
General Information

All County Board and Commission members must be residents of Los Alamos County.

Once a resident fills out and submits this application, an interview is scheduled with the B&C's County Council liaison, the relevant staff liaison, and the B&C Chair. After the interviews, the applicants' names are presented to the full Council during a regularly scheduled Council meeting, where a vote is taken regarding the appointment of each applicant. Each applicant will be notified if they are appointed or not.

Only on-line applications will be considered.

If you are interested in applying for the Board of Public Utilities, please contact Jamie Kephart at 505-662-8132.

If you are interested in applying for Labor Relations Board, please contact Denise Cassel at 505-662-8047.

Profile

Board and Commission Application

Note: Please be aware that as a public entity, the County of Los Alamos, is obligated to furnish this information to the public if requested. Note also that current LANL employees, if appointed to a Board or Commission, may be required by LANL to complete a 701 form.

Ramiro

First Name

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Middle Initial

Pereyra

Last Name

Street Address

Suite or Apt

Los Alamos

City

NM

State

87544

Postal Code

t 505-662-8132
Email Address

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Party affiliation as registered: (Select one of the following) *

☒ Republican

Registered to vote in Los Alamos?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Chris Wilson

How did you learn of this Board/Commission vacancy?

Do you currently serve on any County Board or Commission?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, which one? (Los Alamos County law prohibits residents from serving concurrently on more than one County board except as expressly approved in writing by the County Council before the appointment is made.)

Interests & Experiences

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Parks and Recreation: Submitted

Why would you like to serve on this particular Board or Commission?

I would like to serve on this board because many of my students utilize the many benefits of the Parks and Recreation department. I also would like to help improve the county by providing more recreation activities for all ages.

What volunteer or professional activities have you participated in that could apply to this appointment?

I have officiated for swimming and I am a Natural Helpers Councilor. I also work with students that utilize many recreation facilities. I also have worked for the swimming pool as a lifeguard.

The time involved may be 10-15 hours per month or more. Are you able to serve the volunteer hours and attend training needed to perform your duties as an appointee?

Yes.

**What would you like to accomplish during your tenure on this Board or Commission?
(Please identify any special interests you have that led you to become interested in serving
on this Board or Commission.)**

I would like to open more recreational activities for youth and more events for families. I would like to bring the community more together with family events. I would like to improve and upgrade our current recreational facilities.

**Have you had any direct or indirect involvement with this Board or Commission or with the
County staff supporting this Board or Commission or County Councilors? If so, please
explain.**

I have spoken to Chris Wilson about the position and have also applied before.

**Are there any issue or matters, financial or otherwise, that you are now or might become
involved in that may come before the Board or Commission for which you seek
appointment?**

No.

If you have any questions, please contact Libby Carlsten at 505-662-8261 or
libby.carlsten@lacnm.us



LOS ALAMOS COUNTY
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE
BOARD & COMMISSION INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

RAMIRO PEYRERA
Applicant's Name

PARKS & REC
Board or Commission

PETE SHEEHY
Interviewer Name

1/24/2018 5 PM
Date/Time of Interview

Interview Conducted:
☒ Personally
☐ Telephone

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#	Question/Documented Response
1	Please tell us a little about yourself and then describe your experience, education, and training that qualify you for this Board or Commission. <i>(ASPEN SCHOOL) LOCALLY GREEN UP; SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHER; COMPETITIVE SWIMMER. VERY IN-TUNE WITH YOUNGER KIDS</i>
2	What do you believe are the greatest issues facing the County? What do you believe are the greatest issues facing the Board/commission you applied for? [Note to interview panel: If the answer to this question appears to be off base with Council's position, please explore a little more.] <i>BUDGET ALWAYS AN ISSUE. THIS COUNTY NOT THAT BAD; EDUCATION FUNDING NEEDED. WOULD LIKE MORE PROGRAMS FOR YOUTH LIKE BEAR CAMP.</i>
3	How do you perceive the role of County Boards and Commissions in local government? <i>IMPORTANT TO WORK ON ISSUES, ADVISE COUNCIL IN DETAIL, AT SCHOOL THERE ARE TEAMS THAT REPORT TO DISTRICT. BOARDS BRING LOWER LEVEL INPUT TO COUNCIL</i>
4	What specific skills do you feel are important for effective Board or Commission members? Which ones do you possess? <i>TEAMWORK, COMMUNICATION, OPEN-MINDEDNESS,</i>
5	What could you do, specifically, to foster a collaborative relationship between staff and the Board or Commission on which you would like to serve? <i>KEEP LINES OF COMMUNICATION OPEN. INTEGRITY IMPORTANT - BE HONEST & OPEN, BUT RESPECTFUL OF OTHERS' OPINIONS</i>

