

CITY OF PEMBROKE PINES
ADVISORY BOARD AND COMMITTEE APPLICATION FORM

Please return the signed and completed application form and a recent resume to: City of Pembroke Pines, City Clerk's Office, 601 City Center Way, Pembroke Pines, Florida 33025.*

***NOTE: YOUR RESUME MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION IN ORDER FOR THE APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED.**

Please type or use dark ink to complete this form.

Applicant Name Erik Gonzalez

Race* White-Hispanic National Origin* USA

Occupation Digital Convergence Facilitator - Miami Dade County Public Schools

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Subdivision Pembroke Falls

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Length of Residence in Pembroke Pines (if applicable)	<u>6</u> Years	<u>0</u> Months
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Length of Time as Business Person in Pembroke Pines (if applicable)	<u>N/A</u> Years	<u>N/A</u> Months
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Are you a registered voter? Yes Commission District No. 5 Precinct No. X039

Do you have a criminal record? No If yes, please explain. _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? No If yes, please explain. _____

Do you have any criminal charges pending? No If yes, please explain. _____

Do you have any relatives employed by the City? No If yes, please state name(s): _____

Are you aware of any potential conflict of interest that may arise from your serving on this/these board(s)? No If yes, please explain. _____

Does your business, or your employer have any contractual relationship with, or do any business with the City? No If yes, please explain.

Do you have monies owed to the City that are delinquent? No If yes, please explain.

Do you have any pending code violations relating to property owned by you in the City? No If yes, please explain.

Do you have any violations relating to other City codes? No If yes, please list: _____

*The responses to these items is optional. The City is interested in providing for cultural diversity on its Advisory Boards and Committees, and seeks this information solely in order for the City to further its goal to provide for diversity on its Advisory Boards and Committees.

Which board or committees are of interest to you? Please indicate up to three preferences by ranking. Please denote your first choice with a "1," etc. Please place a number adjacent to any board or committee for which you wish to be considered. If you do not place a number next to a board or committee, the City Commission will not be able to consider you for that board or committee.

_____ Arts & Culture Advisory Board

_____ Affordable Housing¹

_____ Board of Adjustment

² _____ Charter High School Advisory Board²

_____ Economic Development Board

¹ _____ Education Advisory Board

_____ Environmental Advisory Board

_____ Planning & Zoning Board

_____ Police and Fire Pension Fund Board

_____ River of Grass ArtsPark Board

³ _____ Diversity & Heritage Advisory Board

_____ Walter C. Young Resource Center

_____ Charter Review Board³

_____ Citizens Committee/Hurricane Prep

¹You must complete the "Supplement to Application for Affordable Housing Committee."

²Representative of Educational or Business sector of the Community

³This Board is convened once every five years

Please provide a brief statement outlining why you wish to serve on the board(s) you have indicated above.

As a current educator for over 20 years, I am looking to share the knowledge that I have acquired with others in my current community to ensure that we continue to have the best schools around. I feel that I would bring experience as I have been an Educational Consultant, Assistant Principal, Curriculum Support Specialist, as well as have worked with several Charter Schools in the Pembroke Pines area in the past. The current role that I am in is to assist teachers and administrators with infusing technology within their school. In looking at my Resume, you will see the vast experiences that I have that will allow me to contribute to the Education Advisory Board. I look forward to meeting with all of you soon to discuss how I can blend in as well as contribute.

I hereby certify that all statements made in this application are true and complete. Permission is granted to the City of Pembroke Pines to investigate and verify criminal and credit history and any information provided on this and successive documents completed for purposes of my appointment to the City Board or Committee. In return for consideration of my application, I release any person who provides information pertaining to me from all claims or liabilities that might otherwise result from such information or opinions.

Erik Gonzalez
Applicant's Signature

3/14/21
Date

Applications for board and committee vacancies are accepted throughout the year. For additional information, please call the City Clerk's Office at (954) 450-1050.

SUPPLEMENT TO APPLICATION FOR "AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMITTEE"

PLEASE CHECK ALL POSITIONS FOR WHICH YOU ARE QUALIFIED

- N/A Actively engaged in the residential home building industry in connection with affordable housing.
- N/A Actively engaged in the banking or mortgage banking industry in connection with affordable housing.
- N/A Representative of those areas of labor actively engaged in home building in connection with affordable housing.
- N/A Actively engaged as an advocate for low-income persons in connection with affordable housing.
- N/A Actively engaged as a for-profit provider of affordable housing.
- N/A Actively engaged as a not-for-profit provider of affordable housing.
- N/A Actively engaged as a real estate professional in connection with affordable housing.
- N/A Actively serves on the local planning agency pursuant to Section 163.3174, Florida Statutes.
- N/A Resides within the municipal boundaries of the City of Pembroke Pines.
- N/A Represents employers with the City of Pembroke Pines.
- N/A Represents essential services personnel, as defined in the City's Local Housing Assistance Plan.

