

**Charlotte-Mecklenburg  
Planning Commission  
At-A-Glance**

**Eligible for Reappointment**

<b>Name</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Gender</b>	<b>Ethnicity</b>
Caprioli, Michael	6	Male	Hispanic
Stuart, Robin	5	Male	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

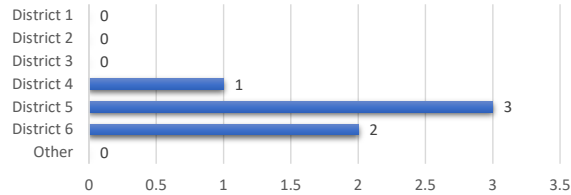
# PLANNING COMMISSION DEMOGRAPHICS

## Districts

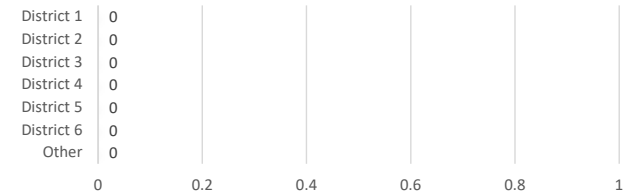
	Members	Applicants
District 1	0	0
District 2	0	0
District 3	0	0
District 4	1	0
District 5	3	0
District 6	2	0
Other	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>

## BOCC Members Only

Members by District



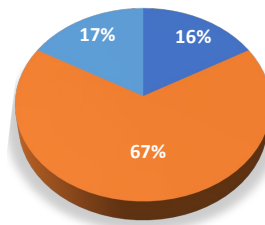
Applicants by District



## Gender

	Members	Applicants
Female	1	0
Male	4	0
Nonbinary or Third Gender	0	0
Other	0	0
Prefer Not to Say	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>

Members by Gender



- Female
- Male
- Nonbinary or Third Gender
- Other
- Prefer Not to Say

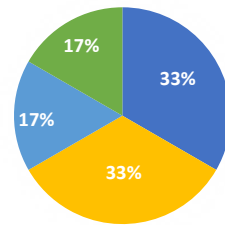
Applicants by Gender

- Female
- Male
- Nonbinary or Third Gender
- Other
- Prefer Not to Say

## Ethnicity/Race

	Members	Applicants
African-American	2	0
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	0	0
Asian or Pacific Islander	0	0
Caucasian/ Non-Hispanic	2	0
Hispanic	1	0
Prefer Not to Say	1	0
Two or More Races	0	0
Other	0	0
Unknown	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>

Members by Ethnicity/Race



- African-American
- American Indian/ Alaskan Native
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Caucasian/ Non-Hispanic
- Hispanic
- Prefer Not to Say
- Two or More Races
- Other
- Unknown

Applicants by Ethnicity/Race

- African-American
- American Indian/ Alaskan Native
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Caucasian/ Non-Hispanic
- Hispanic
- Prefer Not to Say
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**Statement to Applicants****Which Boards would you like to apply for?**

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Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission: Submitted

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**Profile**

Michael

First Name

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Middle  
Initial

Caprioli

Last Name

**What other names have you used? (includes, legal names, aliases, maiden names or professional monikers) NOTE: If none, please note N/A**

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Alternate Phone

**What Mecklenburg County District do you live in? Please verify below. \*** 6**How long have you been a resident of Mecklenburg County? Please include months, or years.**

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7 Years, 11 months**My age range is (please select one): \*** Over 55**Ethnicity \*** Hispanic**Gender \*** Male

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**Interests & Experiences**

## Education

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Associate of Science - Administration of Justice, College of the Canyons, Valencia, CA  
Bachelor of Science - Business Administration (Summa Cum Laude) Touro University  
International - Cypress, CA

Retired

Employer

Los Angeles County  
Sheriff, Marine (Active  
Duty) and Navy (Reserve)

