

Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees, and Commissions City and Borough of Sitka

Board/Commission/Committee: Planning & Loning	Commission		
Name: Tamie (Harlins) Parker Song	Daytime Phone: 907.623.7687		
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Email Address: tamie parter song @ amail.com	Fax Number:		
Length of Residence in Sitka: Almost 2 years	Registered to vote in Sitka? YesNo		
Employer: Blue Plum Editing (self-employed)			
Organizations you belong to or participate in: Sitka Health Summit Coalition, Island Inst	itute, Sitka Cirque		
Explain your main reason for applying: I want to continue my work on the Planning attempt to be meaningfully engaged in civic	Commission, which work I see as an life in Sitta.		
What background, experience or credentials will you bring to the I have 5 months experience with this particul in the attached letter	board, commission, or committee membership?		
Please disclose any potential conflicts of interest that may arise f not limited to: • A substantial financial interest of \$1000 annually that confidence in the scope of the	uld be influenced by your appointment.		
Please attach a letter of interest, outline, or resume which include that will enhance your membership.	es your education, work, and volunteer experience		
(To be considered, your application must be complete <u>AND</u> be according	npanied by one of the above supporting documents.)		
Date: April 13, 2016 Signature: 4	•		
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Please note: all information submitted will be made public and published online. Appointments are normally made during open session of an Assembly meeting, however, Assembly members may vote to discuss applicant(s) in closed executive session. In this case, do you wish to be present when your application is discussed? ____Yes ____ No

Return to:

Melissa Henshaw, Deputy Clerk/Records Specialist, 100 Lincoln Street Fax: 907-747-7403 Email: melissa.henshaw@cityofsitka.org

Tamie Parker Song

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Education

University of Southern Maine MFA, Creative Nonfiction Writing Portland, ME

2012

Trinity Western University

Langley, British Columbia, Canada

2002

BA, Philosophy and English Literature

Dean's List

Experience

Blue Plum Editing Sitka, Alaska Nov 2014-Present

Freelance Editor

Own and operate a freelance academic editing company focused on social justice

Ariel Parkinson

Berkeley, California

Sept 2012-Sept 2014

House Manager & Live-in Caretaker

- Managed all aspects of household of multiple employees
- Attended to all daily, short-term, and long-term needs of a patient with dementia

College of Alameda

Alameda, California

June 2013-June 2014

Adjunct English Instructor

- · Taught Critical Thinking in the English Department
- Taught three different versions of the class (6-week, 8-week, semester-long)

National Parks Revealed

Berkeley, California

May 2012-May 2013

Operations Manager

Assisted in tour operations for private tours in the National Parks.

Wrote extensive web copy for the company website

Cirque: Journal of the Pacific Rim

San Francisco, California

Autumn 2012

Associate Editor

Reviewed and selected manuscripts for publication

826 Valencia

San Francisco, California

June 2012-Dec. 2012

Writing Tutor

- Tutored high school students on writing personal essays and college entrance essays
- Assisted middle school students with writing articles for their school magazine

Kosciusko County Jail

Warsaw, Indiana

June 2009 - June 2010

Literacy Teacher

Taught poetry, story-telling, and essay-writing to one class of incarcerated men and one class of incarcerated women each week

Giverny Fitness Studio

Winona Lake, Indiana

Jan 2010 -

June 2010 Yoga Teacher

· Taught two engaging and dynamic weekly yoga classes

Sept 2008 - Mar 2009 Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Flagstaff, Flagstaff, Arizona **Director of Religious Education**

- Oversaw and helped design curriculum for grade school age children at church
- · Met monthly with and taught new volunteers

Encouraged and assisted in creating community among families in the church

Episcopal Diocese of Arizona Chaplain

Flagstaff, Arizona

Aug 2004 - Aug 2008

- Cared for the spiritual, emotional, and communal needs of college students at the Episcopal Fellowship at Northern Arizona University
- Planned and led weekly services and retreats
- Counseled students one-on-one
- Managed an annual budget of \$30,000
- Communicated with local, regional, provincial, and national campus organizations

Founder and Leader of Integration

Flagstaff, Arizona

Jan 2004-Sept 2008

- Directed conversation group on the topic of integrating beliefs and actions
- Co-created a pact, signed by community members, that included limiting driving, promoting nonviolence, actively resisting racism and sexism, and acting with hope.

Sumas, Washington

May 2002-May 2003

Freelance Editor

Edited a memoir and a doctoral dissertation

Trinity Western University Writing Center, Langley, British Columbia *May* 2002

Aug 2000 -

Writing Coach

- Critiqued and edited other students with their academic papers
- Helped ESL students gain proficiency

Publications

Editor. The Guilty's Innocence (Anthology of inmates' writings at the Kosciusko County Jail), Winter 2009.

Assorted Photographs. Spiritus: A Journal of Christian Spirituality (Johns Hopkins University Press), Spring 2007; Spring 2005; Spring 2004.

"Jumpers," The Libera (Independent Journal at Trinity Western University), 2000.

[&]quot;Manhandled," New Ohio Review. September 2015

[&]quot;Sleep," Emrys Journal. May 2015.

[&]quot;David the Green Dragon Goes to the Opera," Literal Latte. March 2015

[&]quot;Picking Raspberries," Baltimore Review, October 2014

[&]quot;We Thought We Needed a Boat," "The Crossing," Connotations. September 2014

[&]quot;Hook and Sway," terrain.org. March 2013.

[&]quot;Silvers," Cirque Journal. December 2012.

[&]quot;Raven." Stonecoast Lines. Summer 2012.



PLANNING COMMISSION

NAME	CONTACT NUMBERS	TERM	EVDIDEO	CATECORY
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PO Box 1121				
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Planning and Community Development Director	maegan.bosak@cityofsitka.org			
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Revised: February 22, 2016

5 members from public, 3-year terms
Established by Ordinance 74-118/SGC2.18 & Charter Article VIII
Must be registered to vote
First and Third Tuesdays 7:00 p.m. – Sealing Cove Business Center

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