



REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT

DATE Nov. 24, 2020

AUTHORITY, BOARD OR COMMISSION YOU ARE REQUESTING APPOINTMENT TO: Allentown Historic Architectural Review Board

NAME: Ellen Roberts

HOME ADDRESS: 29 North Fulton Street

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE NO. (RESIDENCE) 610-657-9295 **BUSINESS** _____

EMAIL: elsingroberts@gmail.com

PRESENTLY EMPLOYED BY: Retired

JOB TITLE: Journalist/professional writer

EMPLOYMENT (Prior): Friends of the Allentown Parks, Grace Montessori School (substitute teacher), Marketing Partners (copywriter), Baum School of Art (fund raising)

EDUCATION:

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE:	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY GRADUATE DEGREE/FIELD OF STUDY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO

History/French

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS AND OFFICES: Board member - West Park Civic Association. volunteer and strategic planning committee member - Community Music School.

PAST ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERSHIP AND OFFICES

HELD: _____

Habitat for Humanity of the LV - PR chair, board member, Grace Episcopal

Church - vestry member, food bank volunteer. Previously president and co-

founder of Library Area Neighborhood Association.

DO YOU LIVE IN THE CITY OF ALLENTOWN: **YES** **NO**

DO YOU HAVE A SIGNIFICANT "BUSINESS" OR "PROPERTY" INTEREST IN ALLENTOWN? PLEASE EXPLAIN:

I live in the West Park neighborhood where I own property. I have a personal interest in preserving the integrity of our historic neighborhood, ensuring compliance with HARB ordinance regulations, and optimizing enjoyment of our city's unique historic and cultural environment.

ARE YOU A REGISTERED VOTER: **YES** **NO**

WHY ARE YOU INTERESTED IN THIS APPOINTMENT? BE SURE TO INCLUDE WHAT VALUE YOU WILL BRING TO THE BOARD:

I have served as the West Park neighborhood's representative to the HARB and would like to continue the board's work in preserving the city's historic neighborhoods. This work is especially important now that revised HARB guidelines are being designed and implemented.

DO YOU ANTICIPATE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST BY SERVING AS A MEMBER OF AN AUTHORITY, BOARD OR COMMISSION: **YES** **NO**

IF YES, EXPLAIN:

IF YOU ARE BEING CONSIDERED FOR REAPPOINTMENT, PLEASE INDICATE HOW MANY TERMS YOU HAVE SERVED one AND THE YEAR YOU WERE FIRST APPOINTED 2015.

NOTE: This information will be used for making appointments to authorities, boards and commission and in the event you are appointed/reappointed, it may be used as a news release to identify you to the community.

Ellen S. Roberts

Signature

11/24/20

Date

Please forward this request for appointment, along with a resume to:

**Mayor's Office
City Hall
435 Hamilton Street
Allentown, PA 18101**