

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ADVISORY BOARD

Vote on Nominees listed below, nominated at the March 20, 2018 meeting

Four (4) appointments to fill unexpired terms expiring April 30, 2018 and then three-year terms effective May 1, 2018 expiring April 30, 2021

Nominees	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4
Tyrone Bennett District 4				
Tiffany Harris District 6				
Deshall Hill District 3				
Wanda McWilliams District 2				
Dawn Studymine- Evans District 2				
Racquel Ward District 6				

Current District Representation: District 1 (3) - District 2 (1) – District 3 (0) – District 4 (2) – District 5 (1) – District 6 (1)

Note: Rebekah Talley was nominated but has asked that her name be removed from consideration.

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NOMINEES



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Domestic Violence
- **Name:** Tyrone Bennett
- **Home address:** 7306 Creekwood Quorum Drive, Apt 102
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28212
- **Home Phone:** 980-213-5464
- **Work Phone:**
- **Email:** tye602@yahoo.com
- **Occupation:** Examiner
- **Place of employment:** Department of Motor Vehicle
- **Race:** Black
- **Sex:** Male
- **Age:** 53
- **Hours per month available for position:** 30 to 40
- **County advisory board currently serving on:**
- **Expiration date:**
- **Education:** BA
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Website
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** Vice President of a Union
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** Case Management for Abused Children
- **Am I a current vendor with Mecklenburg County?** No
- **County Commission District:** 4
- **I, hereby, authorize Mecklenburg County to verify all information included in this application. I certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that this application is subject to the N.C. Public Records Law (NCGS 132-1) and may be released upon request. I agree**
- **Signature of applicant:** Tyrone Bennett
- **Date:** 01/11/2018



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Domestic Violence Advisory Board
- **Name:** Tiffany Harris
- **Home address:** 8010 Shorewood Drive
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28277
- **Home Phone:** 704-858-4824
- **Work Phone:** 704-532-5757
- **E-Mail:** tlworks05@gmail.com
- **Occupation:** Licensed Clinical Social Worker
- **Place of employment:** Private Practice
- **Race:** Black
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 43
- **Hours per month available for position:** 10
- **County advisory board currently serving on:**
- **Expiration date:**
- **Education:** MSW from Syracuse University
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Online
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** I have worked and volunteered in the Health and Human Services field since 1997. My experiences have afforded me the privileged of working with disenfranchised populations to the more affluent members of my community. Through these positions I have learned domestic violence and mental health affects all populations and cross every social economic status. I welcome the opportunity to be able to learn and advocate for the greater good of Charlotte's citizens affected by domestic violence and the stakeholders in this community.
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** Health and wellness are my interest; teaching people how to manage anxiety, depression and incorporate self-care into their regular routine. I also have expertise in trauma focus interventions, boundary creation and community resource utilization.
- **County Commission District:** 6
- **Signature of applicant:** Tiffany Harris
- **Date:** 4/16/2017



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Domestic Violence Advisory Board
- **Name:** Deshall Hill
- **Home address:** 415 Berkeley Hill Drive #1314
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28262
- **Home Phone:** 845-728-9166
- **Work Phone:**
- **E-Mail:** deshallmhill@gmail.com
- **Occupation:** Residential Manager
- **Place of employment:** The Arc of Orange County
- **Race:** Black
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 48
- **Hours per month available for position:** 10-15
- **County advisory board currently serving on:**
- **Expiration date:**
- **Education:** Strayer University
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Online
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** Operations Development Staff Development Policy/program development Calm under pressure Supervision and staff training Effective Communication Cross- functional team management Sound Judgment
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** Domestic Violence Survivor Volunteer for Women of Empowerment The National Society of Collegiate Scholars Corporate Compliance and The Council of Quality of leadership Quality Assurance & Quality Issuance Microsoft Word Excel PowerPoint Outlook Excel Facsimile
- **County Commission District:** 3
- **Signature of applicant:** Deshall Hill
- **Date:** 4/16/2017



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Domestic Violence Advisory Board
- **Name:** Wanda McWilliams
- **Home address:** 1213 Alston Hill Drive
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28214
- **Home Phone:** 980-318-7046
- **Work Phone:** 980-222-4824
- **E-Mail:** [Wandamc1104@gmail.Com](mailto:Wandamc1104@gmail.com)
- **Occupation:** licensed Clinical Social Worker
- **Place of employment:** Phoenix Counseling and private practice
- **Race:** Black
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 51
- **Hours per month available for position:** 8-12
- **County advisory board currently serving on:**
- **Expiration date:**
- **Education:** Master's in Social Work
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Online
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** Domestic Violence Training and advocate from Cleveland Ohio, outreach coordinator at church Crisis and Trauma clinician, domestic violence group facilitator, family counselor
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** Domestic Violence advocate, interested in educating communities about domestic violence statistics and steps needed to take to protect all individuals, interested in bringing awareness to schools, hospitals businesses and churches, through current and previous profession as educator attended workshops, seminars and classes addressing Domestic Violence issues, volunteered at numerous domestic violence shelters. Very passionate about this issue and domestic violence survivor
- **County Commission District:** 2
- **Signature of applicant:** Wanda McWilliams
- **Date:** 4/10/2017



