

## 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:

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## Select the Boards That You Would Like to Apply To

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Boards

Environmental Advisory Board

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# Personal Info

First Name *	John
Middle Initial	E.
Last Name *	Thomas
Email Address *	jethomassr@aol.com
Primary Phone *	508-930-9226 (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? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No

# Home Address

Street Address *	1200 Gulf Blvd
City *	Clearwater Beach
Zip Code *	33767

# Education & Work

Highest Level of Education

Bachelor's degree

Occupation

If retired, enter former occupation

Environmental Consultant

Employer

Beals and Thomas, Inc.

Relevant Work Experience

CEO and co-founder of a multi-disciplinary firm that provides consulting services to support the development and conservation of land and water resources. Professional work experience for 37 years in Massachusetts prior to retirement in 2014.Certified as a Professional Wetland Scientist by the National Society of Wetland Scientists.

Community Activities

President of the Florida Botanical Gardens Foundation, Inc. in Largo for the past 5 years. Currently serving on the Board of Directors of Mount Hope Farm in Bristol, RI, a 127 acre National Historic Register property with an 18th century inn and working farm. Numerous Board positions with environmental organizations in Massachusetts over a 25 year period. Service on municipal Boards including Conservation Commission, Golf Course Committee and Forest Committee.

Board Service\*

Have you served or do you serve on a board in Clearwater?

☒ Yes ☐ No

## Board Experience

Board*	Start Year*	End Year*
Environmental Advisory Board	2016	2020

# Attachments

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Proof of Residency	residency.pdf	475.2KB
File types accepted: pdf, tif, tiff, jpeg, jpg, gif, doc, docx, rtf, png. 10 MB max file size.		

# Questionnaire

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

Answer 1. \* Simply, to apply my professional experience and knowledge to environmental issues and in collaboration with my fellow Board members advise the City Council of how the interests of the City may be best served.

**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. \* B. A. Environmental Studies Harvard University 1977  
44 years of professional practice and volunteer work regarding environmental matters

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

Answer 4. \* To provide continued service to the City of Clearwater and its community on matters of professional personal interest.

Date \* 8/6/2021

Signature \* 

Checkbox ☐ choice 1  
☐ choice 2  
☐ choice 3

Checkbox ☐ choice 1  
☐ choice 2  
☐ choice 3

Drop-down

Radio Button ☐ choice 1  
☐ choice 2  
☐ choice 3