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Formstack Submission For: **Boards and Commissions**

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Name:	Tara Vincente Porter
Address:	
Phone:	
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Which Board or Commission Are You Applying For?:	
Occupation:	
Employer:	
Please List Any Civic Activities in Which You Have Been Involved::	
Have You Ever Attend Any of the City's Board, Commission or City Council Meetings? Any Similar Meetings in Other	

Board of Directors of the Northglenn Youth Commission?:

How Does City Government Affect Your Life?:

What Other Organizations, Clubs or Teams You Are Currently A Member Of?:

What Do You Want to Accomplish for Youth in the City of Northglenn?:

What Impact Do You Think That Youth of Your Age Can Have in Our City?:

Are You Familiar With the Master Plan and/or Ordinances of the City of Northglenn? What About Similar Plans or Ordinances in Other Communities? Please List:

Yes and Yes. I worked as a Clerk for the Arapahoe County Board of Commissioners in 2021.

Have You Ever Attended Any of the City's Boards or Commissions or City Council Meetings? How About Any Similar Meetings in Other Communities? Please List:

Yes and Yes. I attended regular City Board meetings in Oregon City as a representative Board Member of the Downtown Oregon City Association, 2014-2019.

Please List Any Civic Activities in Which You Have Been

Colorado - Jefferson County Elections Judge, 2020-2021
Colorado - Arapahoe County Clerk to the Board, 2021

Involved:	Oregon - Downtown Oregon City Association Board Member, 2014-2019
Please List Your Specialized Business Skills or Education:	<p>I graduated cum laude with a B.S.in Business Management from Springfield College in Springfield, MA (2005)</p> <p>I cofounded the bodycare company (Booda Organics, INC.) in Golden, CO (2009). These products are sold in grocery stores and retail stores nationally. You can purchase them locally in Natural Grocers by Vitamin Cottage.</p> <p>I owned and operated a brick-and-mortar retail store, (Denim Salvage), located on Main Street in Oregon City, OR from 2014-2019. I was written in the Wall Street Journal for my concept and local community support.</p> <p>I was an active Board Member within the Downtown Oregon City Association in Oregon City, OR and focused on Main Street revitalization, 2014-2019.</p>
Employer:	Tallgrass Energy
Occupation:	Procurement Specialist
What Traits or Characteristics Do You Feel Can Offer in Problem Resolution? Please List:	I am a proven entrepreneur, manager, and overall leader. Currently, as a procurement specialist, I coordinate across all departments within our organization, and I am a top negotiation resource in coordinating commercial terms and contracts and with suppliers. My skills include communication, active listening, strategic planning, dynamic problem solving, and thinking outside of the box.
Briefly Describe Your Interest in Serving on This Board or Commission. Feel Free to Indicate Any Areas	<p>Local government is a passion of mine! I have loved every moment that I have spent so far in my civic endeavors! I truly believe that if you want to live in a great community that one must take responsibility for it and work hard to make it and keep it GREAT!</p> <p>My husband and I bought our first home</p>

of Expertise, Background, Concerns and/or General Information That May Be Applicable.:

HERE in Northglenn in 2022 because we LOVE our neighborhood and this community! We are so happy and proud to be here! Now that we have settled in here it is time for me to get-back-to-work and support our community via local government!

Are You Related to Any Employee, Appointee or Elected Official of the City of Northglenn? If So, Please List Them Here:

No.

If You Receive Favorable Consideration For an Appointment to a Board or Commission, Would Your Schedule Allow You to Attend These Meetings? If Not, Identify The Number of Meetings You Would Likely Miss:

Yes, I would absolutely be available!

By Filling Out This Application, You Have The Option of Selecting Additional Boards or Commissions of Interest. Please Check Other Choices as Appropriate (Select as Many as Apply):

Citizens' Affairs Board
CCPP Board (Police)
DISE Board (Diversity)
Election Commission
Historic Preservation Commission
Northglenn Urban Renewal Authority (NURA)
Parks and Recreation Advisory Board
Planning Commission
Victim and Law Enforcement (VALE) Board