registered Nurse**

- Administration, Billings, Management of Staff, Health Assessments, Referrals, Health Promotion, Supervision of Personal Care Attendant, Hiring and Firing

January 2017- March 2017 **Brookpark Home Health- Registered Nurse**

- Health assessments, Referrals, health promotion, Supervision of Personal Care Attendant

March 2015- September 2017 **Oromia Media Network - Journalist**

- News reading in English and Afaan Oromo, writing news, engaging audience through social media platforms, Host of The Aisha Oromia Ali Show

January 2015- December 2015 Minnesota Visiting Nurse's Agency-Registered Nurse Case Manager
• Case Management, Disease teaching and management, Medication teaching and setup, Wound assessments

June 2014- March 2017 Friendly Home Health Care- Registered Nurse
• Health assessments, Referrals, health promotion, Supervision of Personal Care Attendant

September 2013 – December 2015 Oromo Community of Minnesota- Health Coordinator
• Registering clients for MNsure, organising health workshops

October 2013- March 2017 Friendly Home Health Care - Administrator/ Registered Nurse
• Checking blood pressure, weight, documentation and administration work

January 2012-Jan 2013 St Vincent's Private Hospital – Registered Nurse
• Patient Care, Administering Medications and other nursing duties

May 2010- Dec 2012 Royal Women's Hospital - Consumer Representative
• Attending monthly meetings to review information booklets
& discuss new ideas

Aug 2009- July 2012 Greentown - Assessor
• Provision of information to community groups regarding environmental strategies for use in the home

Mar 2009- Jan 2013 On Call Interpreters & Translators Agency – Oromo Interpreter
• Provision of services for Foundation House & the Royal Women's Hospital and other government and non-government organisations

Mar 2009-Jan 2012 St. Vincent's Mercy Private Hospital - Ward Clerk
• Responding to telephone enquiries, data entry, maintenance of medical files

VOLUNTEER HISTORY

April 2019- Present Saniya Foundation-Board Member
• Overview and implement programs to promote education, leadership and economic Independence for Women in East Africa

January 2015-2016 Oromia Media Network-Board Member
• Supervising employees and volunteers of the Organisation

Jan 2011-Jan2012 Oromo Cultural and Language School
• Teaching children from ages 4-17 years about the Oromo Culture and assisting with school home work

May 2011-Jan 2012

African Homework Support Program-Tutor

- Assisting students from year 7 to year 11 in a variety of subjects but especially in Mathematics and English

**July 2009-Jan 2013
Treasurer (2009)**

Australian Oromo Community Association in Victoria- President (2012)

- Leading the community organisations services and events
- Managing Executive Committee members
- Providing strategies & maintaining professionalism of the organisation
- Networking with other community groups, local & Federal government and Institutions
- Managing accounts and finance events management as well as volunteering to organise various events.

Jan 2008-Jan 2009

St Vincent De Paul's Friday Night School

- Provide tutoring services for primary and secondary school students

Mar 2007-Dec 2010

Oromo Islamic Light School-Teacher

- Teaching children from the ages of 5-16 years about Oromo culture and Islam and assisting with school homework

Oct 2006-Jan 2013

3ZZZ Oromo radio- Broadcaster

- Broadcasting in Afaan Oromo discussing issues affecting the youth

PUBLIC SPEAKING

I have been guest speaker at many events including:

August 2010

National Ethnic and Multicultural Broadcaster's Council Radioactive Youth Conference

- Discussing identity, culture and heritage and its connection to the media

March 2011

Korda Mentha

- Talked about my experiences at Friday Night School (a tutoring program) and the impact it had towards me

June 2011

Cross Cultural Women's Forum

- Discussed women leaders in newly emerging communities and in the wider society

June 2011

Auburn South Primary School

- Talked to grade 6 students about leadership

REFEREES:

Keith Moore **Home Health Supervisor** **612 617 4600**

Intisar Hassan **Service Coordinator Friendly Home Health Care** **763 742 7926**

Najat Hamza **Saniya Foundation Founder** **612 532 6551**

Margaret Gurry **St Vincent de Paul Friday Night School coordinator** **613 9419 7825**

Catherine Bi **St Vincent Private Hospital Mentor** **613 9411 7111**

Yadata Saba **Australian Oromo Community Association in Victoria** **614 12 795 909**

Lensa Dinka **Oromo Community Radio 3ZZZ** **61422 526 045**

