



Council Business Meeting

May 16, 2023

Agenda Item	Climate and Environment Policy Advisory Committee Appointments	
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SUMMARY

Approval of Mayor Graham’s recommendations for the appointment of committee members to the Climate and Environment Policy Advisory Committee:

- Colin Bishopp, Position #12 term ending 4/30/2025.
- Piper Banks, Position #13, Student Representative term ending 4/30/2025.

BACKGROUND AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

N/A

FISCAL IMPACTS

N/A

ACTIONS, OPTIONS & POTENTIAL MOTIONS

I move to approve the Mayor’s recommendations for the appointments to the Climate and Environment Policy Advisory Committee.

REFERENCES & ATTACHMENTS

- Attachment 1: Application-Bishopp
- Attachment 2: Application-Banks



**APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO
CITY COMMITTEE/COMMISSION**

Please type or print answers to the following questions and submit to the City Legal Department at City Hall, 20 E Main Street, or email melissa.huhtala@ashland.or.us. If you have questions, please feel free to contact the City Recorder at 541.552.2084.

Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Name Colin Bishopp

Requesting to serve on: Climate Policy Committee (Committee/Commission)

Mailing Address [REDACTED]

Physical Address _____

Occupation Climate Tech CEO

Phone: Home _____
Work [REDACTED]
Email [REDACTED]
Fax _____

1. Education Background

What schools have you attended? University of California, Berkeley; University of Chicago

What degrees do you hold? B.A., M.A.

What additional training or education have you had that would apply to this position?

Fulbright Scholar, University of Cape Town Graduate School of Business

2. Related Experience

What prior work experience have you had that would help you if you were appointed to this position?

In 2012, I was appointed by President Obama to serve as a senior aide to U.S. Secretary of Energy Steven Chu.

I subsequently served as an aide to U.S. Secretary of Energy Ernest Moniz. Over the course of my career,

I've designed and launched several state and local financing programs for clean energy including in HI, PA, FL and KY.

Do you feel it would be advantageous for you to have further training in this field, such as attending conferences or seminars? Why? _____



3. Interests

Why are you applying for this position? I've dedicated my professional life to addressing the climate crisis and I am a firm believer in the importance of local government.

4. Availability

Are you available to attend special meetings, in addition to the regularly scheduled meetings? Do you prefer day or evening meetings? Slight preference for day meetings

5. Additional Information

How long have you lived in this community?

First moved to Rogue River Valley in 2020. New to Ashland.

Please use the space below to summarize any additional qualifications you have for this position:

As part of my work, I am currently leading a coalition of more than 50 state and local governments seeking funding from US EPA's

Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund. Ashland should also seek its share of the available federal funding. I can help with that.

05/02/2023

Date

Colin Bishopp

Signature

Digitally signed by Colin Bishopp
Date: 2023.05.02 07:29:48 -07'00'



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Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Name _____

Requesting to serve on: _____ (Committee/Commission)

Mailing Address _____

Physical Address _____

Occupation _____

Phone: Home _____

Work _____

Email _____

Fax _____

1. Education Background

What schools have you attended? _____

What degrees do you hold? _____

What additional training or education have you had that would apply to this position?

2. Related Experience

What prior work experience have you had that would help you if you were appointed to this position?

Do you feel it would be advantageous for you to have further training in this field, such as attending conferences or seminars? Why? _____



3. Interests

Why are you applying for this position? _____

4. Availability

Are you available to attend special meetings, in addition to the regularly scheduled meetings?
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5. Additional Information

How long have you lived in this community? _____

Please use the space below to summarize any additional qualifications you have for this position:

Date

Signature

