



## Town Advisory Board (TAB)/ Citizens Advisory Council (CAC) Application

Name of the TAB/CAC Applying for: Winchester

TABs and CACs were created to assist the Board of County Commissioners in an advisory capacity with the decision-making process in the governance of the unincorporated towns and areas of Clark County. There are 8 TABs and 6 CACs that are appointed by the County Commission and 5 TABs that are elected. Each TAB or CAC consists of area residents that serve without compensation for two-year terms and attend regularly scheduled public meetings throughout the year.

Full Name: Cristhian Barneond Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: 1924 Vegas Valley Drive Las Vegas, NV 89169

Mailing Address: Same as above.

Employer: Paris Las Vegas Occupation: Cook

*Note: This document and accompanying materials become public record once received by Clark County.*

- To be eligible to serve, you must be both a qualified elector (eligible to vote) and a resident of the unincorporated town or area encompassed by the TAB or CAC. Before you continue, please indicate if you meet the eligibility requirements: Yes ☒ No ☐

- Meeting days, times, and frequency vary from one TAB/CAC to another. The schedules are listed here: [https://www.clarkcountynv.gov/government/departments/administrative\\_services/town\\_liaison\\_services/tab\\_cac\\_information.php](https://www.clarkcountynv.gov/government/departments/administrative_services/town_liaison_services/tab_cac_information.php)

If appointed, will you be able to attend meetings on a regular basis? Yes ☒ No ☐

- Have you attended a Planning Commission or County Commission meeting? Yes ☒ No ☐

- Have you attached the REQUIRED resume or letter of interest? Yes ☒ No ☐

Last Revised on 8/2/2022



Resume

For the following questions, please feel free to attach additional pages as necessary.

Have you attended a TAB or CAC meeting in Clark County? Yes ☒ No ☐

If so, which one and what was your experience?

I attended a recent meeting of the Winchester Town Advisory Board on August 8th. I have attended other meetings of this board in the past as well. I enjoyed hearing about projects that are moving forward in my neighborhood as well as witnessing the process by which the advisory board receives public input. That being said I would like there to be more public interest in attending these meetings.

Please list any boards or committees that you currently serve on:

I do not serve on any public boards or committees but I am a shop steward and member of the negotiating committee with my union, Culinary Workers Union Local 226.

Why are you interested in becoming a member of your TAB or CAC?

I have lived in the Winchester neighborhood for 5 years and own a home with my wife. I care deeply about my community and am very active in my union. As a result of my union experience I feel that I would be a beneficial addition to the Town Advisory Board. I think that while Las Vegas still faces many challenges, especially in housing, I think the community is improving in a lot of ways. I want to help the community continue to improve and continue to grow, but I want to make sure that while Vegas grows it is protecting the people who live here now. So many communities have grown in a way that makes it unaffordable for residents to stay and we need to keep Winchester affordable so that families are not forced to move. I am passionate about local government and want to work to help others become passionate and get more involved the way I have.

I verify by my signature below that all statements made on this application, as well as attached information, are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that an electronic signature has the same weight and effect as a handwritten signature. I understand that an incomplete application or any modifications to this application will not be accepted or considered.

Cristhian Barneond

Cristhian Barneond (Aug 16, 2023 15:48 PDT)

Aug 16, 2023

Signature

Date

You can submit your application and resume/letter of interest by fax to 702-455-3558, by email to [AdministrativeServices@ClarkCountyNV.gov](mailto:AdministrativeServices@ClarkCountyNV.gov) or by mail to: Clark County Administrative Services  
Attn: Agenda Coordinator  
500 S. Grand Central Pkwy, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Las Vegas, NV 89155

## **CRISTHIAN BARNEOND**

### **RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### *Volunteer*

*March 2023 - Current*

##### **Culinary Union, Grievance Department**

- Communicated regularly with Culinary Union members, providing updates on the progress of their grievances and offering guidance as a dedicated shop steward. Listened to their questions and concerns, providing support, and educating workers about their contract rights.
- Maintained detailed records of all member interactions, taking thorough notes during conversations. Effectively communicated relevant information to the Grievance Specialist, ensuring accurate documentation.
- Alongside Grievance staff, represented workers during on-site meetings at casinos, engaging in face-to-face discussions with company representatives to address member grievances. Advocated for worker's rights and worked towards fair resolutions in a professional manner.
- As a dedicated shop steward, actively advocating for workers at my casino, addressing their daily concerns and challenges with the company. Acted as a mediator, facilitating constructive dialogue and working diligently to find effective solutions for each problem.

#### *Cook helper*

*July 2022 - Current*

##### **Martha Stewart's The Bedford, Paris Casino – Las Vegas, Nevada**

- Supported the kitchen staff in various food preparation tasks, including chopping, peeling, and marinating ingredients, to facilitate timely and accurate meal service.
- Assisted chefs and line cooks in prepping ingredients, such as chopping vegetables, measuring spices, and marinating meats, ensuring efficient meal production.
- Collaborated with fellow kitchen staff to ensure timely and accurate preparation of dishes, promoting teamwork and efficiency.
- Followed recipes and instructions provided by the culinary team, ensuring consistency in flavors, portion sizes, and presentation.

