

BOARD of SUPERVISORS



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Application for Boards, Commissions, Committees, & Task Forces

Name of Board/Commission/Committee/Task Force: Sanitation And Streets Commission

Seat # (Required - see Vacancy Notice for qualifications): 3

Full Name: Christopher John Simi



Zip Code: 94114

Occupation: Government Administrator

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Pursuant to Charter, Section 4.101(a)(2), Boards and Commissions established by the Charter must consist of residents of the City and County of San Francisco who are 18 years of age or older (unless otherwise stated in the code authority). For certain appointments, the Board of Supervisors may waive the residency requirement.

Resident of San Francisco: Yes [checked] No [ ] If No, place of residence:
18 Years of Age or Older: Yes [checked] No [ ]

Pursuant to Mayoral Order, members of boards/commissions are required to be Covid-19 vaccinated and attend in-person meetings.

Covid-19 Vaccinated: Yes [checked] No [ ]

Pursuant to Charter, Section 4.101(a)(1), please state how your qualifications represent the communities of interest, neighborhoods, and the diversity in ethnicity, race, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, types of disabilities, and any other relevant demographic qualities of the City and County of San Francisco:

I believe that the professional background and experience in public sector finance listed below qualifies me for this role. I currently reside in the Castro, and have previously lived in (and grew up in) the Inner Sunset. This city is my home, and I have a deep appreciation and love for its amazing diversity of neighborhoods, viewpoints, and people. It is important to me that all of this diversity is represented and has a voice in city government.

**Business and/or Professional Experience:**

I have over 11 years of professional experience in the public sector, 8 of which have been directly related to government finance.  
I have firsthand experience with the City of San Francisco, having worked in the Mayor's Office of Public Policy and Finance for 3 years, where I worked with numerous City departments (including Public Works) to ensure that they were adequately resourced. After that, I spend 3 years with the City of Philadelphia as the CFO of the city's child welfare agency, the Department of Human Services. In that capacity, I oversaw all financial functions for an organization with a \$650M+ annual budget, including budget, accounts payable, cash functions, contracting, and the audit function.  
I currently serve as the budget director for BART, where I am responsible for overseeing the development, formulation, approval, and monitoring of a \$1B+ annual operating budget.  
Finally, I have experience presenting to and interacting with appointed and elected oversight bodies.  
I have focused my career on improving the way local government serve its stakeholders efficiently and equitably, and I believe that my professional background has prepared me to ably serve in this role.

**Civic Activities:**

N/A

Have you attended any meetings of the body to which you are applying? Yes  No

An appearance before the Rules Committee may be required at a scheduled public hearing, prior to the Board of Supervisors considering the recommended appointment. Applications should be received ten (10) days prior to the scheduled public hearing.

Date: 5/9/2022 Applicant's Signature (required): Christopher John Simi  
*(Manually sign or type your complete name.  
NOTE: By typing your complete name, you are hereby consenting to use of electronic signature.)*

Please Note: Your application will be retained for one year. Once completed, this form, including all attachments, become public record.

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Appointed to Seat #: \_\_\_\_\_ Term Expires: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Vacated: \_\_\_\_\_