Occupation

## Business and civic experience

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Twenty-Eight years of honorable service with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department. My career was very diverse and included duties in which I performed extensive research or directed a task force to complete complex studies. I retired as a Sergeant in charge of the recruit training academy and as our department's POST liaison for recruit training. While assigned to the academy I oversaw the rewrite of our entire 880-hour academy to improve academics, physical fitness, reduce injuries and instill a strong ethical foundation for new recruits. Twenty years of combined military service in the Marine Corps and Navy Reserve. I served as a Special Warfare and Expeditionary Warfare Intelligence Specialist. My duties and training included working with ArcGIS systems as well as other planning software, conducting briefs for operational units as well as strategic planning departments. Honorably retired disabled veteran. Notable Sheriff's Department assignments: Deputy responsible for research, planning and training of the Twin Towers Project. This assignment required me to work with vendors, consultants, and engineers to address the safety and operational concerns of a new open pod style detention facility and medical center. As a result of this assignment, I was able to learn how to interact effectively with the development team to meet the needs of the department and understand their capabilities. Civil Litigation Investigator. This assignment required me to investigate lawsuits and analyze the facts of the case, work with attorneys to seek an appropriate solution for the cases and prepare presentations for County Supervisors and Contact City Officials. The investigations were used as a learning tool for the department to improve performance and validate policies and procedures. As a result of this assignment, I was able to learn how to conduct legal research, interact with legal counsel and create effective presentations for government officials. Academy Coordinator. This supervisory assignment required me to oversee the training of 80 to 120 recruits per class and the training staff. I was also responsible for the budget, care and maintenance of our training facility which was located on a college campus. I coordinated with state and local agencies as well as the college administration to maintain our training sites to ensure safe and environmentally responsible areas and construction. As a result of this assignment, I was able to utilize effective team management and delegate duties to accomplish our goals. West Hollywood Station Detective Supervisor. This assignment required me to supervise a team of criminal and traffic investigators. I was also responsible for the station interactions with city officials and the diverse community we served. I was a point of contact for the LGBTQ crime victims to ensure their cases were handled in a professional manner. As a result of this assignment, I was able to hone interpersonal communication skills in addressing the needs of all parties and finding common ground. Volunteer Ombudsman for the Employers Support of the Guard and Reserve. Mediated cases concerning violations of Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Act (USERRA). These mediations also involved educating employers about USERRA, a federal law which provides protection for military reservists and national guard personnel. Since moving to Charlotte in 2018 I have become active in our community addressing responsible development in our community with an emphasis on environmental impact concerns. I have met Charlotte-Mecklenburg Stormwater and City of Charlotte Erosion control to address concerns in our neighborhood and to better understand their duties and how they can assist us. I have led a life of service and I look forward to putting my skills to work for the citizens of Mecklenburg County.

## Area of expertise and interests/skills

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Organizational team management, project and task force management. Outdoor person who enjoys hiking, biking and golf. Home improvement and helping my neighbors. Ability to learn new skills and apply them to the task at hand.

Michael R Caprioli

## Additional Comments

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I value team work, honesty and fairness. I look forward to the opportunity to serve in helping to create safe clean environments to improve our public welfare. State Certified Stormwater Control Measure Management & Inspection

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## Additional Information

**If you are or have ever served on a Mecklenburg County board/commission, please answer yes or no. If yes, please disclose the Board and term-end date.**

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Yes. Planning Commission.

**Why are you interested in serving on the board(s) to which you are applying?**

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Everyone deserves a clean safe environment in which to live. A community built in balance and respect for the environment will thrive. We must ensure the safety of our fellow citizens by smart designs such as turnout outs for public transportation so our neighbors can safely wait, board, and exit the conveyance. I have studied and seen firsthand the importance of incorporating positive environmental controls and safety plans to construction development. We should not just focus on how many housing units we can build; we should focus on the quality of the housing units. Existing heritage trees and streams should be preserved and protected. Each community should be looked at individually based on the needs of the residents and environmental conditions. I would seek out input for the actual community members to hear what they feel is in their best interests. We have many historical sites and areas in Mecklenburg County. These areas should be recognized and protected while at the same time allowing for smart development.