6	<p>Have you served on any Boards, Commissions or Committees (not only County B&Cs – but also church groups, non-profit boards, school committees, etc.) within the last five years? What do you think was your greatest contribution during your tenure?</p> <p>YES, CHAIR OF SOCIAL COMMITTEE AT ASPEN DATA TEAM, LEADERSHIP TEAM NATURAL HELPERS – REPRESENTED STUDENTS TO STAFF</p>
7	<p>Are you familiar with the County Charter and County Code as they apply to the Board you are applying for?</p> <p>NO, WILL LEARN</p>
8	<p>Are you willing to take the time to attend training sessions to become more knowledgeable about your duties and responsibilities in an advisory capacity?</p> <p>YES</p>
9	<p>Are you aware that, as a member of a Los Alamos County Board or Commission, your written communications, including e-mails, are public records (even if produced on your personal computer), and as such are subject to the New Mexico Inspection of Public Records Act. If any of these public records are requested for review/inspection under the Act you may need to produce them. Is this a deterrent to your willingness to serve on this Board?</p> <p>NO</p>
10	<p>Currently, a few boards or commissions are “live streaming” their meetings (T-Board, Parks and Recreation Board, and the Planning and Zoning Commission.) In the future, this may be required of all boards. If you’re applying for one of the boards currently streaming or if it becomes a requirement for all B&Cs to stream, is this - or will this - be a deterrent to your willingness to serve?</p> <p>NO</p>
11	<p>[Interview panel: Ask questions you think necessary for clarification of the written answers this applicant provided as part of their application.]</p> <p>SPECIAL INTERESTS: SWIMMING; REC. CTR. HAS KNOWLEDGE OF SPECIAL ED KIDS. 'NATURAL HELPERS': PROGRAM THAT ENCOURAGES STUDENTS TO SERVE AS COUNSELORS, WORKING WITH SUPERVISION, TO HELP OTHER STUDENTS.</p>
12	<p>Do you have any questions for the interview panel?</p> <p>ROLE OF SUBCOMMITTEES - ADVICE MAIN COMMITTEE MEET ONCE A MONTH RECREATION REALLY HELPS PEOPLE'S MOODS & EMOTIONAL PROBLEMS</p>

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LOS ALAMOS COUNTY

COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE

BOARD & COMMISSION INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

Trey Pereyra
Applicant's Name

PRB
Board or Commission

Stephane N
Interviewer Name

1/24/18 5pm
Date/Time of Interview

Interview Conducted:
☐ Personally
☐ Telephone

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#	Question/Documented Response
1	<p>Please tell us a little about yourself and then describe your experience, education, and training that qualify you for this Board or Commission.</p> <p>Raised in LA - work at Aspen - swim competitively - use ice rink & golf course. In tune w/ younger age group. My students utilize specialized background helpful.</p>
2	<p>What do you believe are the greatest issues facing the County? What do you believe are the greatest issues facing the Board/commission you applied for? [Note to interview panel: If the answer to this question appears to be off base with Council's position, please explore a little more.]</p> <p>Budget → county, gets tighter every year. LAC not as many issues. Education - fighting w/ state. More programs for youth in summer - like Bear Camp.</p>
3	<p>How do you perceive the role of County Boards and Commissions in local government?</p> <p>Take an issue & break it down to lower level, study, then send back up. We have boards (teams) at school - takes more off plates - gets word in from community.</p>
4	<p>What specific skills do you feel are important for effective Board or Commission members? Which ones do you possess?</p> <p>Teamwork, commun. open mindedness - working w/ teachers, parents, OT, PT. Comm important so you can give ideas & open mindedness so you can hear them.</p>
5	<p>What could you do, specifically, to foster a collaborative relationship between staff and the Board or Commission on which you would like to serve?</p> <p>open lines of communication - willing to go back to anyone. Having integrity - open & honest while being respectful.</p>

