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## CLARKSTON POLICE COMMUNITY TASK FORCE APPLICATION- Individual Members

Thank you for your interest in the Clarkston Police Community Task Force

**This application is for Individual Member Applicants ONLY**

**PURPOSE:** The City Council hereby creates a Police Community Task Force (the “Task Force”). The purpose of the Task Force is to inform Council about the status of police and community relations within the City, and to study and make recommendations related to police operations especially in terms of training, transparency, and oversight. The purpose of the Task Force is not to examine or review or make recommendations on a specific incident.

**MISSION:** The initial charge of the Task Force will be the evaluation, discussion and development of recommendations to improve effective and transparent communication between CPD and the community, including recommendations for police training, and police practices and procedures. The Task Force may recommend additional areas to study. City Council may modify, amend, expand, or change the specific charge of the Task Force by resolution so long as the modification, amendment, expansion or change does not assign the review of a specific incident to this Task Force.

**MEMBERSHIP:** Membership: The Task Force shall consist of no less than nine (9) voting members and no more than fifteen (15) voting members, which shall include one (1) Chairperson who can be an **organization representative** or **individual member**. All Task Force members shall be volunteers and shall participate without compensation.

**Individual Representation:** The Task Force should also consist of individuals who are residents but not limited to the City of Clarkston and, to the extent possible, meet the following criteria:

- Individuals with direct experience in the criminal justice system.
- A lawyer with prosecutorial experience
- A lawyer with current or recent criminal defense experience
- Individuals with diversity and inclusion experience.
- Individuals who work with or volunteer with community service providers that traditionally work with individuals involved in the criminal justice system.
- Individuals of diverse backgrounds and varying ages.

### **APPLICATION SUBMISSION:**

To apply, Please complete the on-line Application by April 2, 2021. Contact Tracy Ashby, [tashby@cityofclarkston.com](mailto:tashby@cityofclarkston.com) to receive the Application by mail or email.

For more information, contact Tracy Ashby, [tashby@cityofclarkston.com](mailto:tashby@cityofclarkston.com)



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**Individual Members ONLY**

FIRST NAME	
LAST NAME	
ARE YOU A RESIDENT OF CLARKSTON?	YES                  NO
ADDRESS	
CITY	
ZIP	
EMAIL	
PHONE	
Are you able to serve one year on the Task Force	YES                  NO
Check all that apply.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Individuals with direct experience in the criminal justice system.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> A lawyer with prosecutorial experience</li> <li><input type="radio"/> A lawyer with current or recent criminal defense experience</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Individuals with diversity and inclusion experience.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Individuals who work with or volunteer with community service providers that traditionally work with individuals involved in the criminal justice system.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Individuals of diverse backgrounds</li> </ul>
Are you willing to attend regular meetings and training (time to be determined by Chair/ members of the Task Force)?	YES                  NO

Why are you interested in joining the Police Community Task Force?	
What skills or interests do you bring to the Police Community Task Force?	

**\*\*Please attach your resume with this application.\*\***

I understand that I am applying for appointment to a Commission office for the City of Clarkston; that the appointing authority may require an interview prior to consideration for appointment; that if appointed, I will be required to uphold the City's charter and ordinances; that I may be removed from office for any reason permitted by law or City charter. I agree to comply at all times with all requirements of the office for which I am applying and to which I may be appointed. All statements and information provided in this application are true to the best of my knowledge.

**Applicant's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_