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Council District 22 This application is a  Reappointment  New Appointment  
Attendance Record: \_\_\_\_\_

**GREENVILLE COUNTY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION**

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Human Relations Commission  
(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 Sonia Col

Home Address 9 Battery Park City Greenville

Occupation Attorney

Employer Sonia Col & Associates, P.C.

EmployerAddress 745 Fifth Avenue, 5th Floor  
New York, NY 10151

Highest Degree Earned JD

School Attended Seton Hall Law Center

Field Of Study Law

Volunteer Experience \_\_\_\_\_

The Floating Hospital - Queens, NY

Served on BOD for 3 years, 1 year as Chairman of the Board.

**Describe your understanding of the role of a member of the board or commission to which you are applying** \_\_\_\_\_

Serve in leadership position in cooperation with other members in pursuit of GCHRC's mission; require management of GCHRC to provide timely & ample information to discharge council responsibilities; require management of GCHRC office to respond promptly to adopted policies, procedures and respond to supervisory criticism. Assess & analyze relevant data and take appropriate action to promote quality of life in Greenville.

**What specific skills do you believe you could contribute as a member of this board or commission?** \_\_\_\_\_

Served on The Floating Hospital BOD for 3 yrs. (a health-care provider to homeless mothers and children); am a licensed attorney (NY) of 40+ years with ability to read and comprehend complex legal issues, laws and regulations; my expertise is in immigration and nationality law; am fluent in Portuguese and Spanish, working knowledge of Italian. Self-employed with flexible schedule.

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

Flexible \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Yes  No

Do you or any member of your immediate family receive direct services from this board?

Yes  No

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

Yes  No

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 explain \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been subject to penalty relating to a violation of State ethics standards?

No

If so, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Are you current in payment of Greenville County property taxes?

Yes  No

If applying for the Accomidations Tax Advisory Committee  
the Construction Board of Appeals or the Historic Preservation Commission please check  
the box that applies to your field of employment or expertise:

**Accommodations Tax Comm.**

- Tourism Industry
- Cultural / Arts
- Restaurant
- Hotel Management

**Historic Preservation Comm.**

- Archeologist
- Historian
- Architect
- Member of Historic  
Preservation Group

**Construction Board of Appeals**

- Architectural
- Fire Protection Eng / Contractor
- Electrical Engineer / Contractor
- Design/Architectural / Professional Contractor
- Structural Engineer / Contractor
- Mechanical Engineer / Contractor
- Plumbing Engineer / Contractor

**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.*

*I understand my lack of attendance resulting in three consecutive meetings or 25% of all meetings within a year may result in my removal from the board.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return completed form by mail, fax or email to:**

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

**Fax: (864) 467-7358**

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If you have questions, please call 467-7115 or check the [www.greenvillecounty.org](http://www.greenvillecounty.org) website.