

## Board Selection

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Please refer to the [City of Clearwater Advisory Boards listing](#) for requirements.

You will need to upload at least one of the following:

- Current voter registration within city limits
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## Select the Boards That You Would Like to Apply To

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Boards

Library Board

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## Personal Info

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First Name\* Joseph

Middle Initial

Last Name\* Smiley

Email Address\* jsmiley5519@verizon.net

Primary Phone\* (727)688-9186  
(Example: (123) 456-7890)

Length of Residency\* If not a resident of Clearwater, select "Not a Resident"  
6+ Years

Business Owner?\* Do You Own or Represent a Business in Clearwater?  
 Yes  No

## Home Address

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Street Address\* 1275 Wood Avenue

City\* Clearwater

Zip Code\* 33755

## Education & Work

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Highest Level of Education    Doctorate degree

Occupation    If retired, enter former occupation  
College Administrator

Employer    St. Petersburg College

Relevant Work Experience    As part of my role as an SPC Academic Dean, I interact and work weekly with the Clearwater SPC Community Library.

Community Activities    I am actively involved in the community. I promote the importance of the city library among community members and encourage youth to use the library. A community reading initiative was implemented this summer.

I provide workshops on parental strategies for helping children succeed in school, the intergenerational impact of drugs and crime, the impact of mentoring, and community educational and economic development. I have served for 24 years as one of the coordinators of the Alpha Institute Teen Leadership Program, a mentoring program designed to assist Pinellas County at-risk middle and high school boys in preparing for manhood.

Board Service\*    Have you served or do you serve on a board in Clearwater?  
 Yes  No

## Attachments

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Proof of Residency

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333.23KB

File types accepted: pdf, tif, tiff, jpeg, jpg, gif, doc, docx, rtf, png. 10 MB max file size.

# Questionnaire

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**Question 1.** What is your understanding of the duties and responsibilities of the Board(s)?

Answer 1. \*                      The Board has an advisory role. In performing its duty, it advises the Library Director and the City Council on all matters relating to the operation of the library system.

**Question 2.** Have you ever observed a board meeting either in person or on C-View, the City's TV station?

Answer 2. \*                       Yes  No

**Question 3.** What background, experience, or education qualifies you to serve on the Board(s)?

Answer 3. \*                      As an academic dean, I work with the SPC Community Library on an ongoing basis. I also collaborate with the North Greenwood Library on community initiatives.

**Question 4.** Why do you want to serve on the Board(s)?

Answer 4. \*                      I believe the library is a vital institution in the life of communities, and I want to support its work. The board is one way to support the library system, and I believe I can add value to the work of the board.

Date \*                              8/7/2022

Signature \*

*Joseph Smiley*