

WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD

Vote on nominees listed below, nominated at the April 16, 2019 meeting.

Two (2) appointments to fill unexpired terms expiring April 30, 2021 and November 30, 2021

Nominees	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4
Brooke Adams District 5 (White)				
Kristin Buhlert District 2 (White)				
Katie Ferraioli District 4 (White)				
Suzanne Elsberry Schweikert District 5 (White)				

Current Membership Demographics: District 1 (1) - District 2 (7) – District 3 (0) – District 4 (0) – District 5 (2) – District 6 (3)

White (3) – Black (7) – Hispanic (2) - Latina (1)

Female (13) – Male (0)

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Nominees



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Women's Advisory Board
- **Name:** Brooke Adams
- **Home address:** 3301 Foxridge Rd.
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28226
- **Home Phone:** 704-281-4505
- **Work Phone:** 704-281-4505
- **Email:** brookeahealy@gmail.com
- **Occupation:** Retired attorney, president of non-profit
- **Place of employment:** Retired, serving as president to Reproductive Rights Coalition
- **Race:** White
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 57
- **Hours per month available for position:** 10
- **County advisory board currently serving on:**
- **Expiration date:**
- **Education:** JD
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Other
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** I worked in the auditing division of Continental Bank in Chicago for 3 years before attending law school at the University of Chicago. After law school, I practiced at private law firms in the area of securities and commercial litigation. I did pro-bono work with victims of domestic violence. I then worked in-house for Snap-on Tools Company. I retired in 2007 or so to stay home with my two daughters. During the years before they went to college, I volunteered with their schools, serving as a room mother and co-President of the Parents' Association, volunteering in the library, etc. In recent years, I have volunteered with the board of elections, the Urban Ministries soup kitchen, Planned Parenthood and Pro-choice Charlotte. In 2017, I founded Reproductive Rights Coalition with some colleagues. In my work with Reproductive Rights Coalition, I speak with City Council members and members of CMPD and work to ensure that patients are escorted into their appointments at women's health clinics with a minimum of harassment and obstruction.
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** I would consider my legal background and my work with women in difficult situations - domestic abuse, poverty and reproductive health access to be both areas of expertise and passions.
- **Am I a current vendor with Mecklenburg County?** No
- **County Commission District:** 5

- **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: Brooke Adams**
- **Date:10/29/2018**



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Women's Advisory Board
- **Name:** Kristin Buhlert
- **Home address:** 720 Farmhurst Drive Apt B
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28217
- **Home Phone:** 509-227-9799
- **Work Phone:** 509-227-9799
- **Email:** KMBuhlert@gmail.com
- **Occupation:** Hospitality
- **Place of employment:** Del Frisco's
- **Race:** White
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 33
- **Hours per month available for position:** 18
- **County advisory board currently serving on:** None
- **Expiration date:** None
- **Education:** Some College
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Other
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** I have led many hospitality and civic based groups through various companies. I've been employed throughout the country. I currently volunteer with both CMS and Rock Hill SD regularly.
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** I am new to the area and would like to be more involved with women's issues.
- **Am I a current vendor with Mecklenburg County?** No
- **County Commission District:** 2
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- **Signature of applicant:** Kristin Buhlert
- **Date:** July 9, 2018



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Women's Advisory Board
- **Name:** Katie Ferraioli
- **Home address:** 2724 Holt Street
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28205
- **Home Phone:** 9087705790
- **Work Phone:** 9087705790
- **Email:** kmferraioli@gmail.com
- **Occupation:** Program Associate
- **Place of employment:** Atrium Health
- **Race:** White
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 29
- **Hours per month available for position:** 4-6
- **County advisory board currently serving on:** None
- **Expiration date:** N/A
- **Education:** Master of Public Health, Master of Social Work
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Other
- **If you selected Other, please explain:** Posted on an Atrium Health employee group
- **Business and civic experience:** I currently work for Atrium Health as a Senior Program Associate within their Behavioral Health department. I support senior leadership through extensive program evaluation and monitoring, employee engagement efforts and various special projects. Previously, I worked for a public health department in Cabarrus County. I worked on two large grant projects, one focusing specifically on youth violence prevention (I served as the Program Manager and oversaw trauma-informed efforts within the schools and community groups) and diabetes prevention (I worked as a lifestyle change coach and managed the budget and evaluation components). My most recent role with them was as the Program Manager for the community dental program, which served primarily low-income families to ensure high quality care and improved access to health services. Previous internships and volunteer roles focused on interpersonal and sexual violence prevention, improving school health and overall program design, implementation and evaluation.
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** I am extremely organized, detail-oriented and committed to completing whatever task is at hand to the best of my ability. I have had the honor of working with communities of various backgrounds, including race, ethnicity, socioeconomic status, religious and legal status. I've worked extensively in building and sustaining community collaborations with a constant focus on improving community

health and wellbeing (physical, social and emotional).

