

## OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**\*Five (5) vacancies with terms to 12-31-2019, 12-31-20 and 12-31-21, representing the following categories: 2 - General Public, 2 - Oil Industry and 1 - Alternate (General Public). (The board has a policy of requesting the appointment of the Alternate member to fill a vacant position and a new person to fill an Alternate position.) (Mayoral appointment subject to confirmation by Council).**

### Composition

Eight (8) persons who are residents of Corpus Christi: three (3) members from the oil and gas well industry; three (3) members from the general public who are not connected with the oil and gas well industry; and two (2) alternates: one (1) from the general public to serve in the absence of a public member, and one (1) from industry to serve whenever an industry member is absent. Public members shall be appointed by the Mayor with approval of the Council; industry members shall be appointed by the Mayor with approval of the Council from those persons nominated by the oil and gas well industry. Not later than one month after occurrence of a vacancy in the position of such a member, any lessee may nominate one person from his or its own organization for the position of industry member of the committee. Such members of the committee shall be appointed from such nominees. In making such appointments, the mayor shall give due consideration to the extent of interest owned by each lessee making a nomination. In the event that no such nomination is submitted or, in the event no person so nominated is appointed and approved, the mayor shall appoint any person he/she deems suitable with the approval of the council to fill the position of industry member on the committee. Members are appointed for three-year terms ending December 31, and may succeed themselves. Meetings are called by the Chairman or any three (3) members of the Committee within specified time limits. Four members constitute a quorum. The committee annually elects its own Chairman and Vice-Chairman. Members receive no compensation for their services.

| Name                | Term | Appt. date | End date   | Appointing Authority            | Position       | Status                          | Category            | Attendance          |
|---------------------|------|------------|------------|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| *Gary Meurer        | 2    | 4/12/2011  | 12/31/2017 | Mayor with Council Confirmation | Term Completed | Met six year service limitation | General Public      |                     |
| *John W Newman      | 1    | 12/8/2015  | 12/31/2017 | Mayor with Council Confirmation | Active         | Seeking reappointment           | Oil Industry        | No meetings in 2018 |
| *Eucharía Igwe      | 1    | 9/27/2016  | 12/31/2018 | Mayor with Council Confirmation | Active         | Seeking reappointment           | Alt, General Public | No meetings in 2018 |
| *Patrick McCullough | 2    | 7/20/2010  | 12/31/2018 | Mayor with Council Confirmation | Term Completed | Met six year service limitation | Oil Industry        |                     |
| *Elizabeth Perez    | 2    | 12/8/2015  | 12/31/2019 | Mayor with Council Confirmation | Resigned       | Resigned                        | General Public      |                     |
| Armando Mendez      | 2    | 12/8/2015  | 12/31/2019 | Mayor with Council Confirmation | Active         |                                 | Alt., Oil Industry  |                     |
| William Moffitt     | 2    | 7/17/2012  | 12/31/2019 | Mayor with Council Confirmation | Active         |                                 | Oil Industry        |                     |
| Randy Schnettler    | 2    | 7/17/2012  | 12/31/2019 | Mayor with Council Confirmation | Active         |                                 | General Public      |                     |

## OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### Applications

| Name              | District   | Category  |
|-------------------|------------|---|
| Margareta Fratila | District 3 | General Public                                  |
| Craig C Hebner    | District 1 | General Public                                  |
| Alex R Ortiz      | District 4 | General Public                                  |
| Bradley Strayer   | District 2 | General Public                                  |
| Mimosa Thomas     | District 2 | Not Connected with Oil and Gas<br>Well Industry |

**Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation**

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**Profile**

Margareta

First Name

Fratila

Last Name

  
Email Address

3606 TRIPOLI DR.

Street Address

CORPUS CHRISTI

City

TX

State

78415

Postal Code

**What district do you live in? \***☒ District 3**Current resident of the city?**☒ Yes ☐ No

36

If yes, how many years?

Home: (361) 851-9418

Primary Phone

Home: (361) 739-3029

Alternate Phone

EUROPEAN FLORAL DESIGNS

Employer

OWNER

Job Title

3230 REID DR. #F

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

CORPUS CHRISTI

Work Address - City

TX

Work Address - State

78404

Work Address - Zip Code

361-852-0471

Work Phone

  
Work E-mail address

## Preferred Mailing Address

☒ Home/Primary Address

## Which Boards would you like to apply for?

AIRPORT BOARD: Submitted  
COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: Submitted  
CORPUS CHRISTI CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU: Submitted  
CORPUS CHRISTI DOWNTOWN MANAGEMENT DISTRICT: Submitted  
CORPUS CHRISTI REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY: Submitted  
CRIME CONTROL & PREVENTION DISTRICT: Submitted  
ETHICS COMMISSION: Submitted  
HOUSING AUTHORITY: Submitted  
MUSEUM OF SCIENCE AND HISTORY ADVISORY BOARD: Submitted  
NUECES COUNTY TAX APPRAISAL DISTRICT: Submitted  
OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Submitted  
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Submitted  
ISLAND STRATEGIC ACTION COMMITTEE: Submitted  
AIRPORT ZONING COMMISSION: Submitted

