

AFFORDABLE HOUSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Application for Appointment

This application form is for consideration by the Escambia County Board of County Commissioners for appointment to the Affordable Housing Advisory Committee.

Please return this application to: Escambia County Community and Environment Department
 Neighborhood Enterprise Division
 Attention: Meredith Reeves
 221 Palafox Place, Suite 200
 Pensacola, FL 32502

The deadline for application submittal is June 29, 2018.

Important: Please fill in all items requested completely. All information will be Public Record if appointed.

By Florida Statutes, the committee must be made up of at least six people represented from the following different interests and professions (Note: The City of Pensacola will appoint two representatives). Please mark any positions that you believe you could represent on the Committee.

INTEREST	POSITION
	One citizen who is actively engaged in the residential home building industry in connection with affordable housing
X	One citizen who is actively engaged in the banking or mortgage industry
	One citizen who is a representative of those areas of labor actively engaged in home building in connection with affordable housing
	One citizen who is actively engaged as an advocate for low-income persons in connection with affordable housing
	One citizen who is actively engaged as a for-profit provider of affordable housing
	One citizen who is actively engaged as a real estate professional in connection with affordable housing
X	One citizen who is actively engaged as a not-for-profit provider of affordable housing
	One citizen who resides within Escambia County
	One citizen who represents employers within the jurisdiction
	One citizen who actively serves on the local planning agency
	One citizen that represents essential personnel, which is defined as individuals permanently employed by a company or organization located within Escambia County, the City of Pensacola or the Town of Century as: *Local or State Law Enforcement; Fire, Rescue, & Emergency Services; Public Safety & Emergency Management *Teachers, Educators, and School District Personnel in the public, private, or university systems *Health Care professionals and support personnel *Tourism Industry professionals and employees *Judicial/Court System management and support personnel *Service Industry Personnel (including child care, hospitality, and food service)

Name any businesses, professional, civic or fraternal organizations of which you are a member, and the dates of your membership:

DATE	ORGANIZATION
2002 - Present	Pensacola Association of Realtors
2005 - Present	Calvary Chapel Church

Are you a resident of Escambia County? (Members MUST be a resident of Escambia County)

Yes No

If yes, continuous resident since (year) 2015

Are you currently serving, or have you ever served, on a board or committee?

Yes No

If yes, please state the name of the Board or Committee and the dates served:

DATES SERVED	BOARD/COMMITTEE
2016 - Present	Pensacola Association of Realtors Affiliate Committee

Does your field of employment (or last employment) or any volunteer activities in which you engage (or have engaged) involve work or experience in the following categories? (Check as many as apply.)

- Agriculture and/or land-ownership interest
- Banking
- Business/Industry
- Building, Development and/or Real Estate
- Civic Activism
- Community Design, Planning, and/or Engineering
- Education and Academia
- Engineering/Surveying
- Environmental and/or Conservation
- Land Use Law
- Neighborhood and/or Civic Associations
- Planning
- Recreation
- Rural Development
- Transportation
- Water Resources

Please state your experience, interest, or elements of your personal history that you think qualify you for appointment to this committee:

For 21 Years I have been originating mortgage loans for home buyers, a majority of them for first time home buyers. I am currently one of the top producers for the Escambia County Housing Finance Authority providing down payment assistance loans for first time home buyers.

My knowledge & experience in all areas of mortgage lending make me an ideal candidate for appointment to this committee.

Can you attend meetings if they are held (check all that apply):

Mornings

Afternoons

Evenings

Why do you want to serve on the Committee?

I would like to offer ideas & insight as to how we can help home buyers get into affordable housing.

The lending industry has been very good to me and I would like to give back to the community and the best way to do that is offer my time and 21+ years experience in this field.

What do you hope to accomplish by serving on this Committee?

To offer my knowledge and thoughts so more low to moderate income families can gain home ownership.

Attach Additional Sheets as Necessary

By submitting this form for consideration, I acknowledge the following: I understand the responsibilities associated with being a committee member, and I have adequate time to serve on the committee.

Kim Wats
Applicant's Signature

6/27/18
Date