#### *Judge*

*December 2022 - Current*

##### **Winchester Dondero Cultural Center**

- Selected by Clark County Commissioner Tick Segerblom as a judge for a mural project at the Winchester Dondero Cultural Center, scheduled to be revealed in 2023.
- Conducted interviews with local artists in the Las Vegas community, inquiring about their artistic process, areas of expertise, and their proposed ideas for the mural.
- Collaborated with fellow judges to evaluate and select the artist who demonstrated the strongest understanding and ability to execute an inclusive vision for the mural, ensuring it authentically represents our neighborhood and community.

#### *Political leave-of-absence*

*September 2022 – November 2022*

##### **Culinary Union, Political Department**

- Collaborated closely with my lead to develop a streamlined phone system and implement a well-organized process for contacting Culinary Union members during the 2022 Midterm Elections.
- Successfully engaged members in exercising their voting rights, effectively contributing to the democratic process.
- Demonstrated exceptional dedication by investing extensive hours to ensure that every vote was accurately counted and accounted for, leaving no stone unturned in the pursuit of a fair and inclusive election.
- Actively participated in canvassing efforts across Las Vegas neighborhoods, specifically targeting hospitality workers. Engaged in persuasive conversations, encouraging and empowering them to exercise their right to vote, thus amplifying the collective voice of the community.

*Pastry cook*

*November 2021 – July 2022*

**Wynn Casino – Las Vegas**

- Assisted in the preparation and production of a variety of baked goods, including bread, pastries, and desserts, following established company recipes and techniques.
- Ensured efficient operations of the bakery by performing tasks such as ingredient scaling, mixing, and baking.
- Collaborated with the pastry team to meet production schedules and fulfill customer orders, demonstrating a strong sense of teamwork and reliability.
- Operated bakery equipment, including mixers, ovens, sheeters, and scales, ensuring proper usage, and cleaning.
- Received positive feedback from supervisors and team members for strong work ethic, attention to detail, and dedication to producing high-quality bakery items.

*Internal leave-of-absence*

*March 2020 - November 2020*

**Culinary Union, Internal organizing department**

- Assisted thousands of laid-off workers during the pandemic by making numerous phone calls to help them with filing for unemployment benefits. Provided comfort and support to distressed workers while actively participating in remote organizing efforts during shelter-in-place measures.
- Supported worker protection efforts upon the reopening of casinos by accompanying Organizers inside Employee Dining Rooms (EDRs). Advocated for personal protective equipment (PPE) to ensure worker safety and played a role in the successful passage of SB4 Adolfo Fernandez Bill and SB386 Right to Return.
- Attended rallies at the Clark County Commission and participated in car caravans to support SB386, enabling workers to have the opportunity to return to their jobs as the economy and casinos reopened.

*Customer leave-of-absence*

*July 2019 – March 2020*

**Culinary Union, Customer outreach team**

- Proactively contacted corporations' board of directors through phone calls, urging them to support workers who were organizing to improve their job conditions by forming a union.
- Implemented effective strategies, such as distributing leaflets in front of targeted locations, to exert public pressure on companies that did not support hospitality workers.
- Raised awareness among customers and the public about the company's treatment of its employees.
- Persuaded customers and staff to take their business to companies that treated workers with respect and dignity.
- Demonstrated strong communication skills and the ability to engage in meaningful conversations, effectively advocating for workers' rights, and promoting support for organizations that treat workers with respect and dignity.

*Cook*

*August 2018 – November 2021*

**Overlook Grill, Cosmopolitan Casino – Las Vegas, Nevada**

- Maintained a clean and sanitary work environment in accordance with SNHD guidelines.
- Maintained an understanding of the food regulations with the ability to recite upon request.
- Worked a station independently and efficiently with little or no assistance during regular business volumes.
- Maintained quality standards set forth by management and reported any inconsistencies as necessary.
- Prepared, seasoned, finished, and garnished designated recipes in accordance with established guidelines.

*Cook*

*February 2018 – August 2018*

**Pool, Mirage Casino – Las Vegas, Nevada**

- Maintained solid knowledge and attention to detail with plate presentation.
- Responsible for multiple workstations, preparation, seasoning, finishing, and garnishing.
- Prepared base sauces, stocks, and soups while maintaining quality and health standards.
- Knowledge of knives and knife skills, standard kitchen equipment, supplies, toasters, refrigerators, coolers, slicers, beverage machines, Cryovac machine, and smallwares.

**SKILLS AND TRAINING:**

Fully bilingual in English and Spanish. Baker's Helper training from Culinary Academy of Las Vegas. Proficient in Microsoft Word and Excel. Proficient in Google Suite including GMAIL, Docs, and Calendar.