



City of Gainesville

CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

BOARD DETAILS



OVERVIEW



SIZE 15 Seats



TERM LENGTH 36



TERM LIMIT n/a

Fifteen (15) members, three (3) year terms. Created by Resolution #R-74-144 (11/18/74), Reference Ordinance Numbers 1011, 1912, 2554. City Residency NOT Required.

In order to remain in compliance with the Federal Regulations regarding Citizen Participation, the City has implemented an Advisory Board to represent the community and to assist with the Application Review Process. The Citizens Advisory Committee for Community Development (CACCD), receives all applications, conduct on-site visits to Agencies, hear funding presentations, and makes recommendations to the City Commission and City Manager relating to the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME Initiative Programs and shall lend support to, and seek support from public services, housings, and public facilities improvement programs that serve the low – and moderate income Residents of the City of Gainesville.

The CACCD meet the 3rd Tuesday of each month.

NOTE: Student Adjunct Members are not listed in the demographic composition of the Board/Committee. The Student Adjunct Member is not counted toward the quorum of the Board/Committee.



DETAILS

AGENDAS AND MINUTES ARE LOCATED

ORDINANCE

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BOARD ROSTER



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Category Student Member



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Profile

Arthur D Alston
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City State Postal Code

Ward

None Selected

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Primary Phone Alternate Phone

Nationwide Insurance Claims Manager
Employer Job Title

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Citizens Advisory Committee For Community Development: Submitted
Gainesville Cultural Affairs Board: Submitted

Primary Phone Type

Cell

Alternate Phone Type

None Selected

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

I bring two decades of leadership experience ranging from college clubs during my school days, through my current role with a Fortune 500 Company. I have lived in multiple cities and states and will bring new ideas and fresh perspectives to the boards I serve on.

[Art Alston resume 2019.docx](#)

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Demographics

Ethnicity

African American

Gender

Male

Are you a City of Gainesville Employee?

Yes No

Are you a City of Gainesville Intern?

Yes No

Are you currently on a City Advisory Board/Committee?

Yes No

If yes, which Advisory Board/Committee?

Arthur D. Alston

7624 SW 49th Place Gainesville, FL 32608 PHONE: (615) 579-7400 EMAIL: art_alston@yahoo.com

EDUCATION

- 1997** B.S. Criminal Justice Administration, Middle Tennessee State University – Murfreesboro, TN
2015 M.S. Criminal Justice Administration, Middle Tennessee State University – Murfreesboro, TN

EXPERIENCE

Nationwide Insurance – Gainesville, Florida

National Diminution of Value, Claims Leader

March 2016 to Present

- ❖ Provide oversight to a remote team of claims professionals who handle claims for all 50 states
- ❖ Stay current on recent legislation regarding DV rulings and trends across the country
- ❖ Introduced multiple continuous improvement processes to enhance the customer experience
- ❖ Spearheaded central print initiatives which significantly reduced cycle time and printing expenses
- ❖ Resolve escalated customers concerns regarding disputes in values
- ❖ Act as the lead negotiator for auto claims in which at least 50k in property damages has been demanded

Nationwide Insurance – Nashville, TN and Gainesville, FL

Casualty Claims Manager

July 2005 to March 2016

- ❖ Providing daily leadership to my district which consists of 10 Casualty claims associates
- ❖ Recruit, interview, train new talent to timely fill open requisitions as they arise
- ❖ Provide in-depth training to new hires and on-going coaching and feedback on a daily basis
- ❖ Confidentially discuss personal and professional issues with my direct reports
- ❖ Promote a positive and inclusive work environment to keep employee engagement high
- ❖ Work with other disciplines to cross train direct reports and prepare them for advancement
- ❖ Accurately prepare all monthly reports to assist in monitoring trends and coaching

Nationwide Insurance – Nashville, TN

Claims Quality Specialist (Casualty ACE TEAM)

February 2003 to July 2005

- ❖ Provided state support to claims managers and claims associates in South Central Operation
- ❖ Provided coaching and training to associates to drive performance and increase technical results
- ❖ Conducted file reviews to identify district and individual trends and improvement opportunities

Nationwide Insurance – Nashville, TN and Birmingham, AL

Casualty Claims Associate

December 2000 to February 2003

- ❖ Worked in the Nashville non-injury unit for 6 months
- ❖ Worked as part of the start up Specialty Products Injury Unit in Birmingham
- ❖ Worked field injury claims in Nashville and Birmingham

Centerstone Community Mental Health Center – Nashville, TN

School Based Case Manager

August 1997 to December 2000

- ❖ Worked in two different schools in the Nashville Public School System
- ❖ Provided counseling services to an emotionally disturbed adolescent population
- ❖ Conducted daily individual and group sessions to the student population

ACTIVITIES/ ACCOMPLISHMENTS

SCZ Fraud Buster Award Recipient 2012-2017

Certified Insurance Fraud Representative (CIFR) Designation 2015

Trained and certified in Conflict Resolution and Dispute Management

Immediate past chair for the Gainesville Diversity & Inclusion Business Council

Facilitated PCIO Bodily Injury Negotiating Training for the entire South Central Operation
Actively provide on-going support and training for SCZ Casualty Associates on the CARFAX tool

Profile

Mark W Mulhall
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Ward

District 4

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Primary Phone Alternate Phone

Alachua Conservation Trust Advocacy Intern
Employer Job Title

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

- Citizens Advisory Committee For Community Development: Submitted
- City Beautification Board: Submitted
- Wild Spaces Public Places Citizen Oversight Committee: Submitted

Primary Phone Type

Cell

Alternate Phone Type

Not Specified

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

I am extremely passionate about this city and county. I have always possessed a drive to immerse myself in the community that I am in. Gainesville and Alachua County are home to some of the most beautiful natural spaces I have ever seen. These spaces are an integral part of our community and identity. As Gainesville continues to develop as a New American City, I want to ensure that our development is smart, and that our public places and city's image are preserved and maintained.

