

City of Asheville
BOARDS & COMMISSIONS
Application Form

Applicants are strongly urged to attend several meetings of a board prior to applying

Name of board or commission: HACA Board

Your name: Kidada Wynn Home Phone #: 8285821688

Street address: 2 PARK AVE City: ASHEVILLE Zip Code: 28803

Mailing address (if different): _____

Employer: Asheville City Schools

Your position: Executive Director of Student Services Office Phone #: 8287673147

Resident of City ASHEVILLE County Buncombe Race Blk Gender Identity: (non-trans) woman *

Are you a Homeowner or a Renter? * Homeowner Age: 47

Residence location (check one): Central _____ North _____ South ☒ East _____ West _____

Are you aware of any potential conflicts of interest that may arise during your service on this board (i.e., property interest, business interest, etc.)? If so, please explain: No
Potential conflicts of interest do not preclude appointments.

Please indicate the area(s) of expertise that you can bring to the above board(s), and then in detail list education, experience, reasons for your interest, and other factors that support your interest in serving **Applicants are encouraged to provide a cover letter and/or a brief resume. Please use additional sheets if necessary.**

My resume list my credentials and licensures. I however would like to share things I feel are relevant to this board seat that are not reflected on my resume. I am a native of Asheville and the product of someone who grew up, as did my grandmother, in one of the housing communities. My address for many of my childhood and teenage years was 4A Erskine Street Apartments, this is where I learned a lot of life lessons. I would often run across the field to the then Reid center to programs that were offered to children after school or you might find me walking to the Lonnie D Burton school behind the center with my mother to pick up my younger sister. I would like to be a part of the Housing Authority Board because what I have seen in the housing communities the last few years and what I remember the communities being are vastly different. I have hope and am deeply rooted in the belief that we can get back to the basics and support the housing communities to rise up and become what it was for me, for our future generations. I whole heartedly believe that "it takes a Villiage to raise a child" and that often the best lessons come from the wisdom of those of us who have lived experiences in the very places that we are wanting to serve. As a Black woman, raised in Asheville I believe it is my responsibility to give back to our communities and families to the best of my ability. Having a seat on this board will support my in doing so from a position that can and should positively impact all communities all while keeping a equitable eye and a compassionate heart. If offered a seat around the table, I promise to be the best representative of my fellow housing residents that I am capable of being. Thank you for your consideration.

Return to:

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Asheville, NC 28802-7148

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Fax #: 259-5499

Signature: _____

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* This information is requested for the sole purpose of assuring that a cross section of the community is appointed.