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## Interests & Experiences

**Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:**

NO

## Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

SEE ATTACHED RESUME

## Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

[Upload a Resume](#)

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## Demographics

### Gender

☒ Female

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## Code of Ethics - Rules of Conduct/Conflicts of Interest

**Do you represent any person or organization in any claim or lawsuit or proceeding involving the City?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

**Do you, your spouse, your business or your spouse's business have a City contract?**

☐ Yes ☒ No

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### **Board-specific questions (if applicable)**

Question applies to CORPUS CHRISTI CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU

**The Convention & Visitors Bureau Board must include representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? \***

☒ None of the above

Question applies to CORPUS CHRISTI REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

**Are you a qualified voter\* residing in the Authority? (Note: Authority includes the following services areas: Nueces County and the municipalities, Bishop, Corpus Christi, Driscoll, Gregory, Banquete, Agua Dulce, San Patricio, Port Aransas and Robstown)**

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to CORPUS CHRISTI REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

**Are you transportation disadvantaged meaning elderly, persons with disabilities or low-income individuals?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to ISLAND STRATEGIC ACTION COMMITTEE

**ISAC must include representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? \***

☒ Residential Property Owner (Who owns property and resides on Mustang or Padre Island)

Question applies to MUSEUM OF SCIENCE AND HISTORY ADVISORY BOARD

**The Museum of Science & History Advisory Board must include representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? \***

- ☒ K - 12 Education
- ☒ Higher Education
- ☒ Business Community
- ☒ Community Advocate

Question applies to NUECES COUNTY TAX APPRAISAL DISTRICT

**(For NCAD) Are you a resident and qualified elector\* of the District (Nueces County)?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to NUECES COUNTY TAX APPRAISAL DISTRICT

**(NCAD) Have you resided in the District for at least 2 years?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**The Oil & Gas Advisory Committee must include representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? \***

☒ None of the above

Question applies to multiple boards

**Are you willing to provide an Annual Report of Financial Information as required by the Code of Ethics?**

☒ Yes ☐ No

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**Verification**

**City Code Requirement - Residency**

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☒ I Agree

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☒ I Agree

## Oath

**I swear that all of the statements included in my application and attached documents, if any, are true and correct.**

☒ I Agree



MARGARETA FRATILA, MBM, TMF

Master of Science in Horticulture

3606 Tripoli Dr.

Corpus Christi, TX 78415

Office: 361-851-9418

Mobile: 361-739-3029

Email: [REDACTED]

## **Education:**

- Master of Science in Horticulture and Agriculture Degree from Horticulture University of Bucharest, Romania.
- Master of Art Degree in Business Management and Human Resources Development, Webster University, St. Louis MO and Corpus Christi State University
- Corpus Christi State University (Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi) work toward Certification in secondary education and high school and MBA program.
  - Life Earth Science
  - Biology, Horticulture
  - French
- Texas Master Florist and Professional Floral Design Commentator, International Bridal Florist Certification.
- Floral Design and Management Certifications at Del Mar College
- Certified Mediator for Nueces County Courthouse
- Official Translator for Nueces County Courthouse
- Deville Business School-Secretarial and Business office filing
- Stephan Ministry trained as a Stephan Leader at Church of the Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi, TX.
- Church of Acts- Class of the Prophets, one year class
- Certified preacher, Evangelist, Healer, Missionary
- Real Estate Institute in Corpus Christi, TX enrolled (three classes from completing the requirements to take Real Estate Broker Examination)

## **Honors and Achievements:**

- Recipient of Republican Senatorial Medal of Freedom, 2004
- Life Member of Republican Senatorial Inner Circle and Presidential Round Table

