



SUBJECT: Public Art Committee

ACTION REQUESTED: Appointment of one (1) member.

REQUESTED BY: Rachael Telesca, City Clerk

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS: Yes

SUMMARY

In February 2026, Ms. Jennifer Gray was removed from the Public Art Committee due to lack of attendance, and the term of Ms. Murray expired, creating two (2) vacancies.

The current alternate is Wendy Malley.

One (1) application has been received from ShellyAnn Childers (currently serves on the Diversity Advisory Board).

The current Committee members are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>APPOINTED</u>	<u>TERM EXPIRES</u>
Heather Richardson	March 2025	February 2027
Kate Oyer	January 2025	February 2028
VACANT		February 2028
Ximena (Mena) Kiernan	February 2023	February 2028
VACANT		February 2027
Wendy Malley (Alternate)	December 2025	February 2027

It is requested that the City Commission appoint one (1) regular member to the Public Art Committee. Should the alternate be appointed as a regular member, it is requested that a new alternate also be appointed.

From: [Shelly Revette](#)
To: [Rachael Telesca](#)
Subject: Public Art Committee
Date: Friday, March 6, 2026 3:43:09 PM

CAUTION: External Email

Hi Rachael,

Given the "paused" situation with DAB, I would like to find out if I can be considered for the Public Arts Committee? Do I have to resubmit?

SI: 10/9/23



CITY OF SAFETY HARBOR
APPLICATION FOR CONSIDERATION OF BOARD/COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT
(Board/Committee Members must be residents of the City of Safety Harbor)

PLEASE PROVIDE A ONE-PAGE RESUME WITH THIS APPLICATION

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name: ShellyAnn Childers

Home Address: 4101 N Bay Hills Blvd, Safety Harbor, FL 34695

E-mail Address: shellyrevette@yahoo.com

Phone: 315-751-6001 Cell: 315-751-6001

How long have you been a resident of Safety Harbor? 19 months Are you a registered voter in the City? Yes

EMPLOYMENT:

Employer: (Name/Address) Pinellas County, Office of the Medical Director, Fire and Rescue Emergency Medical Services

Occupation: Executive Administrator

If retired, former occupation: _____

EDUCATION/EXPERIENCE:

Degree(s) Received: AAS & BS School/College: Cayuga Community College/Columbia College

Volunteer Experience/Community Service/Other Applicable Experience:

President, Cicero Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary - Cicero, NY. Northern District of New York Federal Court Bar Association Education & Public Outreach

Village of North Syracuse Beautification Committee - North Syracuse, NY

Safety Harbor Parks & Recreation - Christmas Parade, several festivals

Please note active membership on any other boards/committees/non-profit organizations: (Note dates/name of organization/title, if applicable.)

Executive Director - Northern District of New York Federal Court Bar Association Board of Directors 2015-2021

Administrative Director - Prehospital Group Consortium 2022 - Present

1. Have you ever been a member of a board? YES NO

If yes, please specify: Executive Director - Northern District of New York Federal Court Bar Association Board of Directors 2015-2021

<i>Board</i>	<i>Dates of Service</i>
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2. What is your understanding of the board's duties and responsibilities? To determine programs/plans that are consistent with Safety Harbor's mission and monitor their effectiveness against financial resources. To follow the strategic directions of the governing board/committee to help achieve the effective planning, sufficient resources and fulfill legal obligations.

3. What background and/or qualifications do you have that you feel would qualify you to serve? Expertise with software/computers. Budgeting/Quickbooks. Paralegal Assistant. Excellent oral and written skills. Communication skills. United States Air Force Veteran. Confidentiality. 12 years as a previous Board member.

4. What do you hope to accomplish by serving? Immerse myself in my new home town. Sharing diverse viewpoints that will allow our town to thrive. Positive impact. Meet new people in our community. Help local business.

5. What do you feel is the most pressing issue facing your prospective board? Expansiveness. Relevance. Inclusion. Fiduciary. Activism.

6. Describe ways you have contributed to the community? Volunteering as Santa's elves in the last two Christmas parades. My husband and I have volunteered at several festivals. Have participated in several Folly Farms events.

7. Please provide any additional information you feel would be useful in considering your application.

I am really interested in our new town. It's a great way to pay it forward.

I'm a go-getter.

8. What board(s)/committee(s) are you interesting in serving? (Number in order of preference.)

2 Code Enforcement Board (Helps to promote, protect and improve the health, safety and welfare of the residents, with authority to impose administrative fines and other non-criminal penalties to provide equitable, expeditious, effective and inexpensive methods of enforcing City codes and ordinances where a pending or repeated violation continues to exist). Meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month, 6:30 p.m., at City Hall.