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Demographics

Ethnicity

Hispanic

Gender

Male

Are you a City of Gainesville Employee?

Yes No

Are you a City of Gainesville Intern?

Yes No

Are you currently on a City Advisory Board/Committee?

Yes No

If yes, which Advisory Board/Committee?

MARK W. MULHALL

University of Florida
Gainesville, Florida
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EDUCATION

University of Florida College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Bachelor of Arts

Major: Political Science

GPA: 3.76/4.00

EXPERIENCE

Gail Johnson for Gainesville City Commission At-Large

Intern

Gainesville, FL

Jan. – March 2018

- Worked with VAN/Votebuilder
- Canvassed
- Phone banked
- Attended and tabled forums and community events

Gainesville, FL

Jan. 2019 -

Alachua Conservation Trust

Advocacy Intern

- Track legislation related to conservation and environment
- Create reports on legislation and congressmen; update them accordingly
- Arrange meetings and site visits with elected officials; attend meetings and hearings related to conservation

Nikki Fried for Florida Agriculture and Consumer Services Commissioner

Co-Director of Campaign Operations in Gainesville/Alachua County

Gainesville, FL

Sept. – Nov. 2018

- Recruit and organize volunteers for phone banking, canvassing, tabling, etc.
- Handle and distribute campaign materials

LEADERSHIP AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Green Greeks

Director of IFC

Gainesville, FL

- Promote sustainable practices among Greek organizations and ensure fraternities are following through with goals
- Develop and maintain a relationship with IFC executive board, advisors, and delegates from fraternities
- Help develop a “green” culture within fraternities by establishing sustainability chairs, competitions, etc.

Young Leaders Conference

Small Group Leader

- Assist in putting on one of the state’s premiere leadership conferences for high school students
- Facilitate and participate in workshops and activities with conference participants
- Complete training in the workshops, diversity; work with participants to help develop themselves and their leadership and personal skills
- Fundraise to help support students attend

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- **Awards:** National Hispanic Scholar Foundation – National Scholar; Florida Bright Futures Scholar
- **Skills:** MOS Certified (Word, PowerPoint, Excel); Quickbooks Certified
- **Involvement:** UF Collegiate Farm Bureau; UF Impact Party—APC of Strategy (Fall 2018); Candidate for Senate (Spring 2019)

Profile

Jennifer	C	Reid
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Gainesville	FL	32605
<small>City</small>	<small>State</small>	<small>Postal Code</small>

Ward

District 3

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Law Office of Ramona M. Chance	Real Estate Legal Assistant
<small>Employer</small>	<small>Job Title</small>

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Board of Trustees of The Consolidated Police Officers' and Firefighters' Retirement Plan: Submitted
 Citizens Advisory Committee For Community Development: Submitted
 City Plan Board: Submitted

Primary Phone Type

Cell

Alternate Phone Type

Office

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

I am writing to express my keen interest in a board position. As an enthusiastic individual that just finished her first campaign for Gainesville Mayor, I am convinced that I am the right candidate for a board. As a part of a board, I am sure that my Gainesville Native background and devotion for the citizens of Gainesville and our community will help revitalize Gainesville so that everyone can enjoy what I have enjoyed and gladly called home my entire life. I am very excited at the possibility. I am confident that as a member, I can make a significant contribution that will maximize efficiency.

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Demographics

Ethnicity

Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

Gender

Female

Are you a City of Gainesville Employee?

Yes No

Are you a City of Gainesville Intern?

Yes No

Are you currently on a City Advisory Board/Committee?

Yes No

If yes, which Advisory Board/Committee?

Jennifer Crystal Reid
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EDUCATION:

Keiser University- 2015
Bachelors in Legal Studies

Keiser University- 2017- Present
Masters in Criminal Justice

RELEVANT COURSEWORK:

- Constitutional Law
- Criminal Procedure
- Income Tax
- Workforce Diversity
- Evidence
- Immigration Law
- Industrial/Organizational Psychology
- Legal Interviewing
- Investigation
- Money and Banking
- Health Law and Ethics
- Ethics
- Business Organizations
- Management Information Systems
- Interpersonal Communication for Professionals
- Critical Thinking
- Sociology of the Urban Community
- Research Writing

CORE STRENGTHS:

- Working knowledge of investigating the facts of a case
- Demonstrated ability to conduct research on pertinent laws, regulations and legal articles
- Highly skilled in writing reports
- Able to organize and present the information in a factual way
- Proficient in managing clerical duties

SPECIAL SKILLS:

- Excellent communication and organizational skills
- Able to work independently
- Ability to use tact and sense of judgment effectively
- Proven ability to interpret and apply relevant rules
- Good knowledge of legal terminology

RELATIVE JOB HISTORY:

Law Office of Ramona M. Chance
Paralegal
September 2016 – Present
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