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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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APPLICATION for ADVISORY BOARD/COMMITTEE/COMMISSION

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN INK

For which Advisory Board are you applying? A separate application is required for each advisory board.		Name of Advisory Board: Library Board of Trustees	
Some advisory board positions have specific requirements for applicants. For more information please click on this link to the Manatee County website at: www.mymanatee.org/advisory_boards .		Please specify the seat you are interested in: Representative of Manatee County at-large	
Name Jacqueline R. Taxdal			
Home Street Address 1906 42nd Street West			
Home Mailing Address 1906 42nd Street West			
City, State, Zip Bradenton, FL 34205			
Home Phone 941-748-5883	Work Phone 941-366-2983	Cell Phone 941-720-3040	
Email address jtaxdal@gmail.com			
Occupation (if retired, please indicate) CPA			
Business name Cavanaugh & Co, LLP			
Business street address 2381 Fruitville Road			
City, State, Zip Sarasota, FL 34237			
Are you registered to vote in Manatee County? (This is a requirement of certain boards/commissions)		Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
I reside in County Commission District # 1 <input type="radio"/> 2 <input type="radio"/> 3 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 4 <input type="radio"/> 5 <input type="radio"/> (This can be found on your Voter Registration Card or click on this link to a County Commission District Map)			
Do you reside in unincorporated Manatee County?		Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input checked="" type="radio"/>
If No, please indicate the City <u>Bradenton</u>			
<small>The Board of County Commissioners strives to ensure equal access for minorities and women to serve on advisory boards/committees/commissions. Providing this information will help Manatee County compile information needed to <u>comply with the reporting requirement in Florida State Statute 760.80.</u></small>			
Gender Male <input type="radio"/>		Female <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
Race			
African American <input type="radio"/>	Asian American <input type="radio"/>	Caucasian <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
Hispanic American <input type="radio"/>	Native American <input type="radio"/>	Other <input type="radio"/>	

Please list any governmental Advisory Boards/Committees/Commissions on which you currently serve.
None.

Please list any Manatee County Advisory Boards/Committees/Commissions on which you have previously served (include dates of your service).
None.

Why do you want to serve on this Advisory Board or Committee?

As a life-long resident of Manatee County and user of the public libraries, I would like to contribute my time to continue making the public library an asset to every resident of Manatee County.

Describe your education and experience that will provide a benefit to this Advisory Board.

Having a B.S. in Mathematics and a B.A. in Accounting I understand the wealth of services a library holds from quiet study rooms to a boundless supply of books to further one's quest for knowledge. However, my experience did not begin with my studies. My earliest experience is attending story time with my mom and collecting books to read at home. To this day, my mom and I attend the public library to collect books and magazines to read at home. Also, this year the public library served as the source of my solar eclipse glasses and use of a telescope. It goes without saying, "I Geek Libraries".

List your professional credentials, licenses or certificates that are relevant to this Advisory Board.

CPA (Certified Public Accountant)
CSA (Certified Senior Advisor)

List organizations and positions in which you serve in local civic or community groups.

Yummy Stuff Club, Inc. - treasurer
Citizens for Better Schools, Inc. - deputy treasurer
Manatee Chamber of Commerce - volunteer for the Big Bank Theory and Project T.E.A.C.H.
AARP Tax-Aide - volunteer

Do you or your immediate family members have or hold any employment or contractual relationship with any business entity or agency which does business with or receives funding from Manatee County Government? Yes No If yes, please explain.

Do you know of any other reason that would prohibit you from serving on this board that could be deemed as a conflict of interest? Yes No If yes, please explain.

If you are appointed, are there any days of the week or months of the year you will be unavailable to serve due to job or travel? Yes No If yes, please explain.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

1. For questions regarding a specific advisory board, committee, or commission, including the duties and requirements, please contact the County staff liaison listed on that board's webpage.
2. Certain advisory boards, committees, and commissions have specific membership requirements including a valid voter registration card, financial disclosure and/or the submission of other information.
3. Attendance is required at advisory board meetings. Three unexcused absences may be grounds for removal.
4. Florida State Statute 119.07 designates this application as a public document to be made available for anyone requesting to view it. If you qualify for exemption from public disclosure under the terms of this statute, please explain:
5. Advisory boards, committees or commissions having the authority to make factual determinations, review permit applications, issue permits, grant variances, or impose fines exercise a part of the County's sovereign powers and members are prohibited by Florida law from holding more than one such position. If you currently hold another state, municipal or county government appointment, County staff will assist in confirming your eligibility to serve on the board for which you are applying.

NOTICE

Applications must be complete and signed to be valid. Resumes may not be substituted for the sections on the application but you may include extra pages to provide additional information. Applications will not be processed unless each section has been completed and all supplemental information sought by County staff has been provided. Applicants will not be permitted to change information on their submitted application materials once they have been received by the County.

The following advisory boards require a questionnaire that must also be completed and a current resume for the applicant to be considered for appointment. See pages 4 and 5 of this form.

Children's Services Advisory Board – page 4
Healthcare Advisory Board – page 5

Please sign and date below

I have reviewed the qualifications of this position and the duties of the board or commission for which I am applying and certify that I am fully able to serve. I agree to commit the necessary time to fulfill these responsibilities. I understand that I am offering my service without compensation. I agree to abide by all Manatee County Commission rules and policies either published or in effect by usage, and all regulations and laws of the State of Florida. I further hereby acknowledge that should my professional, residential or other status change subsequent to my appointment to this board or commission, I have a continuing obligation to inform the County's staff liaison of that change to the extent it may alter my eligibility to continue in service.

By typing my name and submitting this application, I confirm that the information provided in this application is true and complete, and this constitutes my signature under the Florida Electronic Signature Act.

Electronic Signature**Type or Sign Name***Jaqueline R. Tustal***Date** 12/6/17

Your application may be mailed to the address below.

Mail: Board of County Commissioners
1112 Manatee Avenue West, Suite 902
ATTN: Advisory Boards
Bradenton, FL 34205

You may also fax or email your application, as follows:

Fax: 941-745-3790
Email: Save this pdf form to your computer and then attach it to an email. Email to this address:
advisoryboards@mymanatee.org

The Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida does not discriminate upon the basis of any individual's disability status. This non-discrimination policy involves every aspect of the Board's functions including one's access to, participation, employment, or treatment in its programs or activities. Anyone requiring reasonable accommodation for meetings as provided for in the Americans with Disabilities Act should contact the Citizens Action Center, three days before a meeting at 742-5800; TDD ONLY 742-5802 and wait 60 seconds; or FAX 745-3790.