- Member of Texas State Society of Washington D.C.
    - Organized three Texas “Black Tie and Boots” Presidential Inaugural ball
    - Participated in five Presidential Inaugurations
  - Member of Republican Women’s Club
  - Feature and Keynote Speaker at various schools, churches, and organizations such as:
    - Texas Federation of Republican Women
    - Republican Women’s Club, Conroe TX
    - Knights of Columbus, Fourth Degree, Conroe, TX
    - Speaker for elementary schools, three high schools, and other city organizations
  - Corpus Christi Christians Women’s Club, Past Chairman of Events
  - Producer of two television shows on local Channel 10 public Access
  - Weekly Adoration at the Our Lady of Corpus Christi
  - Member of the League of Womens Voter
  - Member of Friday Morning Group
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- Participated in five Republican National and State Conventions
  - Past Director of the three city Boards:
    - Library Board
    - Tree Advisory
    - Landmark commission
  - Candidate for City Council 2014,2016
  - CASA Volunteer

## **Employment History:**

1983-Present Friday February 13, 1983 my dream to open my own business comes true. I became owner and CEO of Margaret’s Greenhouse and European Floral Design. Full Service flower shop, interiorscaping, and landscaping with instruction in Floral design and Horticulture. Teaching Flower Design on premises or in television.

2010-Present. Business Consultant for various small businesses, Medical Offices, Real Estate Investments

2011- Producer of “Flower Talks - The Language of Love” with Margareta and “Bright Star-The Magic Romanian Matchmaker of All.” The shows are produced and aired weekly (so far we have over 160 episodes aired)

Feb 16, 1881 Immigrated to Untied States-became citizen in 1990

Feb 16 1982 arrived in Corpus Christi TX, crossing the Harbor Bridge penniless, but with a big dream that it was accomplished and I am looking forward to help our citizens to accomplish their dreams and live in a safe and pleasant environment.

## **Personal:**

Proud Mother of two children and four grandchildren

Languages spoken: Romanian, French, English, Russian, Latin, German

Dreams and Aspirations

Writer of the book in progress, "A Flight to Freedom," to be followed by a motion picture cast in Romania, Corpus Christi, TX and other world places. When finalized and approved by publisher and producer as being ready I will present it to the George W. Bush Presidential Library in Dallas, where I am a Charter Member, for signing and fundraising for the "Fight to Freedom" section helping with the fundraising for other immigrants who will want to share their life story of struggle and success. The book is a real life motivational story of my own struggles and success as an immigrant, to follow and accomplish my dream in the free world.

<http://www.ustream.tv/recorded/652159>

## **Skills and Trades:**

- Sociable and Personable to the Extreme
- Personal Advisor and Counselor
- Fantastic Promoter and Social Events Organizer
- Network "QUEEN" (as I am known)
- Extremely versatile in protocol, good manners and people skills
- Negotiator and peace maker
- Knowledge of people characters and body language
- Proved success in leadership abilities and business management adviser
- My principles and moral values are timeless and endless, therefore I have many followers of my principles, everyday, in every areas of their life.
- Stephen Leader-Stephen Ministry trained to teach God's care for caregivers.

## **Goals and Ambitions:**

To share my diversified knowledge with the people of all races, colors and religions, as long as they comes here in the USA, from all over the word in a purpose to overcome their struggle through education, beliefs, and following their dreams of freedom with hard work and faith. I want to serve the people in Corpus Christi, the city that I love and its citizens where they become my adoptive family.

My message is that KNOWLEDGE IS POWER and each and every American should appreciate and look to this country through the eyes of an immigrant.

MAY GOD BLESS AMERICA, and KEEP IT ALWAYS FREE!!!

## References

By Request

**Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation****Profile**

Craig

First Name

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Middle Initial

Hebner

Last Name

Email Address

4217 Clear Fork Dr.

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78410

Postal Code

**What district do you live in? \***☒ District 1**Current resident of the city?**☒ Yes ☐ No

37

If yes, how many years?

Mobile: (361) 585-0127

Primary Phone

Business: (361) 271-7466

Alternate Phone

Habitat for Humanity

Employer

Project Manager

Job Title

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

Corpus Christi

Work Address - City

Texas

Work Address - State

3618666719

Work Phone

Craig\_Hebner@Overheaddoor.com

Work E-mail address

**Preferred Mailing Address**☒ Home/Primary Address

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BUILDING STANDARDS BOARD: Submitted  
CIVIL SERVICE BOARD: Submitted  
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION: Submitted  
CORPUS CHRISTI BUSINESS AND JOB DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION: Submitted  
OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Submitted  
PLANNING COMMISSION: Submitted  
WATER RESOURCES ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Submitted  
CLEAN CITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Submitted

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## Interests & Experiences

### Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

### Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

None

### Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

Trustee on Board of Directors for Wood River Home Owners Association

### Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

I believe that everyone has the responsibility to better their environment both for themselves and their children.

