

City of Tracy

City Council Application

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Please answer all questions and place N/A in those areas that do not apply. Please return your signed application to the City Clerk's office by **Noon on Monday, December 19, 2016**. Should you have any questions please feel free to contact the City Clerk's Office at 209.831.6405.

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TRACY, CA

Position Applying for: City Council Member

Name: SANGHA JASS K
Last First M.I.

Telephone: _____
Daytime Evening

Address R. TRACY- CA 95377
Street Zip

Email Address (Optional) _____

Do you reside within the Tracy City Limits

☒ Yes

☐ No

Are you registered to vote at the above address?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If NO, explain why _____

Please provide proof of residency at the above address (*copy of utility bill, voter registration card, etc.*)

Are you employed by the City of Tracy? _____ If so in what capacity? PLANNING COMMISSIONER

Do you have relatives or members of your household who are employed by the City of Tracy or are currently serving on the City Council or other Commission? NO

How many meetings have you attended of the City Council for which you are now applying?

DON'T HAVE AN EXACT COUNT for 2016 - But about 8-10 in the Chambers
99% on ch 26

Why did you attend the meeting(s) (i.e. personal interest, specific issue being addressed, etc.)

Sometimes personal interest of community issues.
Mostly - for agenda items from the Pl. Commission

List current occupation and related employment history:

Planning Commissioner with City of Tracy
Owner/Operator of NIRVAANA (Banquet & Event etc.)
Founder/Operator of NIRVAANA CONSULTING.

List related educational background: _____

I hold a MASTERS degree in Political Science

I've Restaurant Mgmt Diploma from Burger King Corporation

I did my franchisee training for becoming a SUBWAY franchisee

Describe your involvement in community activities, volunteer and civic organizations: _____

Volunteer with STCH (SUTTER) for 4 1/2 yrs (2008- 2012)

Volunteer @ TLUSD (Anti Bullying & Diversity/Ethics Committee)

(former) Board member on UNITED WAY, WOMENS CIR of SAN JOAQUIN.

Recipient of "FEMALE CITIZEN of 2014"; I give Scholarships thru many diffcult org.

Why does a position on the City Council interest you? _____

I've worked with the City since 2009; been involved in many major projects/developments that came on P.C agenda; I understand how the process works & my experience & ability to work well with my colleagues - enables me to work as a TEAM

What would be your personal approach as a Council Member in recommending policy, working with the other members of the Council, working with staff, etc.? _____

I'm an independent thinker but I'm also a very good TEAM PLAYER. I've no EGO & I get along with everyone on the Council & with the City Staff!! Council represents the citizens of the City & works with the staff to implement the policy; I definitely have the passion & the Energy to work long hours

☒ I have attached proof of residency

☒ I have attached optional additional materials (such as a resume, etc.)

☒ Form 700

☒ Nomination Paper

Signature _____

Date _____

12/16/2016

City Council Application – Supplemental Questionnaire

1. How would you promote transparency and accountability as a member of the City Council?

To promote transparency - every city council meeting is open to public. For accountability - I will work with the rest of the council, with the staff - to deliver what we promise at the (DHS) city council meetings; Not everything can be achieved in limited amount of time, but will keep the citizens updated with the progress being made & the challenges that might pop up during the process. I will be accessible to the community members.

2. What do you consider to be the top three most significant issues in our City right now?

Public Safety is always #1 in every community but thanks to our P.D - our city is one of the safest in the region that being said: -

- ① BRINGING good paying jobs to TRACY.
- ② Looking on creating/maintaining the Infra-structure
- ③ Working with the city staff & head of the Dept's to be business friendly & make the small businesses feel welcome to run their business in TRACY.

3. What do you think should be changed in City government?

— BUREAUCRACY —

City Govt is in existence to serve the needs of the city. Most ordinary folks feel intimidated to deal with the city officials -

City Govt should be ^{run} like a business where customer service & satisfaction should be the PRIORITY. Good hard work should be rewarded. There has to be measurable results. There should be Accountability.

make it efficient & customer friendly