6	<p>Have you served on any Boards, Commissions or Committees (not only County B&Cs – but also church groups, non-profit boards, school committees, etc.) within the last five years? What do you think was your greatest contribution during your tenure?</p> <p>Chair of social committee for Aspen. District health & wellness. Natural helpers, & several others. Contributed in many ways - serving staff interests & students. Was able to maintain efforts toward student well being.</p>
7	<p>Are you familiar with the County Charter and County Code as they apply to the Board you are applying for?</p> <p>Not yet but willing to learn.</p>
8	<p>Are you willing to take the time to attend training sessions to become more knowledgeable about your duties and responsibilities in an advisory capacity?</p> <p>yes</p>
9	<p>Are you aware that, as a member of a Los Alamos County Board or Commission, your written communications, including e-mails, are public records (even if produced on your personal computer), and as such are subject to the New Mexico Inspection of Public Records Act. If any of these public records are requested for review/inspection under the Act you may need to produce them. Is this a deterrent to your willingness to serve on this Board?</p> <p>NO - transparency important</p>
10	<p>Currently, a few boards or commissions are "live streaming" their meetings (T-Board, Parks and Recreation Board, and the Planning and Zoning Commission.) In the future, this may be required of all boards. If you're applying for one of the boards currently streaming or if it becomes a requirement for all B&Cs to stream, is this - or will this - be a deterrent to your willingness to serve?</p> <p>NO</p>
11	<p>[Interview panel: Ask questions you think necessary for clarification of the written answers this applicant provided as part of their application.]</p> <p>Special - swimming, Aqu. Center - New Rec Center Nat'l helpers - school/student peers - he trains them at Aspen - 3 years Get ideas from kids to board. Rec provides outlet for those w/ needs - emotional, etc.</p>
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Applicant's Name

Parks & Rec

Board or Commission

Chris Wilson

Interviewer Name

1/24/18 5 PM

Date/Time of Interview

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1	<p>Please tell us a little about yourself and then describe your experience, education, and training that qualify you for this Board or Commission.</p> <p><u>Raised here, Aspen education, Swimmer, Ice Rink</u> <u>In tuned with younger age group</u> <u>Special Education to gifted programs</u></p>
2	<p>What do you believe are the greatest issues facing the County? What do you believe are the greatest issues facing the Board/commission you applied for? [Note to interview panel: If the answer to this question appears to be off base with Council's position, please explore a little more.]</p> <p><u>Budget - tighter & tighter, Not as many issues</u> <u>for this County. State School Funding, Summer</u> <u>camp options - Childcare summer</u></p>
3	<p>How do you perceive the role of County Boards and Commissions in local government?</p> <p><u>Very important, break it down then pass results</u> <u>up. School teams pass up info. Meeting public</u> <u>out reach</u></p>
4	<p>What specific skills do you feel are important for effective Board or Commission members? Which ones do you possess?</p> <p><u>Teamwork, communication, open mindedness</u> <u>OT, PT, Teachers, Effectiveness on getting</u> <u>ideas across</u></p>
5	<p>What could you do, specifically, to foster a collaborative relationship between staff and the Board or Commission on which you would like to serve?</p> <p><u>Open lines of communication, come to me</u> <u>go to staff. Integrity of opinions while</u> <u>being respectful of others opinions</u></p>

6	<p>Have you served on any Boards, Commissions or Committees (not only County B&Cs – but also church groups, non-profit boards, school committees, etc.) within the last five years? What do you think was your greatest contribution during your tenure?</p> <p>Served Leadership, Health and Wellness, Councilors Contributed to all of them. Staff driven yet help w Student well being</p>
7	<p>Are you familiar with the County Charter and County Code as they apply to the Board you are applying for?</p> <p>Not that familiar with yet willing to learn as much as can</p>
8	<p>Are you willing to take the time to attend training sessions to become more knowledgeable about your duties and responsibilities in an advisory capacity?</p> <p>Yes</p>
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11	<p>[Interview panel: Ask questions you think necessary for clarification of the written answers this applicant provided as part of their application.]</p> <p>Student wants and needs - understand Swimming - Aquatic Center - All ages Natural Helpers - Activities in school - Students go to them - Councilors help them learn to do peer</p>
12	<p>Do you have any questions for the interview panel?</p> <p>What brought you. Improve community Recreation - Vital piece of the puzzle</p>

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