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**The Building Standards Board must include representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories?**

☒ None of the above

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**Are you a Homeowner in the City of Corpus Christi?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to CIVIL SERVICE BOARD,CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

**Have you resided in the City for at least 3 years?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to CIVIL SERVICE BOARD,CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

**Have you held public office during the past 3 years?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to CIVIL SERVICE BOARD,CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

**Are you over 25 years of age?**

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to CLEAN CITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**The Clean City Advisory Committee must include representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? \***

☒ None of the above

Question applies to OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**The Oil & Gas Advisory Committee must include representatives from certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? \***

☒ Not Connected with Oil and Gas Well Industry

Question applies to WATER RESOURCES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**The Water Resources Advisory Committee must include members representing certain categories. Do you qualify for any of the following categories? \***

☒ Residential Customer and Home Owner of City's Water System

Question applies to multiple boards

**Are you willing to provide an Annual Report of Financial Information as required by the Code of Ethics?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

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# **Craig C. Hebner**

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Corpus Christi, TX 78410  
361-585-0127

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## **Highlights**

- Work tasks have required a high level of multitasking and organization
- Previous and current positions have enabled me to gain experience in leadership and training
- Extremely adaptable to changing environments and highly productive in fast pace environments
- Self starter and have a high level of expectations of work quality

## **Work Experience**

Chicago Bridge & Iron  
February 2015 – Current

Portland, TX  
Construction Manager

### **Construction Manager**

- Assist in managing \$2 billion dollar project by scheduling the project in logical, efficient steps and budget time required to meet deadlines
- Determine labor requirements and dispatch 500 to 600 workers to 10-12 different construction sites
- Inspect and review projects to monitor compliance with building, safety, and other dictating codes
- Prepare contracts and negotiate revisions, changes and additions to contractual agreements with architects, consultants, clients, suppliers and subcontractors
- Interpret, explain plans and contract terms to administrative staff, workers, and clients representing the owner or developer
- Obtain all necessary permits and licenses averaging 10-20 permits per month and 10-15 certifications
- Direct and supervise 5 direct staff members and 500-600 contractors
- Study job specifications to determine appropriate construction methods
- Requisition \$200k to \$500k of supplies and materials to complete construction projects
- Prepare and submit budget estimates and progress / cost tracking reports
- Develop and implement quality control programs
- Take actions to deal with the results of delays, bad weather, or emergencies at construction sites
- Confer with supervisory personnel, owners, contractors, and design professionals to discuss and resolve matters such as work procedures, complaints, and construction issues.
- Plan, organize, and direct activities concerned with the construction and maintenance of structures, facilities, and systems
- Investigate damage, accidents, or delays at sites, to ensure that proper procedures are being carried out

- Evaluate construction methods and determine cost-effectiveness of plans

Tornado Production Services  
2013 – January 2015

Orange Grove, TX  
Supervisor of Training & Special Projects

**Special Projects Supervisor:**

- Lead job site engineer assigned to manage logistics and personnel on various job sites
- Evaluate Erection & Site Plans to determine proper personnel, job site equipment, and materials needed
- Prior to arrival on job site, prepare and coordinate safety training and procedures required by customers and governmental agencies
- Organize strategic project meetings to ensure all parties involved are aware of individual responsibilities and expectations
- Prior to any rigging of equipment, survey area for any hazards or obstacles
- Oversee erection of equipment and preparation of all materials according to site and project plans
- Manage the project from beginning to completion. Mitigate any and all diversions from original project plans due to unforeseen circumstance (ie: weather, equipment failure)
- During project duration, accurate reports and detail logs are meticulously maintained to ensure proper billing, inventory control, and project completion analysis
- Conducts debriefing meeting to evaluate personnel, material, and equipment performance
- Manipulate the weight and viscosity of fluids using brine, gels, viscosifiers, and other weighted fluids in order to control friction, weight, and temperature
- Test/develop new techniques for broadening variety of well demands

**Supervisor of Training**

- Train new staff members in techniques for maintaining proper fluids control, billing, and customer relations
- Certify junior personnel to become engineers
- As safety representative for numerous contractors/customers, in charge of safety training, regulation enforcement, and reporting
- Assisted with development and adjustments of procedures to ensure meeting safety requirement given by clients, EPA and OSHA

Oilstates Performance Fluids  
2009-2012

Lead Engineer  
Alice, TX

- Lead job site engineer assigned to manage logistics and personnel
- Manipulate the weight and viscosity of fluids using brine, gels, viscosifiers, and other weighted fluids in order to control friction, weight, and temperature
- Train new staff members in techniques for maintaining proper fluids control, billing, and customer relations
- As safety representative for numerous contractors/customers, in charge of safety training, regulation enforcement, and reporting
- Assisted with development and adjustments of procedures to ensure meeting safety requirement given by clients, EPA and OSHA

