

**APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT
TO A CITIZEN COMMISSION, BOARD, COMMITTEE, OR TASK FORCE**
(Please type or print clearly)

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Before applying, you need to know the following:

- ☆ All Council appointed commission, board, and committee members are required bi-annually to take harassment training and two hours of ethics training.
- ☆ You are applying for a public position. As such, the information provided in your application is a public record and cannot be kept confidential.

This application should be returned to the City Council Offices, P.O. Box 190, Huntington Beach, CA 92648 or in person to the 4th Floor of City Hall, 2000 Main Street (at Yorktown).

NAME Binam Robert M DATE 7/8/19
Last First Middle Initial

NAME OF BOARD, COMMISSION, COMMITTEE, OR TASK FORCE Personnel Commission

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY 6 yrs OCCUPATION Attorney

UNITED STATES CITIZEN? Yes CURRENTLY SERVING ON A CITY BOARD OR COMMISSION? No
IF SO, WHICH ONE? n/a

HOME ADDRESS:

[REDACTED]
Huntington Beach, CA 92646

BUSINESS ADDRESS:

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

PHONE [REDACTED] CELL Same
E-MAIL [REDACTED] FAX _____

PHONE [REDACTED] CELL [REDACTED]
EMAIL [REDACTED] FAX _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

University of Southern California - 1992 BA
Loyola Law School - 1995 Juris doctor

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND/OR ASSOCIATIONS

California Bar Association

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CalPortland Company (2013-Present); Senior Vice President and General Counsel for large
construction materials corporation founded in 1891 with operations on West Coast, NV, AZ and Canada

Robertson's Ready Mix (2003-2012); General Counsel for ready mix concrete manufacturer and supplier in Southern California

ATI Systems International (1999-2003); Corporate Counsel for 3rd largest armored car company in United States

SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE OR SKILLS

My practice has focused on corporate transactional matters, including real estate, Mergers & Acquisitions, employment / labor law, construction defect, and contracts; also civil litigation with experience in mediation, arbitration and trial.

CIVIC AND/OR SERVICE MEMBERSHIPS

None at this time. This is my first effort at civic involvement.

CIVIC INTERESTS

HOW WILL YOUR QUALIFICATIONS BEST SERVE THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY?

I believe my overall experience as an attorney, especially in the area of employment / labor law, can transition well with the responsibilities of a member on the Personnel Commission.

I have frequently worked closely in an advisory capacity with Human Resources and senior-level corporate executives. I have handled discrimination claims and grievance procedures.

WHY DO YOU WISH TO SERVE ON A VOLUNTEER CITIZEN'S BODY?

I want to be an active participant in the decision-making process of our City to ensure we maintain a solid foundation and a prosperous future. I want to be part of making our City something our residents can be proud of.

It is the policy of the City Council to make appointments to the citizen commissions, boards, and committees, based on the needs of the city, as well as the interests and qualifications of each applicant. Selection will be made without discrimination based on the race, creed, gender, or sexual orientation of the applicant.

Additional information concerning a particular commission, board, committee, or task force or the application process is available through the staff support department identified above. General questions can be directed to Cathy Fikes, (714) 536-5553.

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