

Application for City Council Appointment

This application is for Council appointment, not for Elections.

If you would like to run for office during a General Election, please contact the City Elections Official at (503)366-8217.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

Applicant Name: Jared Stram

Home Address: 245 Trillium Street

City, Zip: St. Helens, 97051

Phone: 503 820 9997 ☒ Mobile ☐ Home

Email: jaredstram@icloud.com

Mailing Address: 245 Trillium Street

City, Zip: St. Helens, 97051

How long have you resided in the city limits of St. Helens? 13 Years 3 Months

Applicants must have resided inside the city limits of St. Helens for at least 12 months prior to appointment, per Charter¹.

Are you a Qualified Elector as defined in the Oregon Constitution²? (see page 2) ☒ Yes ☐ No

Civic Activities (offices held, honors, etc.):

School Board Member 2019—2021 Columbia County Christian School
Vice President of School Board 2021-2022 Columbia County Christian School

List names, addresses, and phone numbers of three references not related to you:

Lisa Scholl - 503 366 8216
Steven Webb - 503 705 5492
Brenda McPherson 503 703 1302

Briefly summarize educational background:

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing - Clackamas Community College - 2007
Bachelor of Science in Nursing - Western Governor's University - 2020
Master of Business Administration - Western Governor's University - 2022 - Academic Excellence Awards: Service Line Development, Ethical Leadership, and Business Simulation.
Master of Science in Nursing - Western Governor's University - In Progress - Academic Excellence Award: Quality Outcomes

Present Employer Name: Providence St. Joseph Health Phone: 5032160830

Present Employer Address: 9205 SW Barnes Road. Portland, OR 97223

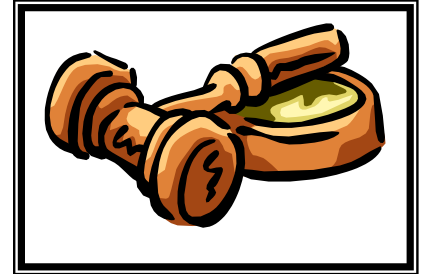
Title of Position Held: Oregon Region Manager - Utilization Review

Why do you want to be appointed to the City Council?

I want to be appointed to the City Council so that I can utilize my skills and expertise to help the city improve the quality of life for of the citizens of St. Helens and ensure the the City of St. Helens continues to be a desirable and marketable living space that can attract high quality businesses that will bring jobs and improve the local economy. I also hope to use my knowledge of healthcare to effect population health through city initiatives that will improve the public health of the city's residents.

What do you hope to accomplish during your time on the City Council?

I hope that during my tenure with the City Council, I would be able to help steer decisions by the council that would positively impact the lives of the citizens of St. Helens and improve the operations and functioning of the city.



Additional information you would like us to consider:

In my current position at Providence, I manage a department that provides services to all 8 Providence Acute Care hospitals. I am responsible for ensuring continued operations and coordinating workflows that affect numerous partner departments.

I hereby certify that I am a "qualified elector" as defined in Article II of the Oregon Constitution² and I have resided inside the city limits of St. Helens for at least 12 months prior to an appointment¹. I further certify that this form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: 8/20/2023

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT: Wednesday, August 30, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. Completed applications must be received by this deadline; postmarks will not be accepted. If sending by email, applicant is responsible to make sure their application was received by the deadline.

Please return by mail or drop-off to: City of St. Helens
Attn: Kathy Payne
265 Strand Street
St. Helens, OR 97051

Or by email to: kpayne@sthelensoregon.gov

PROCESS: The City Council will interview all applicants at a Special Session on Thursday, September 14, 2023, beginning at 5:15 p.m. via Zoom. Please mark your calendars. The agenda with the Zoom link will be posted by 5:00 p.m. on September 11, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact City Recorder Kathy Payne at (503) 366-8217.

¹ St. Helens Charter

Chapter VI Elections

Section 27. Qualifications.

- (a) The mayor and each councilor must be a qualified elector under state law, and reside within the city for at least one year immediately before election or appointment to office.
- (b) No person may be a candidate at a single election for more than one city office.
- (c) Neither the mayor nor a councilor may be employed by the city.
- (d) The council is the final judge of election and qualifications of its members.

² Oregon Constitution, Article II

Section 2. Qualifications of electors.

- (1) Every citizen of the United States is entitled to vote in all elections not otherwise provided for by this Constitution if such citizen:
 - (a) Is 18 years of age or older;
 - (b) Has resided in this state during the six months immediately preceding the election, except that provision may be made by law to permit a person who has resided in this state less than 30 days immediately preceding the election, but who is otherwise qualified under this subsection, to vote in the election for candidates for nomination or election for President or Vice President of the United States or elector of President and Vice President of the United States; and
 - (c) Is registered not less than 20 calendar days immediately preceding any election in the manner provided by law.
- (2) Provision may be made by law to require that persons who vote upon questions of levying special taxes or issuing public bonds shall be taxpayers.