Tetra Technologies  
2007-2009

Fluid & Mud Engineer  
Alice, TX

- Manipulate the weight and viscosity of fluids using brine, gels, viscosifiers, and other weighted fluids in order to control friction, weight, and temperature
- Running and maintaining chemical and mud mixing plants
- Manage dilution of chemicals and track inventories of both liquid and dry chemicals
- Analyze samples of fluids and formations to troubleshoot well-bore problems

Bronco Oilfield Services  
2003-2007

Hydraulic Choke Operator  
Corpus Christi, TX

- Monitor the gas well utilizing sensitive gauges and instruments to control the release of pressure using hydraulic chokes and valves
- Repair and maintain manual and hydraulic valves, position sensors, and analog/digital gauges
- Maintain hydraulic accumulators, compressors, and generators
- Regular use of tools including but not limited to impacts, hydraulic wrenches, machinery, and heavy equipment

United States Marine Corps  
1998-20022

Infantry  
Camp Pendleton, CA

- Lead and direct fire missions in support of ground troops
- Provide intelligence of targets, casualty estimations
- Combat, close with, and destroy hostile targets using an assortment of munitions, small arms, fire, movement, and concealment

## **Education, Certifications, & Training**

Nuclear, Biological, & Chemical Warfare  
Combat Lifesavers Course  
Combat Controller  
Basic EMT Course  
Range Safety Officer  
Heavy Equipment Operators Course  
School of Infantry  
Marine Corps Leadership School  
Flight Deck Safety Course  
Crane & Riggers Course  
Offshore Safety Certification  
A.R.C. CPR and First Aid Certification  
CUDD Firefighting School  
CUDD Well Control School  
H2S Certification

Tetra Mud School  
Tetra Well Control School  
Fluid Engineer School  
Defensive Driving  
Plant Operations Course  
PEC SafeGulf  
PEC SafeLand  
Offshore Safety Certification  
IADC Global Leadership Course  
Forklift Certification  
Rig Pass HSE Safety

References Available Upon Request

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Mr. Alex R Ortiz  
Prefix First Name Middle Initial Last Name

alex@eco-sci.org  
Email Address

14427 Compass St B17  
Street Address Suite or Apt  
Corpus Christi TX 78418  
City State Postal Code

**What district do you live in? \***

☒ District 4

**Current resident of the city?**

☒ Yes ☐ No

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If yes, how many years?

Mobile: (512) 923-4487 Home: (512) 923-4487  
Primary Phone Alternate Phone

Tulane University Law School JD Candidate  
Employer Job Title

6329 Freret St  
Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

New Orleans  
Work Address - City

Louisiana  
Work Address - State

70118  
Work Address - Zip Code

aortiz4@tulane.edu  
Work E-mail address

**Preferred Mailing Address**

☒ Home/Primary Address

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## Interests & Experiences

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No

## Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

BA Linguistics from New York University JD Candidate at Tulane University Law School Co-Founder, Executive Director, and Board Chair of Eco-SCI

### Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

Growing up in Corpus Christi as a child, the beach and Gulf Coast were integral to my upbringing. So much so that it has driven me to pursue a JD concentrated in Environmental Law, and founded a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to environmental protection. My undergraduate studies in Marine Ecology and Anthropology have also made me an effective communicator, an expert in conflict resolution, and very dedicated to sustainable development. I have also noticed that this committee is split with 3 members being industry members, and 3 members being non-industry members, but without specific intent to include environmental concerns. In my duties in working with Eco-SCI, my Marine Pollution studies, and my time interning at the Gulf Restoration Network, I have realized that I have a great deal of skills that could effectively benefit the Oil and Gas Advisory Committee. Despite often being out of town for law school, I make a point of spending time in Corpus out on the bay with my family.

[Upload a Resume](#)

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## Demographics

### Gender

☒ Male

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## Oath

**I swear that all of the statements included in my application and attached documents, if any, are true and correct.**

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# Alex R. Ortiz

2312 Nashville Avenue, New Orleans, LA. 70115  
[ortiz4@tulane.edu](mailto:ortiz4@tulane.edu); [alex@eco-sci.org](mailto:alex@eco-sci.org); (512) 923-4487

## EDUCATION

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### **Tulane University Law School**

New Orleans, LA

#### ***Juris Doctor***

May 2020 (expected)

*Honors:* Partial-Tuition Honors Scholarship

*Activities:* Environmental and Energy Law

Society, Upcoming 24th Tulane

Environmental Law and Policy Summit

Panelist

### **New York University**

New York, NY

#### ***Bachelor of Arts, Linguistics***

December 2016

*Activities:* NYU Chorale, NYU Concert Band (including soloist work on French Horn), League of Linguistics Students, Independent Study on Texan Syntax.

