

Application Form**Profile**

As an applicant/member of a Council appointed Board or Commission, your name, address, and phone number will be available to the press and public. Public discussion of information contained herein may occur in the meeting at which appointments are considered by the City Council.

Hampton Resident (Section 2-2 of the City Code requires appointees to city boards, commissions and committees to be a Hampton resident except for multijurisdictional or regional bodies)

☒ Yes ☐ No

Number of Years a Hampton Resident

30 years

United States Citizen

☒ Yes ☐ No

Dr.	Karen	T.	Ward	
Prefix	First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Suffix

Please provide Maiden/Previous Names, if applicable.

7 TreeBark Place	7 TreeBark Place
Street Address	Suite or Apt

Hampton	VA	23666
City	State	Postal Code

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Email Address

Home: (757) 876-2007	Business: (757) 727-5402
Primary Phone	Alternate Phone

Alternate Phone #2**Education & Experience**

Hampton University	Administrator and Professor
Employer	Occupation

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Upload a Resume

Education

☒ Doctorate

Please share any of your interests and/or experience which you would like us to consider.

I am grateful to be considered to serve on the Hampton Arts Commission. I am the descendant of a legacy of brilliant and dedicated educators and artists who poured into me their passion, appreciation and knowledge of the arts. I have devoted most of my life to creating pathways for those who want to pursue the arts, study the arts and view the arts. If I am given an opportunity to serve as a member of the Commission, I will continue to use my knowledge of and experience in the arts to serve the Hampton community.

Please share your volunteer experience and/or special skills.

I have 37 years of experience in producing and directing arts presentations from all genres. I have volunteered as a panelist for the Virginia Commission for the Arts and worked closely with them on numerous projects. Additionally, I have a successful grants record and was recently asked by the National Endowment for the Humanities if I would consider serving as one of their area panelist.

Please identify any former board service, if applicable.

I have not served on any previous boards in Hampton.

References

Reference 1 - Name and Contact Number

Dr. Mamie E. Locke (757)846-1084

Reference 2 - Name and Contact Number

Dr. Richard Mason(757)846-5205

Reference 3 - Name and Contact Number

Ms. Gaylene Kanoyton(757)287-0277

Board service requires a commitment of your time in preparing for and attending meetings and we thank you for your interest in serving Hampton. We ask that you seriously consider this time commitment. If appointed, will you be able to attend meetings regularly and devote the time necessary to fulfill your duties as a member?

☒ Yes ☐ No

City Office Contact Information

Should you have any questions, please contact Joy Mautz at (757) 727-6315 or by email at jmautz@hampton.gov in the Hampton City Council Office.

Demographics

Dr. Karen T. Ward

One of Hampton's strengths is the diversity of our citizenry. It is City Council's intention to reflect that diversity in the composition of our Boards, Commissions and Committees. For this reason, we request certain demographic information from applicants.

Age (Born between the years) *

☒ 70 - 52 (Born between 1946 - 1964)

Ethnicity *

☒ African American

Gender *

☒ Female

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Hampton Commission on the Arts: Submitted