

# Boards and Commissions Application

## Profile

Art  
First Name

Maurice  
Last Name

[Redacted]  
Email Address

Please note, applications are continuously accepted to the City of San Jose Boards and Commissions. The Board or Commission you select may or may not indicate there is a vacancy. Your application will remain on file for one year from the date of submission. During the year, your application may be considered for unanticipated vacancies.

## Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Parks and Recreation Commission: Submitted

## Are you a resident of San Jose?

Yes  No

## Length of Residency

6 or more years

What district do you live in? To verify, please click here: <https://eservices.sccgov.org/rov/?tab=dt> \*

District 6

[Redacted]  
Street Address

Suite or Apt

San Jose  
City

CA  
State

95128  
Postal Code

[Redacted]  
Primary Phone

Home:  
Alternate Phone

Retired  
Employer

Retired  
Job Title

## Current Employer Address

N/A

## Current Employer of Spouse

N/A

**Address of Current Employer of Spouse**

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N/A

**Spouse's Job Title**

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N/A

**If you or your spouse is retired and receiving a pension, please state source of pension.**

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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**Interests & Experiences**

**High School, College, Professional, Vocational, or Other Schools Attended. Please include Major or Field of Study, Dates Attended, Degree and Date of Degree.**

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Internet Video Production

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**List any position or office held in any governmental agency, civic, or charitable organization including the dates**

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President of the Cory Neighborhood Association

**Languages Spoken**

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English

**Special Awards or Recognitions Received**

Please state why you want to become a member of this Board or Commission including specific objectives which you would work toward as a member. If you are applying for the Board of Fair Campaign and Political Practices, please indicate any familiarity or experience you may have with campaign laws.

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I like parks, especially bike trails as I ride my bike more than drive my car.

Please state any other information which you feel would be useful in reviewing your application

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Do you own property in the City of San José?

Yes  No

If yes, please list the addresses here.

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[REDACTED]

Do you rent property in the City of San José?

Yes  No

If yes, is it a month-to-month lease?

Yes  No

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State and local law require that you abstain from participation in decisions that may affect your financial interests, including sources of income, interest in real property, personal finances or investments. In addition, if appointed, you may be required to fill out a disclosure statement which identifies certain of your financial interest beginning with the immediate twelve-month period prior to your appointment. Please review the scopr of your board/commission in Municipal Code Chapter 2.08. Based on your best judgment, does this Board or Commission make decisions that may affect sources of income, interests in real property, personal finances or investments of you or your spouse?

Yes  No

If yes, please explain. Please identify any organizations, associations, corporations, or entities by which you are employed or associated that might be affected by decisions of this Board or Commission, and the positions you hold in these entities.

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Reference 1 Name

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Reference 1 Address

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Reference 1 Phone

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Reference 2 Name

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### Supplemental Questions

Have you ever attended a meeting of the Commission(s) to which you are applying?

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Yes  No

Would you be available to attend meetings at the scheduled time?

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Yes  No

Please describe your experience in serving on a Commission or Board.

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As President, the responsibilities stop with me. If something needs to be done and no one can do it, then I do it.

Considering your experience and activities in business, labor, professional, social, or other organizations, indicate the experience, training, knowledge and/or skills which qualify you for appointment to the selected commission(s).

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I work well with other people

What is your understanding of the purpose of the Commission?

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We review Parks and make recommendations to the City Council

Please list three issues facing the City that you feel the Commission should address.

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1. Homeless people camping in parks 2. Maintenance of parks 3. Lack of parks in the city

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Question applies to Parks and Recreation Commission

**Please describe your experience in working with governmental agencies.**

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It's been good. Mainly applying for grants.

Question applies to Parks and Recreation Commission

**As a Parks and Recreation Commissioner, how would you handle a situation where you have a volatile Community group which is opposed to a staff proposal?**

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Have community outreach, listen to their concerns and make adjustments, if necessary.

Question applies to Parks and Recreation Commission

**Can you provide examples of major public policy issues that you have been involved in and what your role was in the issue?**

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BAREC was one that I supported but the main driver was Kirk Vartan. I worked with Valleyfair Mall when a neighbor came to me concerned that the LED Billboard would shine into his house. We got Valleyfair to move back the sign.

**I would like to say . . .**

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(Optional) Please upload a resume.

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**Retirement Board Questions Only**

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**Verification**

By checking the box below, you agree with the following statement.

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I agree that all of the information contained in my responses to the questions on this application are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I further agree that, by checking the box below and submitting this application, online or otherwise, I am affixing my digital signature to this form as of the date submitted.

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I Agree \*