## EXPERIENCE

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### **The Ecological Sciences Communication Initiative – Corpus Christi, TX**

*Executive Director & Board Chair* – February 2018 – Present

Co-founded a 501(c)(3) non-profit initiative, Eco-SCI, aiming to educate the public about ongoing environmental issues and how those issues affect their everyday lives, as well as policy work through public notice and comment periods.

### **Tulane Environmental Law Clinic – New Orleans, LA**

*Research Assistant* – Summer 2018

Performed routine work including filing as well as extensive case research to benefit the clinic's clients, primarily focusing on the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act and Endangered Species Act

### **Gulf Restoration Network – New Orleans, LA**

*Legal Intern* – September 2017 – December 2017

Reviewed public commentary on various legal issues pertaining to the Clean Water Act. Also provided policy analysis on NPDES permit applications, the most recent Triennial Review of LDEQ nutrient criteria, and the most recent report from the Mississippi River/Gulf of Mexico Watershed Nutrient Task Force.

### **Flat Creek Estate Winery and Vineyard – Marble Falls, TX**

*Floor Manager / Wine Guide* – June 2015 – August 2017

Responsible for primary client interaction, managing the floor of an upscale restaurant, and performing educational wine tastings (primarily including Spanish and Italian varietals grown in TX.)

### **Office of State Senator Wendy R. Davis – Austin, TX**

*Legislative Intern* – Summer 2014

Responsible for drafting policy memos (for both intra and inter-office use) as well as keeping notes in several policy areas. Also represented the Senator's office at Interim Senate functions, engaged in constituent relations, as well as performed routine administrative work.

## SKILLS AND INTERESTS

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Public Speaking, Policy Analysis, English and Spanish languages (natively fluent), Theoretical Syntax, Slam Poetry, Music Composition, Piano and French Horn Performance, Wine.

**Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation**

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**Profile**

Bradley

First Name

Strayer

Last Name

  
Email Address

614 Wilshire Pl

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

State

78411

Postal Code

**What district do you live in? \***☒ District 2**Current resident of the city?**☒ Yes ☐ No

24

If yes, how many years?

Mobile: (361) 813-8881

Primary Phone

Mobile: (361) 813-8881

Alternate Phone

Keller Williams Coastal Bend

Employer

Realtor

Job Title

4518 Everhart Rd., Ste 101

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

Corpus Christi

Work Address - City

TX

Work Address - State

78411

Work Address - Zip Code

bradley@strayerteam.com

Work E-mail address

**Preferred Mailing Address**☒ Home/Primary Address

## Which Boards would you like to apply for?

OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Submitted

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## Interests & Experiences

### Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

### Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

I hold a BBA in Finance from TAMU-CC, and in addition to being a licensed Realtor, I am also a certified Texas Residential Leasing Specialist. As for community involvement, I currently serve as a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA).

### Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

Corpus Christi is my hometown and the city that I plan on living in for years to come. This has given me the desire to do more for the community, and has made me want to get more involved in local issues that affect us all. I have the time and desire to serve the city in a greater way, which is why I am currently applying.

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## Demographics

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☒ Male

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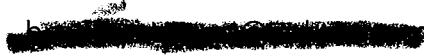
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**Bradley L. Strayer**

614 Wilshire Place

Corpus Christi, TX 78411

361-813-8881



**EXPERIENCE**

**Realtor**

Keller Williams Coastal Bend

4518 Everhart Rd., Ste 101, Corpus Christi, TX 78411

September 2016 – Present

I work with Strayer Team Realty as a realtor, representing both buyers and sellers in the Coastal Bend.

**Operations Manager**

MCLOBA Partners, LTD. / US Gold Firm

Portland, TX 78374

Supervisor: Troy Snody

March 2011 – October 2016

I managed and oversaw the overall daily operations of the business. This included, but is not limited to, the following:

- Purchase of products
- Manage inventory
- Hedge all bullion merchandise based on the current spot prices of gold, silver, and platinum
- Oversee and direct shipping department
- Oversee and direct marketing department
- Manage website pricing, product availability, and product information



## EDUCATION

### **Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi**

6300 Ocean Drive, Corpus Christi, TX 78412

Bachelor in Business Administration

Graduated, December 2015

Major: Finance

GPA: 3.8 / 4.0

Magna Cum Laude

Dean's List

## SKILLS

- Proficient in using Microsoft Excel, PowerPoint, Word and Outlook
- Experienced in inventory management
- Experienced in developing and implementing new strategies to increase efficiency
- Experienced in work flow and process management
- Ability to multitask while remaining organized
- Able to learn new computer programs and systems quickly