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Domestic Violence Advisory Board
- **Name:** Dawn Studymine-Evans
- **Home address:** 3404-H Forestbrook Drive
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28208
- **Home Phone:** 980-319-4678
- **Work Phone:**
- **Email:** healing1027@gmail.com
- **Occupation:** Minister/Mentor
- **Place of employment:** Women's Inner Healing Ministry
- **Race:** Black
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 49
- **Hours per month available for position:** As needed
- **County advisory board currently serving on:**
- **Expiration date:**
- **Education:** High School Diploma
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Other
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** Working with women of faith who are domestic violence survivors
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** Domestic Violence Survivor/Advocate, Mentor
- **County Commission District:** 2
- **Signature of applicant:** Dawn Studymine-Evans
- **Date:** 7/23/2017



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Domestic Violence Advisory Board
- **Name:** Racquel D. Ward
- **Home address:** 13145 Greencreek Drive
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28273
- **Home Phone:** 704-258-1420
- **Work Phone:** 704-446-0395
- **E-Mail:** racward@yahoo.com
- **Occupation:** Program Manager
- **Place of employment:** Carolinas Healthcare System
- **Race:** Black
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 46
- **Hours per month available for position:** 10+
- **County advisory board currently serving on:**
- **Expiration date:**
- **Education:** MSW
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Online
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** CHS for 9 years Serve community on service projects i.e. Clean Up for Change, Joyprom, Crisis Assistance, Second Harvest, NBMBA Leaders of Tomorrow Serve as parish council member, Sunday school teacher, scholarship committee for Our Lady of Consolation Field Instructor UNCC, Winthrop, CPCC, JCSU, Liberty, USC
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** Women's issues and trauma Substance Use Disorders
- **County Commission District:** 6
- **Signature of applicant:** Racquel D. Ward
- **Date:** 4/12/2017

Mecklenburg County

Advisory Boards, Committees and Commissions

Board Appointments Due

Renewals From 4/1/2018 To 4/30/2018

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ADVISORY BOARD

Number of BOCC Members: 6

Term Length in Years: 3

Purpose

To periodically review and evaluate all Charlotte and Mecklenburg County domestic violence services, and make appropriate recommendations to Charlotte City Council and the Board of County Commissioners to identify gaps, or need for additional services to meet the needs of victims of domestic violence and their children. To provide vigorous advocacy for domestic violence victims and play a role in increasing public awareness and education as to the problems of domestic violence and its related costs to victims and the community.

Qualifications

Must be a resident of Mecklenburg County.

Special Notes

NOMINATIONS/APPOINTMENTS NEEDED FOR:

Four (4) unexpired terms expiring April 30, 2018 and three-year terms effective May 1, 2018 expiring April 30, 2021

Jasmine Williams resigned because of other obligations.

4 Appointment(s) For 3 Year Term:

Name	Qualifications	Appointed:	Expires	Eligibility
Marshall, Tonya	(BOCC)	3/7/2017	04/30/2018	Has not met attendance requireme
Shirley, Janice	(BOCC)	6/16/2015	04/30/2018	Has not met attendance requireme
Suarez, Ricardo	(BOCC)	5/16/2017	04/30/2018	Has not met attendance requireme
Williams, Jasmine	(BOCC)	3/7/2017	04/30/2018	Resigned

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ADVISORY BOARD Applicants:

Name	BOCC Dist	Qualifications	Race/Sex
Bennett, Tyrone	4		B / M
Harris, Tiffany	6		B / F
Hill, Deshall	3		B / F
McWilliams, Wanda	2		B / F
Studymine-Evans, Dawn	2		B / F
Talley, Rebekah	5		W / F
Ward, Racquel	6		B / F

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ADVISORY BOARD Members:

Name (* = Chairman)	BOCC Dist	Qualifications	Race/Sex	Appointed	Expires	Elig Code	Expired Position
Alsop, Gabrielle	6	(CITY)	W / F	10/10/2017	9/22/2020	EL	
Bloomfield, Neil	5	(BOCC)	W / M	3/16/2016	4/30/2021	EL	

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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ADVISORY BOARD Members:

Name (* = Chairman)	BOCC Dist	Qualifications	Race/Sex	Appointed	Expires	Elig Code	Expired Position
Davis, Kawana	4	(CITY)	B / F	6/27/2016	9/21/2019	EL	
Egleston, Lauren	4	(CITY)	W / F	9/22/2016	9/21/2019	EL	
Fraser-Darlington, Gurmay	1	(MAYOR)	W / F	12/7/2015	9/20/2020	EL	
Lougheed, Ryan	1	(BOCC)	W / M	3/7/2017	4/30/2021	EL	
Marshall, Tonya	4	(BOCC)	B / F	3/7/2017	4/30/2018	AT	<==
Newbold, Tiffani	2	(CITY)	B / F	10/10/2017	9/21/2018	EL	
Shirley, Janice	2	(BOCC)	B / F	6/16/2015	4/30/2018	AT	<==
Suarez, Ricardo	6	(BOCC)	H / M	5/16/2017	4/30/2018	AT	<==
Wiley, Patricia	1	(CITY)	W / F	1/22/2018	9/21/2019	EL	
Williams, Jasmine	1	(BOCC)	B / F	3/7/2017	4/30/2018	RS	<==