

# Application for Commissions, Boards, and Committees



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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME Barry Gold	DATE 7/11/2016
CITY OF RESIDENCE Sierra Madre	YEARS AS RESIDENT 4 1/2

## COMMISSION/COMMITTEE

COMMISSION/BOARD/COMMITTEE FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING

Planning Commission

Why are you interested in serving as a member of this commission / board / committee?

My wife Judy and I moved to Sierra Madre 4 ½ years ago after living in Arcadia for over 15 years. We had always admired the unique charm and small town feel of Sierra Madre and feel fortunate to have been able to buy a home here where we live with two of our children and a granddaughter.

I want to help maintain Sierra Madre's unique qualities that our community values so much. I feel that as a member of the Planning Commission I can contribute in this effort and help make a difference.

What specific attitudes, skills, and expertise do you think you have to enhance the work of the commission / board / committee?

Six years in the Air Force Reserves taught me a lot about being a member of a team where each person relies on the others. As past President of the Ladera Heights Homeowner's Association my duties gave me the opportunity to work with our County Supervisor, Kenneth Hahn, and our Congresswoman Yvonne Braithwaite Burke.

My business experience includes over 50 years in manufacturing, retail, and real estate. I am a licensed Real Estate Broker specializing in the management of industrial properties in Downtown Los Angeles. I am also a past Chairman of the Board of the Downtown Los Angeles Fashion District Business Improvement District (BID) overseeing a \$4,000,000 annual budget.

I have learned over the years to keep an open mind, listen to all sides before coming to a conclusion and by applying the goals of the General Plan Update to the decision making process I believe I would be a positive addition to the Planning Commission.

## SERVICE HISTORY

Are you currently, or have you ever been a member of any City of Sierra Madre Commission, Board, or Committee?

Yes     No

NAME OF COMMISSION, BOARD, OR COMMITTEE UUT Oversight Committee / Revenue Committee	DATES OF SERVICE 2015
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You are invited to attach additional information or submit supplemental information which you feel may assist the City Council in its evaluation. Supplemental information is subject to disclosure under the Public Records Act.