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Council District 17 This application is a Reappointment New Appointment
Attendance Record: _____

GREENVILLE COUNTY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

_____ planning
(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 Andrew Padula

Home Address 402 Eckley Ct. City Greer

Occupation Garden Designer/Plant Nursery Owner

Employer Self Employed/Padulas Plants And Garden Design

EmployerAddress 402 Eckley Ct. Greer SC. 29651

Highest Degree Earned High School Diploma

School Attended North Stafford High School

Field Of Study Science

Volunteer Experience _____

I have been a RENEW teacher at Greer Relief over the years on the topics of perennial gardening, plant propagation, growing plants without using harmful chemicals, making a plant based soil mix, attracting beneficial insects to your food garden, and growing food crops around your home. Over the 10 years that my business has been open to the public, I have offered around 50 free garden and plant classes that I have volunteered my time to teach.

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

I understand this open position for a seat on the planning commission will involve multiple duties. Also, an understanding of how different decisions interact with each other in order to benefit the future growth of the county is important. I also understand that a clear form of communication between myself and others on and off of the board is very important, in order for me to help in the decision making process for future county growth and aesthetics.

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

Through my business I offer consultations. Which include landscape design, and erosion control. My experience in dealing with these issues will help the board when decisions are being made. I am able to identify many kinds of wild plants outdoors in Greenville County, in different areas of terrain. I feel that plant identification is beneficial when decisions are being made that involve working with and reshaping the outdoor environment here in Greenville County.

How many hours/week are you available to give to this board of commission? 10-15

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 Accommodations 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:

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

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