



Venice, Florida
"City on the Gulf"

BOARD APPLICATION
(Please type or print clearly)

BOARD Municipal Code Enforcement Board DATE: 03/05/2010
NAME: JUDITH ANNE KEELER HOME PH: 941-375-8018

ADDRESS: 440 PALMETO G., #3, VENICE ZIP CODE: 34285

CITY RESIDENT: Yes No EMAIL ADDRESS: 440jk@comcast.net

HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED IN VENICE? 4 YR.

DO YOU OWN PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY OF VENICE? Yes No

IF YES, ADDRESS: 440 PALMETO G., #3

OCCUPATION: RETIRED

NAME OF BUSINESS: -

BUSINESS ADDRESS: - BUSINESS PH: -

ARE YOU CURRENTLY HOLDING AN ELECTED OR APPOINTED OFFICE FOR ANY GOVERNMENT AGENCY (INCLUDING CITY OF VENICE BOARDS)? Yes No

IF YES, PLEASE LIST: _____

RESUME OF EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE: B.A., UNIV. OF FLORIDA; J.D., EMORY UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW; U.S. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION; PRIVATE PRACTICE OF LAW (CALIF.) U.S. DEPT. HUD (SEE ATTACHED)

MEMBER OF THE FOLLOWING CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS: Am. Assoc. Univ. Women, VENICE CHAPTER; So. County Advisory Council, ALL FAITHS FOOD BANK; SERTOMA CLUB OF VENICE

WHY DO YOU DESIRE TO SERVE ON THE ABOVE BOARD? I HAVE AN EXTENSIVE BACKGROUND IN HOUSING AND HUD FUNDED PROGRAMS. MY COMMITMENT TO PROVIDING SAFE, DECENT, SANITARY HOUSING TO ALL AMERICANS HAS TRANSCENDED MY FORMER CAREER AND I WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE CITY/HOUSING AUTHORITY PARTNERSHIP IN REALIZING THAT DREAM FOR RESIDENTS OF THIS, MY NEW COMMUNITY.

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OR PLED "NO CONTEST" TO A FELONY OR MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE?

Yes No

IF CONVICTED OF A FELONY, HAVE YOUR CIVIL RIGHTS BEEN RESTORED: Yes No
GIVE DETAILS: _____

I UNDERSTAND THAT IF APPOINTED, I WILL SERVE ON THE ABOVE BOARD WITHOUT COMPENSATION AND AT THE PLEASURE OF THE CITY COUNCIL.


APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

PLEASE NOTE:

MEMBERSHIP ON THE FOLLOWING BOARDS REQUIRE THAT AN ANNUAL FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE FORM BE FILED ON OR BEFORE JULY 1ST OF EACH YEAR: ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD; FIRE PENSION BOARD; MUNICIPAL CODE ENFORCEMENT BOARD; PLANNING COMMISSION; POLICE PENSION BOARD; AND VENICE HOUSING AUTHORITY.

APPLICANTS OF BOARD APPOINTMENTS ARE REMINDED OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE FLORIDA STATUTES AS APPLICABLE TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. ALL BOARD APPLICATIONS ARE KEPT ON FILE AND ARE REVIEWED AS VACANCIES OCCUR. UPDATED INFORMATION MAY BE REQUESTED AT THAT TIME.

DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE, PHONE NO. 486-2626, EXTENSION NO. 23003.

City of Venice Housing Authority Board Application Summary of Related Work Experience

In September 2007 I retired as the Director of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity for Region X of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, a position I had held since October 1994. I was responsible for enforcing the Fair Housing Act in the Pacific Northwest as well as ensuring that all HUD funded recipients in the region complied with the civil rights requirements of Title VI, Section 504, and the implementing HUD regulations. This responsibility included compliance reviews of public housing authorities, and education and outreach to those authorities and other HUD recipients.

Prior to assuming that position, I had served in HUD's Headquarters Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity (FHEO) as the Director of the Office of Program Compliance and Disability Rights, and in various management positions within FHEO Headquarters' Office of Enforcement. In those positions, I served as the Chair of the Model Codes Project, which examined the model building codes used by state and local governments for their consistency with the accessibility requirements of the Fair Housing Act. I assisted in developing and drafting fair housing policies under Title VI and Section 504, and enforcement handbooks and training material for the Fair Housing Act.

I have also served as an attorney and manager in the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, where I was a member of the Senior Executive Service.