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Subject: Online Form Submittal: Board / Committee / Commission Application

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name:* Whitney Rubin
Email Address:* [REDACTED]
Gender: F

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

[Housing Committee V]

Which position(s) on the Advisory Body are you applying for?

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| ☐ Business Representative | ☐ Planning Commissioner |
| ☐ City Labor Representative | ☒ Resident |
| ☒ Community Member | ☐ Resident (Dog Owner) |
| ☐ Large Business Representative | ☐ Senior Community Member |
| ☐ Non-Profit Business Representative | ☐ Small Business Representative |

I am currently a member of the above Committee, and am seeking reappointment.*

() Yes (X) No

If you are seeking re-appointment, has any of your information changed within the last 12 months?

() Yes (X) No

If your answer is yes, please complete the rest of this form.

If your information has not changed within the past 12 months, please only enter your name and email information above. You do not need to complete the remainder of this form.

RESIDENCY / EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Home Address: [REDACTED]	City: [REDACTED]	State: [REDACTED]	Zip Code: [REDACTED]
Phone Number: [REDACTED]	How long have you lived in Emeryville? 5 years		
Place of Employment: First Solar	Occupation: urban planner/real estate		
Business Address: [REDACTED]	City: [REDACTED]	State: [REDACTED]	Zip Code: [REDACTED]
Phone Number:	How long have you worked in Emeryville?		

EDUCATION / EXTRACURRICULAR INTERESTS

High School: Beverly Hills High School
College: UCLA
Trade or Business School(s):
Other Interests: Swimming, hiking, playing with my 2-year old, and reading

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.

I have not served on a board at the City of Emeryville.

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

None.

Please list all organization memberships and positions held.

Hazon - Bicycle Ride Committee chair LimmudLA - 500 person conference Committee co-chair

Please list any relevant work and volunteer experience.

I have a MA in Urban Planning from UCLA and I've built schools in a previous position. While working at the LA City Councilmember's office, I worked on local implementation of SB1818 legislation, ADUs and granny flats, and other housing policy. Please see additional items from Linkedin profile: • Worked as part of senior team to identify solutions to key community issues and policy initiatives. • Represented Councilmember by speaking at legislative hearings and community meetings. • Improved legislation together with community members. • Provided training on planning matters to co-workers and community members. • Interviewed and recommend people for the Councilmember to appoint to the Council District's Design Review Boards. • Shepherded projects through multiple agency requirements and approvals. • Hired and managed consultants. • Worked on conservation of historic-cultural monuments. • Explained the CEQA process to colleagues and community members. • Preserved affordable housing. • Successfully intervened and resolved landlord/tenant disputes.

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

I am interested in getting involved in the City of Emeryville and offering a balanced perspective to housing and real estate needs.

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.