

## Wesley Barker

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**From:** noreply@civicplus.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 28, 2023 10:38 PM  
**To:** Wesley Barker; Mary Bryant  
**Subject:** Online Form Submittal: Advisory Board Chair Report (Complete One Per Applicant)

### Advisory Board Chair Report (Complete One Per Applicant)

Advisory Board Name:	Transportation Advisory Board
Chair Name	David Pcolar
Applicant First Name:	Elyse
Applicant Last Name:	Keefe
1. Has the applicant previously served on this or another advisory board?	Yes
2. If yes, how many total years have they served?	3
3. Is the applicant already serving on this advisory board and seeking reappointment to their second, full term?	Yes (Skip to Last Question)
4. Is the applicant already serving on this advisory board and completed their two full terms?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
5. Is the applicant applying for a special or expert seat on the advisory board?	No
6. If yes, which seat?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
7. Did the applicant attend an advisory board meeting?	Yes
8. If applicant did not attend an advisory board meeting, did you contact them via phone or email?	<i>Field not completed.</i>

9. Applicant has demonstrated a clear understanding of the time commitment, roles, and responsibilities of serving on the advisory board:

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10. If no, briefly explain:

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11. In addition to your comments above, please check other qualities that the applicant offers that would help the Advisory Board meet its goals for community representation. Please note that candidates who do not meet any of these qualities are still eligible for appointment. Please communicate any urgent needs and priorities for Advisory Board composition to your Town Council liaison.

Occupation, Experience, or Special Skills

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If other, please explain:

Elyse is the Road Safety Project Coordinator at the UNC Injury Prevention Research Center supporting Vision Zero efforts.

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# Advisory Board Application - Submission #4547

Date Submitted: 2/11/2020

**First Name\***

Elyse

**Last Name\***

Keefe

**Date\***

2/11/2020

Select today's date

**Address1\***

118 W Poplar Ave.

**Address2**

**City\***

Carrboro

**State**

NC

**Zip\***

27510

**Is this address located within the corporate limits of the Town of Carrboro?\***

Yes

Please select Yes or No.

**Is this address located within the Town's ETJ, Planning Jurisdiction, or Northern Transition Area?\***

No

**Telephone\***

8287128786

Please enter your primary contact phone number.

**Email Address\***

elyse.m.keefe@gmail.com

Enter your primary email address.

**The demographic information provided below is of interest because your elected officials want the Town's advisory boards to reflect the diversity of the Town. Diversity of the applicant pool is a priority of the Board.**

**Date of Birth\***

3/2/1987

Please enter your Month/Day/Year of Birth

**Race\***

white

Please enter your race.

**Sex\***

female

Please enter your sex.

**Occupation\***

Research Specialist

Please enter your occupation.

**Are you a registered Orange County Voter?\***

Yes

Please answer Yes or No

**Length of Residence in Orange County\***

15 years

How long have you been a resident of Orange County?

**Length of Residence in the Town of Carrboro\***

14 years

How long have you been a resident of the Town of Carrboro?

I wish to be considered for appointment to the following committee/board(s) (Select no more than two (2)).\*

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|--------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Affordable Housing Advisory Commission | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Northern Transition Area Advisory Committee    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Animal Control Board of Appeals        | <input type="checkbox"/>            | OWASA Board of Directors                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Appearance Commission/NPDC             | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Planning Board                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Arts Committee                         | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Recreation and Parks Commission                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Board of Adjustment                    | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Safe Routes to School Implementation Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Economic Sustainability Commission     | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Stormwater Advisory Commission                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Environmental Advisory Board           | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Tourism Development Authority*                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Human Services Commission              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Transportation Advisory Board                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Greenways Commission                   |                                     |  |

Please note that membership is limited to one advisory board at a time. You shall not be considered for appointment to another board unless you resign before filing an application or you are in the last six months of your current term.

**Other (advisory board not listed):**

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Please indicate by typing the advisory board that you are applying for.

**Advisory Board Preference\***

TAB

If you are applying for membership on more than one advisory board, please indicate your preference by typing your first choice. Please limit your selection to two boards).

