

CITY OF CLEARWATER - APPLICATION FOR ADVISORY BOARDS

(must be Clearwater resident)

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How long a resident of Clearwater? not a resident of Clearwater

Occupation: World Languages Supervisor

Employer: Pinellas County Schools

Field of Education: World Languages & Education

Other Work Experience: Nagano/Clearwater Exchange Teacher in 92-93

Berlitz Korea 1997-2000

If retired, former occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Community Activities: Wheaten Terrier Rescue Group, Hospice House Volunteer

Other Interests: Travel, reading, cooking

Board Service (current and past):  
have not served on this board before  
was president of Florida Foreign Language  
Association & World Lang. Teachers Assoc.

Board Preference:  
Sister Cities Advisory Board

Additional Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: Pamela G. Benton Digitally signed by Pamela G. Benton  
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Date: December 3, 2015

See attached list for boards that require financial disclosure at time of appointment. Please return this application and board questionnaire to the Official Records & Legislative Services Department, P. O. Box 4748, Clearwater, FL 33758-4748, or drop off your application at City Hall, 2nd Floor, 112 S. Osceola Avenue.

**Note:** For boards requiring Clearwater 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

BOARD QUESTIONNAIRE

1. What is your understanding of the board's duties and responsibilities?

To liaise between Nagano City and Clearwater in order to facilitate continued cooperation and ongoing projects of the Sister Cities Program.

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

No.

3. What background and/or qualifications do you have that you feel would qualify you to serve on this Board?

I am the contact for all communication with the school board of Pinellas County. I contact schools and arrange for cooperation of the schools for teacher and student exchanges.

4. Why do you want to serve on this Board?

In order to learn everything I can about the programs and projects so as to facilitate easy and smooth cooperation between the Board and Pinellas County Schools.

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Board Name: Sister Cities Advisory Board