Personal interests include cooking, exercising, traveling, reading and spending time with my husband and our animals. We recently bought a home in Charlotte, after renting for several years, and I am hoping to become more involved with the city I love and plan to call home for years to come.

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- **County Commission District:** 4
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- **Signature of applicant:** Katie Mae Ferraioli
- **Date:** 2/4/2019



Mecklenburg County Advisory Board Application

- **Name of Advisory Board:** Women's Advisory Board
- **Name:** Suzanne Elsberry Schweikert
- **Home address:** 9908 Park Willow Drive
- **City:** Charlotte
- **Zip code:** 28210
- **Home Phone:** 980-207-2245
- **Work Phone:**
- **Email:** Dessuz@bellsouth.net
- **Occupation:** Retired
- **Place of employment:** Retired
- **Race:** White
- **Sex:** Female
- **Age:** 72
- **Hours per month available for position:** 15
- **County advisory board currently serving on:**
- **Expiration date:**
- **Education:** BA British Literature
- **How did you learn of this vacancy?** Other -- Email DWMC
- **If you selected Other, please explain:**
- **Business and civic experience:** Sales, Marketing, Management, Administration, Event Mgmt., Non-Profits, political
- **Areas of expertise and interests/skills:** Public speaking, acting, writing, events management, Women's issues, voting rights, politics.
- **Am I a current vendor with Mecklenburg County?** No
- **County Commission District:** 5
- **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:** Suzanne Elsberry Schweikert
- **Date:** 4/16/2018

Mecklenburg County

Advisory Boards, Committees and Commissions

Board Appointments Due

Renewals From 4/1/2019 To 4/30/2019

WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD

Number of BOCC Members: 15

Term Length in Years: 3

Purpose

The Women's Advisory Board is to identify periodically the Status of Women in Mecklenburg County; to work toward the betterment of the status of women in education, employment, family, community, health, law, finance, and social services; and to provide community leadership opportunities by initiating and promoting programs designed to serve the needs of women.

Qualifications

Must be a resident of Mecklenburg County

Special Notes

APPOINTMENTS NEEDED TO FILL:

Two (2) unexpired terms expiring April 30, 2021 and November 30, 2021

There are four (4) nominees, nominated at the April 16, meeting.

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2 Appointment(s) For 3 Year Term:

Name	Qualifications	Appointed:	Expires	Eligibility
Carter, Chantia		8/8/2018	04/30/2021	Has not met attendance requireme
Ferlauto, Michelle		3/7/2018	11/30/2021	Resigned

WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD Applicants:

Name	BOCC Dist	Qualifications	Race/Sex
Adams, Brooke	5		W / F
Barnes, Shekeria	6		B / F
Buhlert, Kristin	2		W / F
Ferraioli, Katie	4		W / F
Galloway, Mercedeis	5		B / F
Henderson, Latricia	3		B / F
Hermanson, Mallorri	3		B / F
Kendrick, Delma	2		B / F
Kondratyk, Alexis	2		MI / F
Litaker, Tracey	2		B / F

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Marshall, Margaret	3		B / F
McGriffin, Patrice	2		B / F
McIntyre-Brandly, Melissa	6		B / F
Murrell, Ashley	2		B / F
Nash, Debbie	2		B / F
Palmer-Glaze, Chidarrell	2		B / F
Pate, Kathy	1		B / F
Schuster, Lindsey	6		W / F
Williams, Candace	2		B / F
Wolf, Suzanne	5		W / F

WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD Members:

Name (* = Chairman)	BOCC Dist	Qualifications	Race/Sex	Appointed	Expires	Elig Code	Expired Position
Abreu, Taisha	2		H / F	3/6/2019	4/30/2021	UEL	
Abt-Bumgarner, Samantha	5		W / F	3/21/2017	4/30/2021	EL	
Carter, Chantia	3		B / F	8/8/2018	4/30/2021	AT	<==
Chavez, Maura	2		L / F	3/6/2019	4/30/2021	UEL	
Espinosa, Jamilah	6		H / F	1/15/2019	11/30/2019	UEL	
Ferlauto, Michelle	1		W / F	3/7/2018	11/30/2021	RS	<==
Hawkins, Rahdreia Hannibal	2		B / F	8/8/2018	4/30/2021	UEL	
Holmes, Yolonda	6		B / F	1/15/2019	11/30/2019	UEL	
Lefko, Melissa	6		W / F	12/19/2017	4/30/2021	EL	
Nelson, Kimberly	2		B / F	3/7/2018	11/30/2021	EL	
Pierce, Ruth	2		W / F	3/21/2017	6/30/2019	UEL	
Reid, Ashley	2		B / F	3/7/2018	6/30/2019	UEL	
Reid, Corelutta	1		B / F	3/7/2018	4/30/2022	EL	
Sandeford-Lyons, Stacey	5		B / F	8/8/2018	11/30/2019	UEL	
Williams, Zhiviaga	2		B / F	5/19/2015	4/30/2021	NE	