1 Diversity Advisory Board – SEE ADDITIONAL PAGE ATTACHED (Serves as a primary contributor to create a welcoming and inclusive community that respects all citizens, gives them full access to resources, and promotes equal treatment and opportunity. Engages citizens in decision-making processes that affect their lives.

10 Finance Advisory Committee (Reviews budget, financial policies and procedures, and other financial related matters. The Committee makes recommendations to the City Commission geared toward fiscal sustainability of the City). Meets the 2nd Thursday of each month, 6:30 p.m., at City Hall.

9 Firefighter Pension Trust Fund Board of Trustees (Administers the Pension Trust Fund). Meets quarterly, on the 4th Thursday, 9:00 a.m., at City Hall.

8 Library Advisory Committee (Advises and assists the Library Director to ensure the Library provides the best possible service to the community. Provides guidance to the Director and City in planning and establishing library policies, and support the Director regarding appropriate levels of library funding and promotion). Meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month, 7:00 p.m., at the Library.

4 Parks and Recreation Advisory Board (Advises the City Commission and staff as to interpretation of community needs regarding the types of leisure programs and facilities). Meets the 1st Wednesday of each month, 7:00 p.m., at the Community Center.

3 Personnel Review Board (Hears and rules on employee appeals of suspensions and terminations. The Board is also responsible for conducting a public hearing on changes to the Personnel Rules). Meets when needed.

5 Planning & Zoning Board/Board of Appeals – SEE ADDITIONAL PAGE ATTACHED (Makes recommendations to the City Commission regarding the City's Comprehensive Plan, the downtown redevelopment plan, historic site designations, zoning and land use requests, site plans and special use permits. Members of this Board also serve on the Board of Appeals. The Board of Appeals is established to hear and decide on requests for variances to zoning regulations based upon a hardship or other unusual circumstance as defined by specific criteria). Meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month, 6:30 p.m., at City Hall.

7 Public Art Committee (Advisory committee for the selection of artwork, artists or commissioning and sitting associated with public art in the City). Meets the 4th Monday of every other month, 6:30 p.m., at the Museum.

Printed Name: ShellyAnn Childers

Signature: 

Date: 5/4/2023

If appointed, I will notify the City of Safety Harbor of any changes in my residence or of any relevant changes that would affect my appointment. I will also notify the City of any potential conflicts of interest arise. I am not employed by, or a member of, any business entity (business or non-profit) with proposals, programs, contracts, requests, or any other matters that may become before the City Commission for review, funding or support during the next two years. I certify this application is complete, truthful, and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Please return this application and resume to: Rachael Telesca, City Clerk, via email at: rtelesca@cityofsafetyharbor.com, or by mail to: City of Safety Harbor, Attn: Rachael Telesca, 750 Main St., Safety Harbor, FL 34695.

Note: Boards require Safety Harbor residency, this application must be accompanied by a copy of one of the following:

- Current voter registration within city limits
- Valid current Florida Drivers' License issued to an address within city limits
- Declaration of Domicile filed with the city clerk affirming residency within city limits

DIVERSITY ADVISORY BOARD applicants only – Please consider the following optional questions:

1. Which of these bests describes your current gender identity: _____ Male X Female
_____ Transgender _____ Other _____ I do not wish to disclose

2. **Race/Ethnicity:** (Please check one of the descriptions below corresponding to the ethnic group with which you identify.)

Hispanic or Latino: A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin regardless of race.

White (Not Hispanic or Latino): A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East or North Africa.

Black or African American (Not Hispanic or Latino): A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander (Not Hispanic or Latino): A person having origins in any of the peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa or other Pacific Islands.

Asian (Not Hispanic or Latino): A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia or the Indian Subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand and Vietnam.

Native American or Alaska Native (Not Hispanic or Latino): A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America) and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.

Two or more races (Not Hispanic or Latino): All persons who identify with more than one of the above five races.

I do not wish to disclose.

3. **Why is diversity and inclusion important to you, and why is it important that we recognize and value difference?**

Representation. Inclusion. Perspectives of different groups. Value. All our different cultures, nationalities and knowledge when brought together can and will enhance our Town. Learn what our unconscious biases are and how to better work together.

4. **How would you build a community that celebrates diversity and inclusion?**

Learning. Listening. Understanding. Ask questions. Be an ally. Create events that bring everyone together as a learning experience.