**Have you attended a meeting of the advisory board(s) to which you are applying?**

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Yes  No

**Hours Per Month Available for Position**

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Forty-hours a month. Scheduling is flexible

**How did you learn of the vacancy? \***

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NotifyMe Email

**If you answered other - Where did you learn of this vacancy?**

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County Commissioner

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## Disclosure

**Are you a Mecklenburg County resident?**

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Yes  No

**Are you a current Mecklenburg County employee? (Mecklenburg County employees are prohibited from serving on any board where appointments are made by the Board of Commissioners. If you are a current, county employee who is to serve in an ex-officio and/or non-voting capacity on any board when required by law, please email [clerk@mecknc.gov](mailto:clerk@mecknc.gov) before submitting an application.)**

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Yes  No

**Are you a current vendor with Mecklenburg County?**

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Yes  No

**• Do you have any personal or business interest that could create a conflict (either real or perceived) if appointed? If yes, please explain the conflict.**

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Yes  No

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### **Board Specific Questions**

## Disclaimer

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I, hereby, authorize Mecklenburg County to verify all information included in this application. I certify that I have read the appointment policy and that the information contained in this application is true according to the best of my knowledge and belief. I certify that I am providing my legal name and address in which I reside. I understand that inaccurate or untrue information will be cause for removal from any appointed advisory board. By submitting this application, I agree to adhere to all County policies pertaining to advisory boards, including attendance. I understand if I do not achieve 65% annual attendance, I will be automatically removed from the board or commission to which I am appointed. I understand that this application is subject to the N.C. Public Records Law (NCGS § 132-1) and may be released upon request.

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I Agree

**Signature of Applicant (Sign Your Legal Name):**

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Michael R. Caprioli

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**Profile**

Robin

First Name

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Middle  
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Stuart

Last Name

**What other names have you used? (includes, legal names, aliases, maiden names or professional monikers) NOTE: If none, please note N/A**

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9 years 5 months**My age range is (please select one): \*** 46 to 55**Ethnicity \*** Caucasian/Non-Hispanic**Gender \*** Male

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**Interests & Experiences**

Robin H Stuart

## Education

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Purdue University BS Economics University of Pittsburgh MBA Finance

Bank of America

Employer

retired Banker

Occupation

## Business and civic experience

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25+ years of varied banking experience and management 1 year 'leader on loan' with the City of Charlotte - Corridors of Opportunity - full time position Renaissance West Community Initiative - Board Member various volunteer and nonprofit work graduate of Institute of Public Trust - Charlotte Elective Leadership Program

## Area of expertise and interests/skills

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Finance, development of under-served geographic areas, nonprofit work, balancing development with gentrification, improving mobility and sustainability

## Additional Comments

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I am very eager to have a voice in the development of our fantastic city and to use my skills and experience to make Charlotte and Mecklenburg County a better place for all of us to live

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**Have you attended a meeting of the advisory board(s) to which you are applying?**

Yes  No

## Hours Per Month Available for Position

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**How did you learn of the vacancy? \***

Other

**If you answered other - Where did you learn of this vacancy?**

I am currently on the Board and would like to renew for 3 more years

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I Agree

**Signature of Applicant (Sign Your Legal Name):**

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Robin Henry Stuart

Mecklenburg County, NC

# Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission

## Board Details

The Planning Commission was established to make studies of resources, possibilities and needs of the City, particularly with respect to conditions which may be injurious to the public welfare and make plans for the development of Mecklenburg County, including the City of Charlotte but excluding all other incorporated towns in the County. To consider the desirability, from time to time, of the extension of the limits of Charlotte and when found desirable, to prepare and present to Council a program of extension with statement of the reasons for the same.