**\*Employer/Self Employed**

innovation Research & Training

Please enter your employment information. This is a requirement for application for the Tourism Development Authority.

**Number of Years Employed\***

5 years

Enter the number of years you have been employed at the organization listed to the left.

**\* Provide examples of how you are involved in the promotion of travel and tourism in the Town of Carrboro.**

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\*\*Required only for the Tourism Development Authority Application.\*\*

**Community Activities/Organizational Memberships\***

As a Carrboro resident since 2006, I have been an active member of the community, regularly attending local events such as markets, festivals, and group bike rides. I have also been on the Cane Creek Cloggers team, a local folk dance group, since 2012 and serve on the publicity committee for the team. Previously, I have volunteered as a crisis counselor at Family Violence and Rape Crisis Services of Chatham County and as the social work coordinator at the Student Health Action Coalition.

Please enter the requested information.

**Relevant Experience:\***

My educational background includes masters degrees in social work and public health from UNC-CH. Therefore, I have extensive training and experience in group facilitation, working with diverse, underserved populations, and managing collaborative projects. Of particular relevance to the TAB, is my research expertise in both qualitative and quantitative methods. As a member of the TAB, I would be able to draw on those skills to assess problems, listen to citizen concerns with an open mind, and make informed, evidence-based recommendations to the Carrboro town council. Finally, I am fluent in Spanish—a language spoken by many town residents.

**Reasons You Wish to be Appointed\***

As a community member who regularly uses a variety of modes of transportation (bicycle, car, bus) to commute to work in south Durham, for fun, and for getting around town, I have experienced both the challenges and the positive changes in the Triangle for improving livability of the area via transportation. I am interested in shaping future planning and development related to transportation, as demographic shifts and climate change present new challenges to the community. Further, as a young mother, I believe I can bring a unique perspective and representation to the board. I am excited for the opportunity to give back to the community that has given so much to me and my family.

**Have you ever served on any Town of Carrboro Committee or Board?\***

**If yes, which one(s)?**

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No

**Are you currently serving on a Town Board or Committee?\***

Yes

No

**If yes, are you applying for a third consecutive term?\***

Yes

No

**If yes, please describe how you meet one, or more, of the following exceptions noted below. \***

n/a

After completing two full terms, a member must take off one year before applying for re-appointment to the same advisory board. However, a board member may apply to serve on another advisory board if he/she desires. The Board of Aldermen may make exceptions to this rule under the following circumstances: 1. To retain diversity on an advisory board; 2. A lack of applicants.

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**From:** noreply@civicplus.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 4, 2023 9:19 AM  
**To:** Wesley Barker; Mary Bryant  
**Subject:** Online Form Submittal: Advisory Board Chair Report (Complete One Per Applicant)

### Advisory Board Chair Report (Complete One Per Applicant)

Advisory Board Name:	Transportation Advisory Board
Chair Name	David Pcolar
Applicant First Name:	Robby
Applicant Last Name:	Plenge
1. Has the applicant previously served on this or another advisory board?	No
2. If yes, how many total years have they served?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
3. Is the applicant already serving on this advisory board and seeking reappointment to their second, full term?	No
4. Is the applicant already serving on this advisory board and completed their two full terms?	No
5. Is the applicant applying for a special or expert seat on the advisory board?	No
6. If yes, which seat?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
7. Did the applicant attend an advisory board meeting?	No
8. If applicant did not attend an advisory board meeting, did you contact them via phone or email?	Yes

9. Applicant has demonstrated a clear understanding of the time commitment, roles, and responsibilities of serving on the advisory board:

Yes

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10. If no, briefly explain:

*Field not completed.*

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11. In addition to your comments above, please check other qualities that the applicant offers that would help the Advisory Board meet its goals for community representation. Please note that candidates who do not meet any of these qualities are still eligible for appointment. Please communicate any urgent needs and priorities for Advisory Board composition to your Town Council liaison.