## ACTIVITIES

### **Volunteer Work**

- CASA of the Coastal Bend – I serve as a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA). I get appointed by the court to advocate for the best interest of a child while they are in the custody of the state.
- The Station – an organization dedicated to assisting with the needs of homeless people in Corpus Christi
- Young Life – worked with high school students on a weekly basis and through camps during the summer and winter breaks
- Work with various other organizations in Corpus Christi. Homelessness, foster care, and youth mentorship are a few areas where I have and continue to volunteer my time

*References available upon request.*

**Application for a City Board, Commission, Committee or Corporation****Profile**

Mimosa

First Name

Thomas

Last Name

[REDACTED]  
Email Address

710 Ponder St.

Street Address

Corpus Christi

City

TX

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78404

Postal Code

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Alternate Phone

N/A

Employer

Full Time Student - Master of  
Public Affairs

Job Title

N/A

Work Address - Street Address and Suite Number

N/A

Work Address - City

N/A

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N/A

Work Address - Zip Code

N/A

Work Phone

mimosa.thomas01@utrgv.edu

Work E-mail address

## Preferred Mailing Address

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## Which Boards would you like to apply for?

CIVIL SERVICE BOARD: Submitted

OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Submitted

REGIONAL HEALTH AWARENESS BOARD: Submitted

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## Interests & Experiences

### Are you a registered voter?

☒ Yes ☐ No

### Do you currently serve on any other City board, commission or committee at this time? If so, please list:

No

## Education, Professional and/or Community Activity (Present)

2014 Buc Days Contestant Bachelor of Science in Biology, Minor in Chemistry, Pre-medical track Dean's List, Magna Cum Laude Guerra Honors Program Graduate, Thesis track University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg TX Master of Public Affairs, Accelerated Online track (Remote, in progress) Dale Carnegie Course Graduate, Corpus Christi, TX Friends' Committee on National Legislation General Committee (Governing Board) Member Texas delegate - World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS) Corpus Christi Immigration Coalition (Member)

### If you applied for multiple boards, which boards are you most interested in serving on, in order of preference? (Limit to top three)

1. CIVIL SERVICE BOARD 2. OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE 3. REGIONAL HEALTH AWARENESS BOARD

### Why are you interested in serving on a City board, commission or committee?

1. CIVIL SERVICE BOARD I feel it is critically important that civilian citizens have input on these civil service issues. I also do not think it is okay that the city's youth is being excluded from this board. I looked into the city charter and could not find any language pertaining to the civil service board that mandated that members had to be of 25 years of age or older. I could only find that language for the very similar Civil Service Commission. Since the commission and board share essentially the same duties and have the exact same three members, I can see why there might be some confusion. However, I see no legal reason within the city laws to prohibit myself, a 23 year old, from serving as an alternate on this board, and given that these seats have been unfilled for quite some time, I hope that you will review the charter and consider my request. It is not often that a 23 year old is passionate enough about an issue to pour through city documents to determine their legal eligibility for a non-voting alternate seat on an obscure city board - but I REALLY care about this. 2. OIL AND GAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE I care deeply about our community's environmental safety and prosperity and would very much value the chance to offer my citizen input from the perspective of someone outside of the industry. 3. REGIONAL HEALTH AWARENESS BOARD I feel that my educational background in Biology and Public Administration would make me a useful member of this board.

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**Have you resided in the City for at least 3 years?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

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**Have you held public office during the past 3 years?**

☐ Yes ☐ No

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☐ Yes ☐ No

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## **HONORS/AWARDS**

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Bachelor of Science in Biology, Minor in Chemistry, Pre-medical track  
Guerra Honors Program Graduate, Thesis track

**University of Texas Rio Grande Valley**, Edinburg TX

Master of Public Affairs, Accelerated Online track

**Texas Freedom Network Summer Academy**, Austin TX

Intensive training in grassroots organizing, power building, and state legislative processes

**FCNL Washington Summer Intensive**, Washington D.C.

Intensive training on citizen lobbying, effective media tactics, and Capitol Hill procedures

**Dale Carnegie Course Graduate**, Corpus Christi, TX

Professional development course to enhance communication and soft skills

**May 2018**

Dean's List, Magna Cum Laude

**August 2018- July 2019**

(Remote, in progress)

**July 2015**

**July 2016**

**March 2014**

Hector P. Garcia Scholar

Texas Freedom Network "Chapter of the Year Award"

Girl Scouts Global Action Award

Texas delegate - World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS)