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## Overview

- **Size** 14 Seats
  - **Term Length** 3 Year
  - **Term Limit** 2 Terms
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## Contact

- **Name** Candice Rorie & Elle Knight
  - **Phone** (704) 361-3848
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## Additional

**Qualifications**

Persons serving must be a resident of Mecklenburg County. Appointed members must attend a minimum of 65% of all scheduled meetings in a calendar year and cannot miss three consecutive meetings. Failure to comply with attendance requirements will result in removal from the advisory board. Persons must attend 50% of each meeting in order to be counted present. Appointees must take an oath of office.

**Advisory Board Details**

The Planning Commission is a jointly appointed Board, administered by the City of Charlotte. There are 14 members on the Commission; the Board of County Commissioners appoints seven (7) members, the City of Charlotte City Council appoints five (5) members, and the Mayor appoints two (2) members. The Board of Education has two (2) positions to which they make recommendations, but with approval of one position by the Board of County Commissioners and the approval of one by the Charlotte City Council respectively. Members of the Planning Commission will be assigned to serve on either subcommittee; the Planning Committee or Zoning Committee.

**Meeting Dates/Times**

Monthly - 1st Monday at 12:00 p.m.

**Meeting Location**

Charlotte Mecklenburg Gov Center - 600 E. 4th Street Charlotte, NC 28202, Room 267

**Time Commitment**

24 hours per month

**Stipend**

Yes

**Special Notes****Job Description**

# Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission

## Board Roster

### Andrew Blumenthal

**2nd Term** Sep 04, 2019 - Jun 30, 2027

**Email** ablumenthal711@gmail.com

**Appointing Authority** BOCC

**Home Phone** Home: (704) 618-1802

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620 Tremont Av  
Charlotte, NC 28203

### Michael R Caprioli

**Partial Term** Oct 16, 2024 - Jun 30, 2026

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**Appointing Authority** BOCC

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**Alternate Phone** Home: (980) 355-0165

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Charlotte, NC 28278

### Melissa Gaston

**2nd Term** Jul 01, 2021 - Jun 30, 2027

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No Recruitment

**Home Phone** : (704) 890-5017

**Appointing Authority** MAYOR

**Alternate Phone** : (704) 333-0246

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Charlotte, NC 28206

### Terry Lansdell

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**Appointing Authority** BOCC

**Home Phone** Mobile: (980) 213-6446

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charlotte, NC 28226

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□ **Theresa McDonald**

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**Home Phone** : (704) 236-9340

**Address**

3100 Lake Drive  
Charlotte , NC 28269

No Recruitment

**Appointing Authority** MAYOR

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□ **Carolyn E Millen**

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**Home Phone** Home: (704) 905-6351

**Address**

1121 Westchester Blvd.  
Charlotte, NC 28205

No Recruitment

**Appointing Authority** CITY COUNCIL

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□ **Shana H Neeley**

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**Home Phone** Home: (704) 778-8576

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Pineville, NC 28134

**Appointing Authority** BOCC

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□ **Wil Russell**

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**Alternate Phone** : (704) 727-3491

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66001 Blue Sky lane  
Charlotte, NC 28269

No Recruitment

**Appointing Authority** CITY COUNCIL

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□ **Clayton Sealey**

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No Recruitment

**Appointing Authority** CITY COUNCIL

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□ **Erin Shaw**

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Charlotte, NC 28203

No Recruitment

**Appointing Authority** CITY COUNCIL

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□ **Robin H Stuart**

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Charlotte, NC 28270

**Appointing Authority** BOCC

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□ **Douglas A Welton**

**2nd Term** Oct 02, 2018 - Jun 30, 2027

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**Alternate Phone** Home: (980) 275-3805

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□ **Rebekah Whilden**

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**Home Phone** : (828) 242-6174

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Charlotte , NC 28205

No Recruitment

**Appointing Authority** CITY COUNCIL

**Category** BOE

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□ **Vacancy**

**Appointing Authority** BOCC

**Category** BOE

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