



Please return completed application to:
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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE
PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

All information provided in this application is public information pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Public Information Act.

The Parks and Recreation Commission annually submits a 5-year comprehensive park plan; makes recommendations regarding the management, maintenance, use, and improvement of all parks and public recreational facilities owned or controlled by the City; makes recommendations concerning acquiring real property and concerning donations, legacies, and bequests; and makes recommendations regarding recreational programs and events. The Parks and Recreation Commission is composed of 6 members serving 2-year terms, and 1 high school student and 1 alternate member serving 1-year terms. The alternate member may vote if a regular member is absent.

Candidates are required to be registered voters of the City and to have resided within the corporate limits for at least twelve months preceding the appointment and must not be employed by or hold any other position in the City's government. The student member is not required to be a registered voter. All appointments are made by and at the discretion of the City Council. Because vacancies may arise before the next regular appointment period, all applications are kept on file until the next application period.

Name: Janine Butler Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Residential Address: 1602 Cora Marie Dr. Pflugerville, TX 78660

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Resident of the City of Pflugerville for 29 years.

Are you are a registered voter of the City of Pflugerville? [X] Yes [ ] No Voter Registration No. \_\_\_\_\_

Have you attended a meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission? [ ] Yes [X] No

Does any potential conflict of interest exist which may interfere or inhibit you to carry out the duties of a Parks and Recreation Commissioner? [ ] Yes [X] No (If Yes, please explain.)

[Empty box for conflict of interest explanation]

How often do you use parks facilities in Pflugerville?

Several times a month. A few times a week when the weather is nice.

Which facilities do you use?

-I use the trails for walking
-Workout in the rec center
-I've taken water aerobics in Gilleland Pool

Please list the programs offered by the Parks Department.

- parks and trails
- recreation center
- community events like Deutchen Pfest
- gardening and ecological programs
- The Pfarmer's Market
- Lake Pflugerville and area swimming pools

What areas or programs would you like to see improved or expanded?

I would like to see the recreation center expanded with an indoor swimming pool. I also think maybe marketing could be improved. There are so many great programs that Pflugerville Parks and Recreation has to offer that I think many don't know about.

What are the biggest challenges that you see facing Parks and Recreation in Pflugerville in the next 5 years?

I think the biggest challenge facing Parks and Recreation (and Pflugerville) is keeping up with the growth while still keeping the small-town feel the community loves.

Please provide any additional information you feel would be useful to the City Council in considering your application. Please use additional sheets as necessary. A cover letter and/or resume may also be submitted with the application.

I currently work for Travis County Health and Human Services & Veterans Service as a Community Liaison. I have lived in Pflugerville since I was 7 yrs old and will always consider this community my home. While working in Georgetown I was appointed by the mayor to serve on the Convention and Visitor's Bureau Board of Directors. I loved the work that we did but really would like to serve in my hometown. Georgetown is no Pflugerville, TX!

By signing this application, I hereby affirm that I am aware of the requirements for the position and certify that I meet those requirements.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: 03/21/2013