

Board / Committee / Commission Application

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name:*

Navarre Oaks

Email Address:*

Gender:

nonbinary

Specify the Board, Commission or Committee you are applying for:*

Budget Advisory Committee

Are you currently a member of the Committee?*

☒ Yes☐ No

Home Address:*

City:*

State:*

Zip Code:*

Home / Cell Phone Number:*

How long have you lived in Emeryville?

N/A

Place of Employment:

City of Emeryville

Occupation:

Senior Planner

Business Address:

1333 Park Ave, Emeryville, CA 94608

City:

Emeryville

State:

CA

Zip Code:

94608-351

Business Phone Number:

5105964335

How long have you worked in Emeryville?

Over 10 years

Upload Your Résumé:

 No file chosen

What race/ethnicity do you most closely identify with? Select all that apply.

- ☒ White ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
- ☐ Black or African American ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- ☐ Hispanic or Latino ☐ Middle Eastern or North African
- ☐ Asian or Asian American ☐ Not listed.

If not listed above, please specify:

Select Your Age Group:

45-64 Years

Select Your Household Annual Income Level:

\$100,000 - \$149,999

Are there children under the age of 18 in your household?

☒ Yes ☐ No

EDUCATION / EXTRACURRICULAR INTERESTS

High School:

Berkeley High School

College:

San Jose State University

Trade or Business School(s):

N/A

Other Interests:

Peralta Colleges for AA, SFSU for BA, SJSU for MA

ADVISORY BODY EXPERIENCE / INFORMATION

Are you currently serving on other Boards, Commissions or Committees?

☒ Yes☐ No

Have you served on a Board, Commission or Committee before?

☒ Yes☐ No

Please list all past and current City of Emeryville advisory boards.

Budget Advisory Committee

Please list any past and current board, commission or committee memberships outside of Emeryville.

ULI Student Liaison (2011),
 NorCal APA Board Student Rep (2010-2011),
 VP of Urban Planning Coalition student organization (2010 - 2012),
 Chief Steward of Emeryville SIEU Chapter (2018-2022),
 Interim President of Emeryville SEIU Chapter (2022-2025).

Please list all organization memberships and positions held.

American Planning Association, no current positions held.

Please list any relevant work and volunteer experience.

SEIU Member, current Labor Representative on the Emeryville Budget Advisory Committee.

Why are you interested in serving on this Board, Commission or Committee?

Because I care about the City of Emeryville, feel that I have a strong base of knowledge about the City and as a member of SEIU to serve on the Budget Advisory Committee, and enjoy learning more about how city finances and budgets work.

How do you think your unique lived experience will benefit or inform the Committee's recommendations?

I think my unique lived experience as a long-time member of SEIU and long-time public servant with the City of Emeryville provide a unique perspective and knowledge base to help provide wholistic recommendations to the Budget Advisory Committee. Additionally, I have a lifelong connection and knowledge of Emeryville: I grew up hearing stories from my grandparents about Emeryville during and after WWII, I have many childhood memories of being in Emeryville (restaurants and parks), my first apartment after leaving home was in Emeryville, and aside from currently working in Emeryville, I now bring my kids to Emeryville to spend time in our many parks and at community events, such as the harvest festival. I care deeply about the future of the City and its financial success and stability as a member of labor, an employee, and a community member.

PLANNING COMMISSION APPLICANTS ONLY

Please provide a short (300 words or less) statement discussing your ideas and attitudes about planning in Emeryville. Please consider issues such as traffic, industrial and commercial development density, affordable housing, maintaining community diversity and jobs/housing balance.

* indicates required fields.