

Staff Use Only:

Council District 24

This application is a

Reappointment

New Appointment

GREENVILLE COUNTY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

Greenville Transit Authority

(Name of Board or Commission to which you are applying)

An individual may only apply to serve on one board or commission during any election cycle.

In order for your application to be given consideration, it is critical that you answer all of the following questions as completely as possible.

Mr Mrs Ms Miss Name Matthew Burns

Home Address 100 Long Hill Street City Greenville

Occupation Educator

Employer SC Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities

EmployerAddress 15 University Street
Greenville, SC 29601

Volunteer Experience

I am an active volunteer in several ways. Currently I serve as a Sunday School teacher and member of the church's
communications and recreation committees. I serve as the School Improvement Council chair at my children's elementary
school. I also maintain the social media for our sailing club. Previously, I have served as a member of Furman University's
Young Alumni Council and a youth sports coach.

Do you currently hold any elected or appointed office or commission No

If yes, list

Have you previously held any elected or appointed office or commission? No

If yes, list

Have you ever been fined for any ethics violations? No

If so, please comment

Describe your understanding of the role of a member of the board or commission to which you are applying _____
I understand the Greenville Transit Authority Board to provide leadership and direction to the public transportation options
(primarily bus) in Greenville. I understand that the board has fiduciary, public relations, and organizational directional
responsibilities.

Have you ever attended a meeting of this board or commission? Yes No

Are you available to meet at the regularly scheduled date and time of the board or commission meeting? Yes No

If appointed, will you pledge to faithfully attend the meetings? Yes No

How many hours/week are you available to give to this board of commission? 10

What specific skills do you believe you could contribute as a member of this board or commission? _____
I am a frequent user of the bus system and am passionate about ensuring that we have a safe, equitable system for all users. I
believe that having served in a variety of volunteer opportunities, I understand the role of a leadership group and how it sets the
pace and tone. I further believe that as an almost twenty year resident of the county, I understand the place and many of its
residents' needs.

Highest Degree Earned Masters of Education

School Attended Clemson University

Field Of Study Counseling-Student Affairs

Do you have expertise in any of the following areas (check all that apply).

Tourism Industry

Cultural / Arts

Restaurant

Hotel Management

Architectural

Fire Protection Eng /
Contractor

Electrical Engineer /
Contractor

Design/Architectural /
Professional Contractor

Structural Engineer /
Contractor

Mechanical Engineer /
Contractor

Plumbing Engineer /
Contractor

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation? If so, please give details

Yes No

Are you current in payment of Greenville County property taxes?

Yes No

Do you reside in a municipality? If so, please name.

Yes No

Greenville

Do you, any member of your family or a business with which you or a member of your family is associated, provide goods and/or services to this board for payment?

Yes No

Statement

By my signature, I state that all information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

I understand it is my responsibility to insure my application is submitted within the application period and that it has been received by the County Council Office.

I understand my appointment to the board for which I am applying will not result in me receiving any compensation for my service.

Signature _____ Date _____

Recommended by _____

Please return completed form to:

**Greenville County Council
301 University Ridge, Suite 2400
Greenville, SC 29601-3665**

If you have questions, please call 467-7115 or check the www.greenvillecounty.org website.