Occupation, Experience, or Special Skills

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If other, please explain:

*Field not completed.*

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**From:** noreply@civicplus.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, November 27, 2022 10:33 AM  
**To:** Wesley Barker; Mary Bryant  
**Subject:** Online Form Submittal: Advisory Board Application

**Follow Up Flag:** Follow up  
**Flag Status:** Flagged

### Advisory Board Application

First Name	Robby
Last Name	Plenge
Date	11/27/2022
Address1	101 Mary St
Address2	<i>Field not completed.</i>
City	Carrboro
State	NC
Zip	27510-1231
Is this address located within the corporate limits of the Town of Carrboro?	Yes
Is this address located within the Town's ETJ, Planning Jurisdiction, or Northern Transition Area?	No
Telephone (111)-111-1111	5126322989
Email Address	robbyplenge@gmail.com
The demographic information provided below is of interest because your elected officials want the Town's advisory boards to reflect the diversity of the Town. Diversity of the applicant pool is a priority of the Board.	
What Year Were You Born?	1980
Race	White

Sex	Male
Ethnicity	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Occupation	Between jobs
Are you a registered Orange County Voter?	Yes
Length of Residence in Orange County	4.5 years
Length of Residence in the Town of Carrboro	4.5 years
I wish to be considered for appointment to the following committee/board(s) (Select no more than two (2)):	Greenways Commission, Transportation Advisory Board
Advisory Board Preference	Transportation
Other (advisory board not listed):	<i>Field not completed.</i>
**Employer/Self Employed	Not currently employed
Number of Years Employed	<i>Field not completed.</i>
** Provide examples of how you are involved in the promotion of travel and tourism in the Town of Carrboro.	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Community Activities/Organizational Memberships	Not currently involved in any organizations. I'm looking to begin my community involvement right here on the transportation board. My friend Jim Baker strongly recommended that I volunteer on this board
Relevant Experience:	I began my career as a sustainable energy entrepreneur and I have advocated for sustainable transportation energy my entire life.
Reasons You Wish to be Appointed	I hope to be able to help enact some measures that will make the town safer for all people who are exposed to the hazard of cars on the roads and to make it easier for people to choose transportation options other than cars.

We believe as a Town and as a Town Council that racial equity and diversity and inclusion are important. Please tell us your thoughts about this and why they are important not only in advisory board/commission work but also in all facets of local government and community work.

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We cannot move forward without equity for all people.

Have you ever served on any Town of Carrboro Committee or Board?

No

If yes, which one(s)?

*Field not completed.*

Are you currently serving on a Town Board or Committee?

No

If yes, are you applying for a third consecutive term?

No

If yes, please describe how you meet one, or more, of the following exceptions noted below.

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**From:** noreply@civicplus.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 4, 2023 9:28 AM  
**To:** Wesley Barker; Mary Bryant  
**Subject:** Online Form Submittal: Advisory Board Chair Report (Complete One Per Applicant)

### Advisory Board Chair Report (Complete One Per Applicant)

Advisory Board Name:	Transportation Advisory Board
Chair Name	David Pcolar
Applicant First Name:	Nicholas
Applicant Last Name:	Sailer
1. Has the applicant previously served on this or another advisory board?	No
2. If yes, how many total years have they served?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
3. Is the applicant already serving on this advisory board and seeking reappointment to their second, full term?	No
4. Is the applicant already serving on this advisory board and completed their two full terms?	No
5. Is the applicant applying for a special or expert seat on the advisory board?	No
6. If yes, which seat?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
7. Did the applicant attend an advisory board meeting?	No
8. If applicant did not attend an advisory board meeting, did you contact them via phone or email?	Yes

9. Applicant has demonstrated a clear understanding of the time commitment, roles, and responsibilities of serving on the advisory board:	Yes
10. If no, briefly explain:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
11. In addition to your comments above, please check other qualities that the applicant offers that would help the Advisory Board meet its goals for community representation. Please note that candidates who do not meet any of these qualities are still eligible for appointment. Please communicate any urgent needs and priorities for Advisory Board composition to your Town Council liaison.	Other
If other, please explain:	Pedestrian and cyclist, no motorized vehicle by choice.

