



APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO CITY COUNCIL

Applicant Information	
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Occupation:	[REDACTED]
Employer:	[REDACTED]

Skills/Abilities/Interests
List your skills, abilities, related volunteer community service and interests relevant to the City Council position.
<p>I am a Native Northglenn resident from birth. I attended wyco elementary, NorthEast Jr high, and Graduated Northglenn HS. I have been involved with many Northglenn youth groups and sports, I served our Nation in the US Army for over 17 yrs. I have been on many Ride a longs with our Northglenn Police department as well as assisting with the Trunk or treat and the Pirate festival. I now volunteer with the Colorado Parks and Wildlife Department. I know how The city of Northglenn has changed over the last many years. We need to pull together and get our small city beautiful and clean up the problem areas around town.</p>
Questionnaire
<p>Have you lived in the City of Northglenn for at least 12 months? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Are you a registered voter? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Did you vote in the 2019 election? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to answer</p> <p>Will you be able to attend meetings of the City Council? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Are you related to any employee, appointee, or elected official of the City? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If yes, please list: _____</p>
Why do you want to be appointed to the City Council?
<p>I honestly feel I have Grass Roots knowledge of the city of Northglenn. I have all my entire childhood memories of Northglenn schools and activities my kids also were raised in Northglenn. I want to improve our image as opposed to Big Brother Thornton. We can do better in our community. Plus follow in my Dad's footsteps</p>

How will your education, training, experience, and knowledge of the community make you a suitable candidate to serve as a member of the City Council?

As mentioned before, I am an active member of the Northglenn community, my training in leadership is mostly from attaining the rank of Senior NCO in the military. Since I was born and raised in Northglenn, there's not much I do not know about our city I do not name drop with our local NGPD Chiefs and officer's.

In your opinion, what are the most important issues facing the City and how would you propose they be addressed?

My father served on city council in Ward 2, Northglenn. I remember the citizens of our community bringing up community issues to my Dad and Mayor O'Dell Barry all the time. I was involved with Northglenn youth football and remember where I currently live on 10500 Irma being our football conditioning summer camp.

What vision do you have for the City of Northglenn?

Be an example to the rest of Colorado of a small city that practices humanity, fairness, technology, safe and peaceful living, It's sad that Northglenn homeless are setting up tent encampments behind some of our thrift stores. We can do better than that.

In reviewing the City's 2020 Budget, what are you most excited about and why?

I mostly follow the Police budget and the School Bond issues. No comment at this time.

If the Council is debating an item that is, for you, a particularly strong emotional issue, how would you maintain your objectivity?

I was taught by some really successful people. We are all not raised the same. Practice humanity. Don't be judgemental be kind, you do not need your opinion to be right all the time. Being in Tai Chi training really humbles a human being to be centered calm and grounded.

Supplemental Information

Please provide any additional information or statements that may assist the City Council in giving your application the fullest consideration. You may also attach a resume, letter of interest, or other supplemental information. **Please note that a resume, letter of interest, or other supplemental information is strongly encouraged, but is not required.**

I am a member of Northglenn American Legion post #22 off Irma dr for the past 20yrs, I do not drink alcohol there. I am a current member of VFW Post 3586 in Thornton Co. I also graduated from NGHS, and C.I.L.E.T. Police academy in Northglenn. As mentioned before my father was in Northglenn city council when I was a teenager. I know alot of Northglenn residents and our concerns and needs to our great community.

Please note: Relatives of elected and appointed City officials are not eligible for regular full-time employment with the City. In the event that an employee's relative is elected or appointed to Council, the employee will cease to be eligible for City employment during the term of office of the relative. After the term of office for the relative has ended, the employee may re-apply for City employment as vacancies occur. Relatives include spouse, children, parents, grandparents and siblings, as well as members of step-families, foster families, adoptive families, and in-laws. This regulation also applies to other relatives living in the same household.

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