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Office of the Mayor
Gavin Buckley, Mayor
160 Duke of Gloucester Street
Annapolis, MD 21401-2517

July 5, 2018

To: Alderspersons, City of Annapolis

From: Mayor Gavin Buckley

Re: Historic Preservation Commission

Pending your approval, I would like to appoint **Wilford Scott** to the **Historic Preservation Commission**. Mr. Scott's resume and application are attached.

Wilford Scott
308 Carriage Run Road
Annapolis, MD 21403

Sincerely,

Gavin Buckley
Mayor

Reviewed by: Economic Matters	
_____ Favorable	_____ Unfavorable
_____ Committee Chair	_____ Date



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Boards and Commissions Application

Personal information

Name Wilford W. Scott

Address 308 Carriage Run Road

City Annapolis ST MD Zip 21403

Phones Home n/a Other 410-267-8013

E-mail _____

Statement of interest – Why should you be appointed to this board/commission?

I have resided in the City of Annapolis since 1979. During that time I have come to regard Annapolis as my hometown, and I have learned to appreciate its history, quality of life, and its progress into the future. In many ways I have attempted to do some small part in preserving the city's historical treasures and influencing its future course.

These efforts include a campaign for alderman in Ward 5 (unsuccessful), membership on the Democratic Central Committee for the city 30 years as a member of the Planning Commission (appointed by five mayors), service on numerous mayoral transition teams, and membership on other boards.

My educational background includes a doctorate in the history of American Art with a specialization in painting and sculpture of the late-nineteenth and early-twentieth centuries. As a graduate student I audited classes in American colonial architecture and have maintained an interest in that subject culminating in a current position as a presenter of the Architrex tours (walking tours of the historic district), a cooperative effort of Historic Annapolis and Watermark Tours.

Are you a resident of the City of Annapolis? Yes No

Are you an employee of the City of Annapolis? Yes No

If yes, please state your job title, department & duties.

Do you do business with the City of Annapolis? Yes No

If yes, please detail.

Are you currently serving on any city boards or commissions? Yes No

If yes, please list board(s).

Not within the City of Annapolis.

Work experience (titles and duties)

In 2014 I retired from a thirty-year career in museum education at the National Gallery of Art. At the time of retirement I was the head of the department of adult programs in the education division. I was responsible for a wide range of tours and lectures intended for adult visitors to the gallery and featuring multiple aspects of the permanent collections and temporary exhibitions. My staff included eight professionals and over 400 volunteers. The majority of the volunteers served visitors at the information desks of the Gallery, others gave tours in English and multiple foreign languages. Programs coordinated by my office included participants from the curatorial, conservation, library, and administrative offices of the Gallery. Each year my office dealt with the majority of the 3-4 million visitors to the Gallery in some fashion.

During my entire tenure at the Gallery, I continue to teach and lecture, even when my job duties did not require this. I believe that information and knowledge are the keys to progress and self-government, in the broadest sense of those terms. Our boards and commissions are, in fact, a part of the process of educating and informing citizens through public meeting where information and discourse about issues of concern can occur in a transparent and civil process

I can expand upon these comments, if requested, but my intention is to make clear that I have the experience and education to work with all types of individuals in a way that can lead a group to an informed and thoughtful decision.

Educational background (certificates, diplomas, degrees, seminars, etc)

Bachelor's degree in English and Fine Arts, magna cum laude, Dickinson College

Master's degree in Art History, The Florida State University

Doctorate in the History of American Art, University of Delaware

Pre-doctoral Fellow of the Smithsonian Institution

Curatorial Sabbatical Fellow of the Center for the Advanced Study of the Visual Arts, National Gallery of Art

Other experience (volunteer experience, memberships etc)

President of the Board of Directors, Anne Arundel Arts Council

Member of the Board of Directors, Anne Arundel Arts Council

Member of the Board of Directors, Maryland Federation of Art

Member of the Board of the Friends of the Mitchell Gallery, St. Johns College

Member of the Board of the Friends of the Trout Gallery, Dickinson College

Secretary of the Alumni Council, Dickinson College

Member of the Alumni Council, Dickinson College

Member of the DC Regional Council, Dickinson College

Member of the Annapolis Planning Commission, 1984-2014

Chairman of the Planning Commission for three two-year terms, Vice-chair for three two-year terms

Chairman of Mayor Ellen Moyer's Ad Hoc Committee on the Market House

Chairman of the Board of the Annapolis Arts District

References

Name Richard Hillman Phone 443-994-6601

Address _____

Name Eileen Fogarty Phone 310-570-6724

Address _____

Name Ronald Jarashow Phone 410-268-2255

Address _____

Appointees are subject to the provisions of the City of Annapolis Ethics Code, Annapolis City Code Chapter 2.08. Appointees are strongly encouraged to review this Code and contact the City of Annapolis Office of Law and/or City of Annapolis Ethics Commission with all inquiries.

Signature _____ Date 3-14-18

E-mail electronically completed form to constituents@annapolis.gov. Paper copies may be faxed to 410-216-8284 or mailed to the Mayor's Office address above, attention Boards and Commissions Coordinator.

Wilford W. Scott
308 Carriage Run Road, Annapolis, MD 21403
410-267-8013 wscott003@verizon.net

Objective

Obtain employment during the 2018 Legislative Session

Education

PH.D., UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

- Major: History of American Art

Master's, The Florida State University

- Major: History of Art

Bachelor of Arts, Dickinson College

- Double Major: Fine Arts and English

Experience

Department of Legislative Services, 2017 Session, Document Technician

Formatting legislation for introduction to the Assembly and Senate, incorporating committee and floor amendments, meeting strict deadlines for completion of work.

National Gallery of Art, 1984-2014, Education Division, Head of Department of Adult Programs

Design, prepare, and implement educational programs in support of temporary exhibitions and the permanent collections. Recruit, train, and supervise a professional staff of eight and a volunteer staff of 400 individuals

Community Service

Arts Council of Anne Arundel County, president of the board (2016-current), member of the board (2010-2016), direct in consultation with executive committee and full board the work of the executive director, set annual budget, and evaluate and selection recipients of grants totally more than \$500,000 annually

City of Annapolis Planning Commission, 1985-2014, chairman and member

Reviewed and recommended to the Mayor and City Council annexations, comprehensive plans, planned developments, and special exceptions

Additional Skills

Experienced photographer, using Canon camera, having exhibited throughout US and abroad

References available upon request