

**7. What specifically in your background, training, education, or interests qualifies you as an appointee?**

I think my professional experiences, educational degrees and connection to the area make me uniquely qualified to this appointment. First, I can come with perspective of different points of view as previously been a small business owner, ran an environmental nonprofit, worked at environmental consulting firms, and interned at the EPA. By having the experience of government, nonprofit and business, I'm able to take those experiences in mind when reviewing policies that will affect residents and business in the City. My undergraduate degree in Public Policy, trained me in policy analysis which I used at Sapphos Environmental in Pasadena writing EIRs to recently in Melbourne, Au completing a One Planet Living project for a five-building historic restoration development for commercial use.

Currently at Antioch University in the Resource Management Master's Program, I'm learning about climate risk, communication, and resilience with an emphasis of DEI to make sure all voices are included when planning for our future and solving problems in our community. As the Local Solutions Coordinator, I'm working to plan on conference in the Northeast centered on climate migration and how cities can best prepare for affordable housing, water scarcity, demand on energy and accepting of migrants.

Lastly, after returning to Pasadena a few years ago after leaving for college a couple decades ago, I've rediscovered my love for this area. I discovered an Urban Homestead a few blocks from home where I pick up a CSA of locally grown vegetables, found new hiking trails, and founded a book club with my Westridge School classmates. This position would allow me to put my education, professional experience, and love for this area in to adapting Pasadena to the climate changes happening around us.

**8. What do you see as the objectives and goals of the advisory body to which you seek appointment?**

We need to continue to prepare for increased water scarcity, wildfire risk and changes in seasons including longer summer, larger storms, and increased demand on the energy supply. As a member of the EAC, our objective is to look at current programs and strategies to give feedback and support city departments and staff to see where gaps, obstacles, and measurement might help to improve our outcomes. Lastly, to understand the environmental struggles, interests and desires of the community are and to make sure we are addressing them.

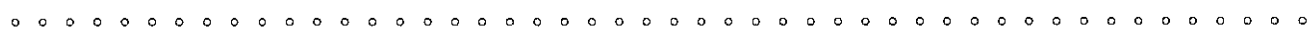
**9. How would you help achieve these objectives and goals? What special qualities would you bring?**

I bring an ability to analyze the impact of a variety of programs as an Impact Analyst understanding not only the measurable outcomes. I could work with a variety of people well and empathize with their point of view, listen, and try to find common ground. I enjoy learning about my city and how I can help improve the environment for all the people living in it. Increasing the access to the amazing mountains and hikes underutilized by our community. And lastly, I support and access to varied staff and organizations working on climate resilience in different cities so I can bring tested and positive ideas to our city.

Signature: 

Date: 12/13/22

*I hereby certify that the following information is correct to the best of my knowledge.*



One of the goals of the City Council is to balance advisory body appointments in terms of geographic residence, location, ethnicity, gender, and age. *The following information is desirable, but not required for appointment.*

Year of Birth: 1979 Gender: Female Ethnicity: Caucasian District # 1

If City resident, number of years: 22