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**From:** noreply@civicplus.com  
**Sent:** Monday, January 30, 2023 4:22 PM  
**To:** Wesley Barker; Mary Bryant  
**Subject:** Online Form Submittal: Advisory Board Application

### Advisory Board Application

First Name	Nicholas
Last Name	Sailer
Date	1/30/2023
Address1	108 Laurel Avenue
Address2	<i>Field not completed.</i>
City	Carrboro
State	NC
Zip	27510
Is this address located within the corporate limits of the Town of Carrboro?	Yes
Is this address located within the Town's ETJ, Planning Jurisdiction, or Northern Transition Area?	No
Telephone (111)-111-1111	3368176622
Email Address	nvsailer@gmail.com
The demographic information provided below is of interest because your elected officials want the Town's advisory boards to reflect the diversity of the Town. Diversity of the applicant pool is a priority of the Board.	
What Year Were You Born?	1990
Race	White
Sex	Male
Ethnicity	White

Occupation	Video Producer
Are you a registered Orange County Voter?	No
Length of Residence in Orange County	4 months
Length of Residence in the Town of Carrboro	4 months
I wish to be considered for appointment to the following committee/board(s) (Select no more than two (2)):	Transportation Advisory Board
Advisory Board Preference	Transportation Advisory Board
Other (advisory board not listed):	<i>Field not completed.</i>
**Employer/Self Employed	Self Employed
Number of Years Employed	7
** Provide examples of how you are involved in the promotion of travel and tourism in the Town of Carrboro.	I seek to advocate for local pedestrian & cyclist transportation in the Town of Carrboro.
Community Activities/Organizational Memberships	None.
Relevant Experience:	I was an active resident of downtown Raleigh for the past 8 years. While living there, I did not own a car and depended upon the local pedestrian and cyclist transportation means available to the city. Having just moved to Carrboro, I wish to be an advocate for robust pedestrian and cyclist transportation means, especially given the fact that Carrboro has a huge advantage in this arena due to its size and walkability.
Reasons You Wish to be Appointed	Carrboro has massive potential to create an advantage by emphasizing residents' ability to walk and bike in the town. I hope to be an advocate for the strong potential of this town and help advocate for and create more sidewalks, pathways, bike lanes, and other massively accessible, inexpensive, local and practical means of transportation in our town.

We believe as a Town and as a Town Council that racial equity and diversity and inclusion are important. Please tell us your thoughts about this and why they are important not only in advisory board/commission work but also in all facets of local government and community work.

Racial justice, racial equity, diversity, and inclusion are important issues in every town, and small towns of North Carolina have historically often failed to realize, acknowledge, or pursue this. I'm committed to advocating for racial justice, racial equity, diversity, and inclusion, especially in decision making. When it comes to transportation, many transportation opportunities prioritize middle to upper class transportation needs (such as cars and parking lots) rather than affordable means such as pedestrian and bus access. It's vitally important that decisions affecting transportation and town planning include, acknowledge, affirm, and take into account the experiences of minorities and other groups that have historically been silenced or overlooked. I look forward to the chance to advocate for racial equity, diversity, and inclusion.

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Have you ever served on any Town of Carrboro Committee or Board?

No

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If yes, which one(s)?

*Field not completed.*

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Are you currently serving on a Town Board or Committee?

No

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If yes, are you applying for a third consecutive term?

No

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If yes, please describe how you meet one, or more, of the following exceptions noted below.

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**From:** noreply@civicplus.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 4, 2023 9:31 AM  
**To:** Wesley Barker; Mary Bryant  
**Subject:** Online Form Submittal: Advisory Board Chair Report (Complete One Per Applicant)

### Advisory Board Chair Report (Complete One Per Applicant)

Advisory Board Name:	Transportation Advisory Board
Chair Name	David Pcolar
Applicant First Name:	Davis
Applicant Last Name:	Salvesen
1. Has the applicant previously served on this or another advisory board?	No
2. If yes, how many total years have they served?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
3. Is the applicant already serving on this advisory board and seeking reappointment to their second, full term?	No
4. Is the applicant already serving on this advisory board and completed their two full terms?	No
5. Is the applicant applying for a special or expert seat on the advisory board?	No
6. If yes, which seat?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
7. Did the applicant attend an advisory board meeting?	No
8. If applicant did not attend an advisory board meeting, did you contact them via phone or email?	Yes