Planning & Zoning Board/Board of Appeals applicants only:

Are you a property or business owner within the Community Redevelopment District? no

Do you possess a background in the following (check all that apply):

historic preservation

building or landscape architecture

urban planning

real estate

building/construction trades

environmental sciences

civil or transportation engineering, or a related field

STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

RECOGNIZING THAT PERSONS HOLDING A POSITION OF PUBLIC TRUST ARE UNDER CONSTANT OBSERVATION, AND RECOGNIZING THAT MAINTAINING THE INTEGRITY AND DIGNITY OF YOUR PUBLIC APPOINTMENT IS ESSENTIAL FOR MAINTAINING HIGH LEVELS OF PUBLIC CONFIDENCE IN OUR INSTITUTIONS OF GOVERNMENT AND IN THE IMPARTIALITY OF THE VOLUNTEER BOARDS, EVERY APPOINTED BOARD MEMBER PLEDGES TO ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING STANDARDS OF CONDUCT AND **CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE III SECTION 2 OF THE SAFETY HARBOR CITY CODE PROVIDED HEREIN.**

1. Regularly attend all scheduled meetings. *Board members who miss three (3) meetings within any twelve (12) month period shall automatically forfeit such appointment.*
2. Prepare for each meeting.
3. Create a positive environment in meetings.
4. Maintain an attitude of courtesy and consideration toward colleagues, citizens and staff during all discussions and deliberations.
5. Allow citizens, colleagues and staff sufficient opportunity to present their views, within the prescribed rules for conduct of meetings.
6. Avoid the use of abusive, threatening or intimidating language or gestures directed at colleagues, citizens or staff.
7. Avoid comments, body language or distracting activity that conveys a message of disrespect and lack of interest.
8. Respect all local, state and federal laws, rules and other regulations.
9. Publicly acknowledge the appointed position when asked about a decision of the board for which you serve.
10. Not engage in harassing behavior or unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature towards other Board Members, employees, or citizens.
11. Members shall uphold the prestige of their appointed position and avoid impropriety and the appearance of impropriety.
12. Members shall not convey the impression that they are in a position to influence the outcome of a decision of the Board and shall not attempt to use their office to influence or sway professional staff recommendation.

The understanding and performance of Board Appointees in meeting these Standards of Conduct is affirmed by the following signature:

Printed Name: **ShellyAnn Childers**

Signature: _____

Date: 5/4/2023

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- **Columbia College - General Studies**
- **United States Air Force Veteran**
- **Cayuga Community College - Paralegal Assistant**

Prehospital Medical Consultants, LLC

2022 - Present

Non-Clinical Chief of Staff Practice Administrator

- Assist with the collection and organization of clinical data.
- Formulation and implementation of policies.
- Preparation and delivery of presentations.
- Tracking of deliverables/deadlines.
- Project billing and unit cost review.
- All administration of technical documents for corporate structure.
- HR for Independent Medical Physician Contractors.
- Coordinate, monitor and track projects and tasks, ensuring attention to time sensitive issues. Flexible schedules that must adhere to multiple and concurrent deadlines.
- Administer and coordinate several professional projects simultaneously with Pinellas County Fire and Rescue Emergency Management to ensure high quality work against strict and conflicting deadlines.
- Preparation of weekly, monthly and annual reports for reporting to Pinellas County.
- Assist with developing clinical emergency management registries.
- Literature reviews and research of background information where needed for reports.
- All AP/AR.
- Monitor, manage and update website.

NDNY Federal Court Bar Association

2015 – 2022

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

- Responsible for organizing and administering NDNY-FCBA sponsored CLE (Continuing Legal Education) programs, testing and reporting.
- Maintain, direct plan and budget Bar Association events.
- Efficiently handle the rollout of membership registration.
- Maintain monthly meeting materials for Board meetings.
- Website administration.
- Overseeing Bar Association satellite offices within the aegis of the organization. Staying updated about the functions of various satellite locations and ensuring that they are adhering to their specific area.
- Developing and implementing the organizational policies and strategies by making use of human resources, materials and managing the administrative staff in various satellite locations.
- Improving the processes and policies, managing administrative staff and playing a role in organizational planning of long-term basis.
- Managing the overall Pro Se Assistance program for the organization.
- Managing overall office operations, negotiating contracts, managing vendor relationships and overseeing the office operating systems.
- Overseeing the network administration, managing phone system and helping in the evaluation of information systems.
- Developing and managing the budget for satellite locations, reviewing operating price and suggesting different cost saving policies. Highly proficient in Quickbooks, Excel and Salesforce.

- Manage the hiring of personnel, maintaining of personnel records, yearly employment evaluations, monitoring of the insurance coverage and ensuring that the personnel policies are updated regularly.
- Manage, maintain and establish Zoom meeting/webinars and protocols.