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Education

Educational Leadership, Master of Science
Nova Southeastern University, Miami, FL. 2001

Bachelor of Science Psychology, Minor in Biology
University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL. 1994

Professional Experience

Instructional Technology – MDCPS Miami, Florida
Digital Convergence Facilitator 2018 - Current

- Work with teachers to assist them in integrating technology tools in the classroom.
- Provide professional development to administrators, teacher leaders, and teachers on topics including integrating technology, social and emotional learning, classroom management as well as other requests.

National Academic Educational Partners Miami, Florida
Instructional Director 2017 – 2018

- Provided professional development to administrators, teacher leaders, and teachers.
 - Standards and shifts of common core mathematics.
 - Lesson study and design process.
 - Classroom culture and environment.
- Conducted needs assessment walkthroughs to identify areas that would benefit from professional development.

LBA Business and Construction Management Academy Miami, Florida
Assistant Principal 2016 – 2017

- Instructional Leadership
 - Data-disaggregation
 - Created content focus calendars.
 - Met with teachers bi-weekly.
 - Cross-referenced standards with item-specifications.
 - Discussed how to re-teach standards that were not up to par.
 - Classroom walkthroughs
 - Provided immediate feedback to teachers.
 - Discussed strengths as well as areas of improvement.
 - Provided support through professional development, classroom resources, or assistance from district personnel.
- Testing Coordinator
- Reviewed and ordered instructional materials.
- Assisted the Principal with day-to-day operations such as transportation, facilities, food services, and compliance.

Instructional Technology - MDCPS

Miami, Florida

iPrep.Math Facilitator

2013 - 2016

- Developed curriculum for 49 middle schools participating in the iPrep.Math blended learning project.
- Provided professional development to teachers, administrators, and District personnel.
- Disaggregated data to make informed instructional decisions.
- Modeled lessons in classrooms to provide coaching for struggling teachers.
- Collaborated and develop lesson plans alongside teachers and instructional coaches on a continuous basis.
- Shared best practices for technology integration in the classroom.
- Conducted classroom walkthroughs as part of Instructional Reviews.
- Created and deliver project-based learning tasks to promote a change in traditional teaching practices.
- Debriefed with school-site administrators after classroom visits.
- Attended conferences (ISTE and Race to the Top) to continue with individual professional growth.

Lawton Chiles Middle School – MDCPS

Miami, Florida

Mathematics and Data Coach

2011-2013

- Aligned and developed curriculum for 6th, 7th, 8th grade, and Algebra I.
- Collected and shared data with administrative team, teachers, and students.
- Initiated the coaching cycle to go through the process of planning, observing, modeling and co-teaching in the classroom
- Facilitated common planning meetings with grade-level teachers
- Improved learning gains in mathematics State assessments when compared to previous academic school year
- Demonstrated 98% proficiency in the school's Algebra I End-of-Course exam

Miami Carol City Senior High School - MDCPS

Miami, Florida

Mathematics Coach

2010-2011

- Aligned and developed curriculum for 10th grade, 11th and 12th grade re-takers
- Coached and modeled lessons for teachers and students as needed
- Collected and disaggregated data to share strengths and areas in need of improvement with administrators, teachers, and students
- Facilitated common planning meetings
- Oversaw and planned for Saturday Success Academy

Somerset Academy Miramar

Miramar, Florida

School Advisory Committee Chair

2007-2010

- Prepared and conducted meetings for twenty schools and community stakeholders
- Developed fundraiser events to fund *Promethean Boards in Every Classroom* project
- Procured a new playground for the school and oversee construction of the facility

Mathematics Teacher/Department Chair

- Utilized Virtual Counselor to identify data trends in student needs
- Evaluated teachers and provided assistance in classroom management, lesson plan development and delivery

Somerset Academy Chapel Trail

Pembroke Pines, Florida

Mathematics Teacher – Middle and High School

2005-2007

- Awarded STAR bonus funds in recognition of superior student achievement and learning gains on the FCAT
- Served as the sixth grade Class Sponsor

Miami Lakes Middle School - MDCPS

Miami Lakes, Florida

Mathematics Teacher/Dean of Students

2003-2005

- Facilitated professional growth and address school discipline needs as a quasi-administrator
- Was responsible for discipline management including processing referrals and communicating with parents
- Performed lunch duty and supervised student dismissal to ensure student safety
- Coordinated Saturday Tutorial Academy

Certifications

FLDOE Professional Certificate: Educational Leadership, Middle Grades Mathematics 5-9, Integrated Curriculum 5-9, and Physical Education Grades K-8