9. Applicant has demonstrated a clear understanding of the time commitment, roles, and responsibilities of serving on the advisory board:	Yes
10. If no, briefly explain:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
11. In addition to your comments above, please check other qualities that the applicant offers that would help the Advisory Board meet its goals for community representation. Please note that candidates who do not meet any of these qualities are still eligible for appointment. Please communicate any urgent needs and priorities for Advisory Board composition to your Town Council liaison.	Occupation, Experience, or Special Skills, Other
If other, please explain:	Applicant has taught courses at UNC and at Duke in land use and city planning; worked at the Institute for the Environment at UNC for over 10 years and before that at the Center for Urban and Regional Studies.

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## Wesley Barker

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**From:** noreply@civicplus.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 19, 2023 9:32 AM  
**To:** Wesley Barker; Mary Bryant  
**Subject:** Online Form Submittal: Advisory Board Application

### Advisory Board Application

First Name	David
Last Name	Salvesen
Date	1/19/2023
Address1	1805 Pathway Drive
Address2	<i>Field not completed.</i>
City	Carrboro
State	NC
Zip	27510
Is this address located within the corporate limits of the Town of Carrboro?	Yes
Is this address located within the Town's ETJ, Planning Jurisdiction, or Northern Transition Area?	No
Telephone (111)-111-1111	9196128837
Email Address	dasalvesen@gmail.com
<p>The demographic information provided below is of interest because your elected officials want the Town's advisory boards to reflect the diversity of the Town. Diversity of the applicant pool is a priority of the Board.</p>	
What Year Were You Born?	1957
Race	White
Sex	M
Ethnicity	<i>Field not completed.</i>

Occupation	Retired
Are you a registered Orange County Voter?	Yes
Length of Residence in Orange County	26 years
Length of Residence in the Town of Carrboro	25 years
I wish to be considered for appointment to the following committee/board(s) (Select no more than two (2)):	Planning Board, Transportation Advisory Board
Advisory Board Preference	Planning Board
Other (advisory board not listed):	<i>Field not completed.</i>
**Employer/Self Employed	Retired
Number of Years Employed	<i>Field not completed.</i>
** Provide examples of how you are involved in the promotion of travel and tourism in the Town of Carrboro.	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Community Activities/Organizational Memberships	I volunteer as a driver at TABLE to deliver food to those in need
Relevant Experience:	I have taught courses at UNC and at Duke in land use and city planning. I worked at the Institute for the Environment at UNC for over 10 years and before that at the Center for Urban and Regional Studies, where I conducted research on issues such as community resiliency to natural disasters and economic development. I also taught courses on sustainable cities and led two study abroad courses focusing on how to make cities more sustainable. Currently, I teach a graduate course on Land Use Policy at Duke University's Nicholas School for the Environment.
Reasons You Wish to be Appointed	I've lived in Carrboro for 25 years and have seen the town grow and change since then, mostly for the better. I love Carrboro but believe there's room for improvement. I'd like to think that what I have learned teaching and researching at UNC, and

working with communities all across the state, might be relevant to address some of the issues facing Carrboro today and in the future. Also, now that I'm semi-retired, I have the time to serve on an advisory board.

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We believe as a Town and as a Town Council that racial equity and diversity and inclusion are important. Please tell us your thoughts about this and why they are important not only in advisory board/commission work but also in all facets of local government and community work.

Carrboro. is a community of people who differ in many ways, but whose voices, needs and aspirations are important and should be given a voice in decisions that affect them. It's important to engage those who may feel marginalized and who might otherwise not be heard. Advisory committees can influence policy decisions, so it's important for all to feel that they have been heard, regardless of race, gender or abilities.

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Have you ever served on any Town of Carrboro Committee or Board?

No

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If yes, which one(s)?

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Are you currently serving on a Town Board or Committee?

No

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If yes, are you applying for a third consecutive term?

No

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If yes, please describe how you meet one, or more, of the following exceptions noted below.

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