CITY OF SANIBEL Submit Date: Nov 13, 2024

Application to Serve

Committee Choice				
Which Boards would y	ou like to ap	pply for?		
Planning Commission: Sul	omitted			
Qualifications required f	or the MPO SU	P Advisory Comm	nittee Position.	
Question applies to multiple board Of Committees Marke		Meetings Have	You Attended?	
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Question applies to multiple board New Member	ls			
⊙ Yes ⊂ No				
Question applies to multiple board Returning Member	ls			
○ Yes ⓒ No				
Profile				
Matthew	P	Chesser		
First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name		
1894 Farm Trail				
Street Address			Suite or Apt	
Sanibel			FL	33957
City			State	Postal Code
Home: (302) 535-7747				
Primary Phone	Alternate Pho	one		
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NUMBER OF MONTHS	RESIDING OF	N SANIBEL ANN	UALLY	
12				
Year Round Resident				
⊙ Yes ⊙ No				

The School	District	of	Lee
County			

Employer

Director of Grants and Program Development

Occupation

BACKGROUND: (EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE)

Required Information

I have a significant amount of education and experience related to this appointment in the areas of law, planning, engineering, and construction. For 15 years, I managed the Planning, Preservation, and Development Section of Delaware State Parks, which included direct oversight of the State of Delaware's Open Space, Natural Areas, First State Trails and Pathways, and Outdoor and Recreation Parks and Trails Programs.

Upload a	Resume		

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Required Information

In addition to providing staffing to several Governor-appointed councils in past Delaware jobs, I was on the Board of Directors for the Kent County Conservancy in Dover, Delaware, and the Friends of Auburn Heights in Yorklyn, Delaware. Since moving to Florida, I have started to volunteer with CHR on Sanibel as part of the development committee.

WHY ARE YOU INTERESTED IN THIS APPOINTMENT?

Required Information

My family and I love Sanibel and really want to contribute our time and abilities to help where we can. Given my broad education and experience, I think I help the City with the planning issues it faces in a changing environment. I just recently went through the building permit process so I think I bring a lot of real world knowledge about the system. I also want to note here, our house is under construction now. We will be full time residents of Sanibel before this position would commence but I wanted to be clear in that fact. Initially, we were scheduled to be done in September but have had delays beyond our control. Thanks for your consideration.

MPO Application to submit for your respective Advisory Committee

Please be certain you have completed the "Background: (Education & Experience)", "Community Involvement", and "Why Are You Interested In This Appointment?" text box fields before submitting your application. Thank you.

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Name of Applicant

Matthew P. Chesser