



CITY OF NORTHAMPTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Mayor David J. Narkewicz
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MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 2, 2015
TO: City Council
FROM: Mayor David J. Narkewicz
SUBJECT: **Appointment to Committees**

Please find the attached appointments to City Boards, Committees and Commissions:

Disability Commission

- Chris Palames, 659 Park Hill Road, (new appointment) replacing the unexpired term of Susan McCreary – term June 2015 – November 2016.

Human Rights Commission

- Carla Velez, 80 Barrett Street, (new appointment) replacing the expired term of Sara Weinberger – term June 2015 – June 2018.

cc: City Clerk, Wendy Mazza



City of Northampton

Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees and Commissions

Name: Chris Palames
 Address: 659 Park Hill Rd, Florence 01062
 Email: chrispalames@mac.com
 Home Phone: 581 4393 Work: same Cell: _____
 Occupation: EXEC. DIRECTOR - INDEPENDENT LIVING RESOURCES Years lived in Northampton: 14

Please indicate the Committee(s) you have interest serving on: (Appointment subject to vacancies)

Agricultural Commission	License Commission
Almoners, Board of	Municipal Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees
Arts Council	Parks and Recreation Commission
Assessors, Board of	Planning Board
Central Business Architecture Committee	Public Shade Tree Commission
Community Preservation Committee	Public Works Commission
Conservation Commission	Redevelopment Authority
Council on Aging	Registrars, Board of
Disability Commission <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Transportation & Parking Commission
Energy & Sustainability Commission	Trust Fund Committee
Health, Board of	Youth Commission
Historical Commission	Zoning Board of Appeals
Housing Partnership	
Human Rights Commission	

What skills and experience will you bring to this Committee assignment:

(attach additional sheet or resume if necessary)

10 YEARS EXPERIENCE AS AN ADVOCATE FOR DISABILITY RIGHTS AND INDEPENDENT LIVING POLICY AND PROGRAMS, TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING TO MUNICIPALITIES ON IMPLEMENTING THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT.

Are you currently serving or have you served on any City committee: No Yes*

(*If yes please state what committee) _____

Required: Please read the following, by signing below you state that you understand and agree:

The filing of this form does not guarantee my appointment. An application is kept on file for two (2) years; after that I must file a new application. Being appointed to a committee, board, or commission means that I am considered a Municipal Employee under MGL Chapter 268A and thereby subject to Conflict of Interest Law MGL Chapter 268A, Financial Disclosure Law MGL Chapter 268B, as well as Open Meeting Law MGL Chapter 39: Section 23B. I understand that I will take the conflict of interest test AFTER being appointed and that I also must be sworn in by the City Clerk. I will contact the appointing authority with any questions about my service. **IMPORTANT: Once this form is submitted it becomes a public document, if there is information you do not want open to the public please do not include it on this form!**

SIGNATURE

Chris Palames

DATE

JUN 26, 2015

Please Return Form To: Mayor@northamptonma.gov or
 David J. Markewicz, Mayor, 210 Main Street, Northampton, MA 01060

OPTIONAL INFORMATION

*This information will be used for diversity purposes only.
Complete it only if you wish to do so.*

Age:

Under 29 ___ 30-39 ___ 40-49 ___ 50-59 ___ 60-69 X 70 plus ___

Sex: M X F ___ Racial/Ethnic Background Greek American



Online Form Submittal: Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees and Commissions

message

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

noreply@civicplus.com <noreply@civicplus.com>
From: mayor@northamptonma.gov

Sat, May 23, 2015 at 10:58 PM

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Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees and Commissions

City of Northampton Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees, and Commissions

Please return the completed form to: Mayor@northamptonma.gov or David J. Narkewicz, Mayor
210 Main Street, Northampton, MA 01060

First Name*

Carla

Last Name*

Velez

Mayor's Office

Address1*

80 Barrett St. Apt. 18

MAY 26 2015

Northampton MA

City*

Northampton

State*

MA

Zip*

01060

Cell Phone

787-429-4404

Occupation & Place of Employment

Lab Instructor/Research Assistant at Smith College

Email

cvelez@smith.edu

Sex

This information is optional and will be used for diversity purposes only. Complete it only if you wish to do so.

Male Female

Years Lived In Northampton

7

Age

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Under 29

30 - 39

40 - 49 15.453

50 - 59

60 - 69

70 plus

Puerto Rican

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Boards and Committees

Please indicate the boards and committees you have an interest serving on.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Almoners, Board of |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arts Council | <input type="checkbox"/> Assessors, Board of |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Central Business Architecture Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Preservation Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Council on Aging |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disability Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Energy & Sustainability Commission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health, Board of | <input type="checkbox"/> Historical Commission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing Partnership | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Human Rights Commission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> License Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parks and Recreation Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Planning Board |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Public Shade Tree Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Works Commission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Redevelopment Authority | <input type="checkbox"/> Registrars, Board of |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation & Parking Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Trust Fund Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Zoning Board of Appeals |

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment?*

I am very interested in getting more involved in the Northampton community and I think this will be an ideal way to start. I am a hard worker and energetic when it comes to reaching goals. I am dependable, responsible and work well in teams.

Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee?*

- No Yes

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Signature*

Carla M. Velez

Date*

5/23/2015

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City of Northampton Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees, and Commissions: Please return the completed

210 Main Street, Northampton, MA 01060

First Name: Carla

Last Name: Velez

Address1: 80 Barrett St. Apt. 18

City: Northampton

State: MA

Zip: 01060

Cell Phone: 787-429-4404

Occupation & Place of Employment: Lab Instructor/Research Assistant at Smith College

Email: cvelez@smith.edu

Sex: Female

Years Lived in Northampton: 7

Age: Under 29

Racial / Ethnic Background: Puerto Rican

Boards and Committees: Human Rights Commission

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment?: I am very interested in getting more involved in the Northampton community and I think this will be an ideal way to start. I am a hard worker and energetic when it comes to reaching goals. I am dependable, responsible and work well in teams.

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Signature: Carla M. Velez

Date: 5/23/2015

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