2012 Girls' World Forum

Girl Scout Gold, Silver, and Bronze Awards

TX 2016 State Democratic Convention  
Repro Health Panelist

TX Senate District 20 2016 State  
Democratic Convention Resolutions  
Committee

### **EXPERIENCE:**

#### **Friends' Committee on National Legislation (FCNL)**

**September 2016 – May 2017**

*Advocacy Corps Member - The Advocacy Corps is a 9 month-long program where young adults between the ages of 19-30 get paid to organize their local community around federal legislation. Advocacy Corps organizers connect local activists and leaders with their local member of Congress to affect big, long-term change. During the course of this program, Advocacy Corps organizers learn critical organizing skills and put them into practice with hands-on leadership experience\**

- Organized diverse groups of people across the state of Texas to lobby their elected officials in-district on Immigration policy, facilitating a total of 59 direct lobby visits between constituents and their MOCs.
- Utilized effective media strategies (press conferences, op-eds, and social media) to build momentum and response around urgent immigration-related situations as they arose in real time under the Trump administration
- Mobilized citizens across Texas to reach their members of congress through effective media, particularly MOC-targeted op-eds and LTEs, resulting in 27 pieces of published constituent media deliverables on immigration policy.
- Pioneered an "Action Alert" model still in use by FCNL for mobilizing constituents to write and publish LTEs, streamlining the process by providing a user-friendly template and automatically directing constituents to their local paper's LTE submission forms.
- Led a delegation of Texans to lobby their MOCs for criminal Justice reform on Capitol Hill during FCNL's Annual Meeting
- Led a delegation of young adults from Texas to lobby their MOCs on Capitol Hill against repealing the ACA in March of 2017

#### **Texas Freedom Network (TFN)**

**December 2014- May 2016**

*Paid Campus Organizer - University of Texas Rio Grande Valley*

- Acted as president of the UTRGV TFN student chapter, duties included organizing and leading chapter meetings, recruiting and training members, registering voters, organizing students and community members around protests and direct action, leading GOTV efforts in election seasons, managing organization social media accounts, and establishing relationships with local media, community non-profits, and politicians to advance progressive policies.
- Organized a National Voter Registration day rally where my volunteers and I registered over 500 new student voters.
- Coordinated "Justicia!" – a community health fair and art-walk around the theme of Reproductive Justice to increase awareness and access to services in the community
- Organized and coordinated a reproductive justice regional training with the National Latina Institute for Reproductive Health, with expert speakers and presenters from various advocacy organizations from across the state.
- Led delegations of young adults to statewide lobby days to advocate for reproductive justice at the Texas Legislature.

#### **The Corpus Christi Immigration Coalition**

**January 2017- Present**

*Policy Chief (Volunteer Position)*

- Organized rapid grassroots response to new immigration enforcement and laws within the Coastal Bend community
- Organized lawyers and venues to host "know your rights" trainings for the undocumented community
- Introduced and advocated for pro-immigrant resolutions and policies on local (school board, city, and county) levels
- Organized faith groups, business owners, and other special interests to campaign against Texas's anti-immigrant SB4 bill.

#### **The Progressive Young Democrats at UTRGV**

**September 2014 – May 2018**

*President, Founder*

- Capitalized on the momentum of the Wendy Davis campaign to establish a new and badly needed Young Democrats chapter on my campus
- Led a delegation of young people from the Rio Grande Valley to attend the 2016 Texas State Democratic Convention as voting delegates. All members of the delegation ran for and won committee positions within their senate district caucuses.
- Organized public debates and forums for local candidates, including for the 15th Congressional district of Texas primary race in 2016, the Edinburg mayoral race of 2017, and the entire slate of Hidalgo county-level primary races of 2018, many of which drew in crowds of hundreds
- Lead meetings, recruited members, registered voters, mobilized members to become deputized to register voters, managed social media accounts, and lead members in canvassing, phone-banking, and campaigning for democratic candidates during election seasons.

### **SKILLS**

- Basic written and verbal Spanish skills
- Skilled in both new (social) media tactics to mobilize constituents and volunteers, and in old media tactics to reach MOCs and special interests
- Proven ability to capitalize on and build momentum around "movement moments"
- Proven ability to condense complex policy developments into social media-accessible urgent updates, and generating online action alerts that get real responses, participants, and results
- Excellent at networking and coalition building both within communities and remotely
- Experienced at communicating and working with elected officials on both sides of the aisle on a range of intersectional policy issues
- Knowing when and where to use what tactics - media, lobbying, and direct action to get results from politicians at every level of government.
- Years of leadership experience in various capacities and demonstrated ability to work effectively as an individual or as part of a team.