

Community Volunteer Application 2023

Application Form for Town Commissions, Boards and Committees

Please submit your application by using this form or email to dwardwell@richmondvt.gov or by placing a hard copy in the drop box outside the Town Office by April 12, 2023. Water & Sewer Commission applications are due June 1, 2023. Development Review Board (DRB) applications are due by May 10, 2023.

Email *

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First Name *

Liana

Last Name *

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8453325170

Name of Commission/Board/Committee *

Andrews Community Forest

How many YEARS have you served on this Committee? *

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If you serve on another Commission/Board/Committee, please indicate which one(s).

None

Review the scheduled meeting day/time of the Commission, Board, or Committee along with the length of the term of the position (<https://www.richmondvt.gov/boards-meetings/vacancies-committees-commissions>).

Will you be able to serve for the term of the position?

Yes

No

Are you a Richmond Resident? *

Yes

No

If you are applying for a new Term, then please introduce yourself to the Selectboard by providing a short cover letter detailing your background, training, and experience with the board/commission/committee you are applying for and/or resume. Please upload a .pdf or .doc file

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Hi there,

My name is Liana Schneidman. I am a 32-year-old Mechanical Engineer. I'm currently a homeowner in Richmond Vermont. I've rented in Richmond since 2018 but was finally able to buy a place in 2022. I'm very lucky.

Like many other Richmond residents, I am an avid outdoorsy person. It seems that every year I'm coming up with more and more ways to enjoy all that Vermont has to offer. I've always loved hiking, in the past few years I've gotten very into mountain biking, and backcountry snowboarding. I have a medium sized dog who I take on many of these adventures. Almost every day we walk through town to the Volunteer's green in Richmond. It's probably his favorite activity, not to mention the most peaceful part of my day.

Aside from the obvious health benefits (both mental and physical) that this outdoor centric lifestyle has provided me, I've been lucky enough to find myself a group of likeminded folks. Nearly every day that I walk my dog to the park I meet or cross paths with an average of 3-4 people and their dogs that I know. From these regular chance encounters, a beautiful thing has occurred. I have a community! These dog-walking neighbors and friends have proven to be some of the best people in my life! I've been offered free pet sitting, free help with housing projects, and help moving! My gratitude is endless. I hope to continue to spread the generous spirit of the Richmond dog walking community everywhere I go.

Which brings me to why I'd like to join this committee. I'm interested in the innerworkings of these community-building spaces. I think we're very lucky to have this land and I'd like to help make use of it while being mindful of the multi-use approach. I love our town and want to contribute.



Thanks for reading!

Liana Schneidman