Syracuse University

2010 – 2015

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS – VPA – Coordinator Educational Processes

- Provide administrative support for the senior associate dean for academic affairs, the associate dean for assessment and accreditation, the associate dean for global academic programs & initiatives and back-up support for the dean of the college.
- Provide administrative oversight for Academic Leadership by assisting department chairs and directors to ensure clarity that faculty input and self-governance practices are functioning.
- Work with the dean, chairs, and Faculty Council to demonstrate the college's strategic view, key accomplishments, and faculty research.
- Provide Faculty Development, Governance and Support to assist faculty in successfully performing their roles and understanding the college, university and departmental expectations with guidelines for teaching/advising, research, and service, especially with regard to tenure and promotion.
- Implementation and management of the college Tenure & Promotion process beginning with the faculty 3rd year reviews.
- Move forward Curriculum Change and Development to facilitate innovation and relevance of academic curricula, faculty ownership of the process, and compliance with University, State of New York and national accrediting body guidelines in modifying existing curricula and assist in the development of new undergraduate and graduate degree programs.
- Maintain college-wide curriculum review and approval, graduate and undergraduate catalog revisions, college-wide assessment of student learning, and production of centralized reports on a range of college functions including strategic planning utilizing outstanding customer service, organization and planning of college-wide faculty events.
- Implement and manage a college-wide assessment and evaluation program.
- Work with faculty course directors on curriculum development, faculty development and evaluation, student and course evaluations.

SUNY Upstate Medical University

1997 – 2010

Curriculum Office – Coordinator of Undergraduate Medical Education

- Supervised administrative support staff and work study students. Completed performance evaluations on support staff.
- Oversaw production of instructor manuals and syllabi and small group activities.
- Scheduled and implemented special sessions for educational experiences to include medical student preceptorships, and physician shadowing experiences.
- Coordinated lecture and small group schedules.
- Oversight of grading system, budget, and production of departmental and budget reports.
- Served as a liaison to a number of Upstate departments and programs, participated in meetings and conferences.
- Grant proposal writing.
- Maintain accurate lists of course and clerkship directors for Syracuse and Binghamton campuses.
- Prepare Master academic block schedules, exam calendars, presentations, forms, prepare semester schedules, and link information to office web site utilizing Dreamweaver and Curriculum Management software.
- Implemented and maintained software macros, local curriculum web site and databases.

- Accountable for exam administration for two years of medical school, all course evaluations, and surveys for all undergraduate medical courses.
- Scheduled exams, and develop exam schedules for courses, exam room maintenance, etc.
- Maintain national accreditation requirements utilizing databases and on-line tracking programs.
- Functioned as recording Secretary for numerous committees, supported several subcommittees, by notifying committee members, managing mailings, minutes and setting up meetings. Presented minutes and presentation materials upon request from the Senior Associate Dean for Education.
- Maintained and adhered to all ADA compliances for student testing and testing accommodations.
- Developed and maintained office filing system including the retention of current, and accurate first and second year course and clerkship materials, committee files, test service files, staff correspondence, and maintenance records.
- Verified student records for rotations at the Veterans Hospital.
- Worked closely with the Director for Students with Disabilities.
- Organized and implemented curriculum retreats. Plan, prepare and execute 3 year Clerkship Orientation.

HARRIGAN & DOLAN LAW FIRM

1993 – 1997

ADOPTION LEGAL ASSISTANT responsible for all aspects of adoption paperwork, estates, trusts & wills.

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

1985 - 1990

SECURITY POLICE: Guarded priority “A” resources and nuclear weapons. Supervised four Security Police Officers and the moving of nuclear warheads.

PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Worked closely with Albany Law School, US Marshall’s and Secret Service planning, preparing and executing Supreme Court Justice Sonia Sotomayor visit and with Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, planning preparing and executing Supreme Court Chief Justice John G. Roberts visit.
- Presenter at Conference on Instructional Technology (CIT) for course evaluation program three times.
- Poster presentation at Conference on Instructional Technology (CIT) SUNY Stony Brook
- Curriculum Management Instructional Technology (CurrMIT) instructor for five Association of American Medical College (AAMC) annual meetings – IAMSE, NEGEA, Annual Meetings, AAMC Headquarters, Washington, DC and Chicago, IL
- Presentation to Mission Based Management Group regarding course contact time
- Course evaluation instructor at the University of Rochester College of Medicine
- Course evaluation instructor at SUNY Buffalo
- Presenter to the Liaison Committee for Medical Education Committee on Evaluation Data
- Syracuse University training manager in Microsoft SharePoint I, II, SharePoint Designer
- Syracuse University pilot Taskstream assessment & evaluation program
- Syracuse University Taskforce for Blackboard Outcomes and Assessment implementation
- Syracuse University NASAD Accreditation Taskforce
- Syracuse University training in the T-SHAPED Professional: Building an Invaluable Workforce
- LinkedIn Learning Webinar “QuickBooks Pro 2012 Essential Training”
- “Communications Webinar” – through National Association of Bar Executives, including media training, advertising, marketing and social media strategies, photo and video on a budget.

- Engagifi webinar “How to Thrive in the Current Legislative Landscape” where impacted by COVID-19, what we are seeing around the country and what are the challenges in the new environment and how can you be successful.
- National Association of Bar Executives webinar “Pivoting to Virtual Events”. Transforming your in-person meetings or social events into virtual.

REFERENCES

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