
General Information

All County Board and Commission members must be residents of Los Alamos County. Lodgers' Tax Advisory Board members, except the at-large community member, do not need to be residents if they are employed/represent an attraction or hotel.

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 Labor Relations Board, please contact Mary Tapia at 505-662-8040.

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.

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Transportation: Submitted

Hermann

First Name

Geppert-Kleinrath

Last Name

Middle
Initial

Street Address

Suite or Apt

City

State

Postal Code

Email Address

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Registered to vote in Los Alamos?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☒ None of the above

How long have you lived in Los Alamos County?

since 2017

How did you learn of this Board/Commission vacancy?

David Hampton

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.)

Community Service

List boards, commissions, committees, and organizations on which you are currently serving or have served. Include any offices held.

Environmental Sustainability Board

Employment and Education

List your current and past employment experience.

LANL

List your current and past education including any professional or vocational licenses or certificates.

PhD in physics

Interests & Experiences

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

I am interested in safer streets for all participants and modes of transport.

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.)

Improve safety for pedestrians, micro-mobility, and cyclists. Improve public transport.

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 worked on the bicycle working group and was a liaison from the ESB to the transportation board.

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

Bicycle working group.

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 I am.

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.

General

Have you ever worked for Los Alamos County?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, please list dates and department.

Are you related to any employee of Los Alamos County?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, please indicate name and relationship.

Are you aware of any potential conflicts of interest in connection to your occupation or financial holdings in relation to your responsibilities as a member of the advisory body to which you seek appointment?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, please indicate any potential conflicts.

Are you aware of the time commitment necessary to fulfill the obligations of the Board or Commission to which you seek appointment?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Can you commit to approximately 10-15 hours per month to this Board or Commission to prepare for and attend monthly meetings and training as needed?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Are you willing to participate in Board and Commission meetings that are recorded and may be live-streamed?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Are you willing to have your name listed on the County Boards and Commissions public webpage?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If you have any questions, please contact Adrienne Lovato at 505-662-8293



County Manager's Office
BOARD & COMMISSION INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

Hermann Geppert-Kleinrath
Applicant's Name

Transportation Board
Board or Commission

David Hampton
Interviewer Name

February 17, 2026 - 3:00 pm
Date/Time of Interview

Interview Conducted:
☒ Personally
☐ Telephone
☐ Remote/Zoom

NOTE TO INTERVIEW PANEL: Please remember to use this interview as an opportunity to share Council's directives and guidance for B&C's.

#	Question/Documented Response
1	Please tell us a little about yourself, especially your experience and background related to this board/commission. <i>Chair Bicycle Working Group, Liaison from ESAB, Bicycle Working Group report, supra pedestrian safety, has seen European models, public transit enthusiast. Gas vs Electricity analysis.</i>
2	Why would you like to serve on this board/commission? <i>Brings unique perspective, transportation impacts our living spaces, wants to create safe communities. Rush hour solutions, multi-modal transportation.</i>
3	What do you believe are the major issues facing this board/commission? <i>How to go carbon neutral. How correctly design roads and move people to other transit modes. Increasing VNL living/need for housing.</i>
4	How would you balance the needs of pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists when making recommendations? <i>Intersection improvements, lacking bicycle infrastructure, alternative transportation solutions, more transit. Education.</i>
5	What do you feel you could contribute to this board/commission? <i>Lived experience with multi-modal transportation. Bicycle Working Group report, etc.</i>

6	What other community and/or civic activities have you been involved in? ESB, BWG, SKE Patrol
7	Do you have any questions about the expectations included in the application? No. Has seen.
8	Do you have any other questions for the interview panel? No.

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Suzie Havemann
Interviewer Name

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1	Please tell us a little about yourself, especially your experience and background related to this board/commission. - When on ESB was the liaison to T-Board. - chaired the Bicycle Working Group... a balanced needs w/ pedestrians & Inclusivity task force. - lived in diff parts of Europe so can bring broad perspective to roads & transp. Understands various perspectives
2	Why would you like to serve on this board/commission? - To help create a safer environ. for our kids - to focus on ways to make intersections safer. - Traffic issues at 8:20 am. - Bus routes & public transp.
3	What do you believe are the major issues facing this board/commission? - Los Alamos trying to become Carbon neutral -- EV's & elec. buses & waste trucks; collab. w/ ESB. - Road budgets/costs related to driving alternatives. - Road safety
4	How would you balance the needs of pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists when making recommendations? Thinks most bottlenecks are at intersections so look at ways to streamline throughput; given our cyclist & pedestrian #s, it is clear we lack proper infrastructure.
5	What do you feel you could contribute to this board/commission? See above answers, + focuses on safety & accessibility, it's about looking for solns. wants to have impact on ensuring kids can ride bike to school w/o safety worries.

6	What other community and/or civic activities have you been involved in? ESB Bicycle Working Group Ski Patrol
7	Do you have any questions about the expectations included in the application? NO, understands the scope.
8	Do you have any other questions for the interview panel? Confirmed the first meeting would be in April.

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Transportation Board
Board or Commission

Eric Martinez
Interviewer Name

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1	Please tell us a little about yourself, especially your experience and background related to this board/commission. ESB LIAISON TO TROOPS, CHAIKED BICYCLE WORKING GROUP, SUPPORTS BICYCLISTS & PEDS, LIVED IN DIFF. COUNTRIES, BROAD PERSPECTIVE ON TRAVEL. SOLUTIONS, MOVE TRUCKS, DIFF PERSPECTIVE FROM DIFF. ROAD USERS.
2	Why would you like to serve on this board/commission? DIRECT IMPACT ON LIVES, SAFER ENVIRONMENT, WAYS TO MAKE INTERSECTIONS SAFER, ADDRESS CONGESTION, OPPORTUNITIES W/ PUBLIC TRAVEL.
3	What do you believe are the major issues facing this board/commission? SOLUTIONS NEEDED TO HELP LA BE CARBON NEUTRAL LOOK AT OTHER MODES OF TRANSPORT, LA'S HIKING INCREASE * HOUSING ISSUES RESULT IN MORE TRAFFIC * HOW TO ADDRESS
4	How would you balance the needs of pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists when making recommendations? BOTTLENECKS AT SIGNALS, STREAMLINE THROUGH-PUT, LOOK AT RID. OF BIKES & PEDS, IMPROVE FOCUS ON OTHER MODES, REALLOCATE SPACE, HOW ROW IS COMING
5	What do you feel you could contribute to this board/commission? INTERESTED IN TOPIC, SAFETY, MOTIVATED TO HAVE IMPACT, DIVERSE PERSPECTIVE

6	What other community and/or civic activities have you been involved in? ESB & BICYCLE WORKING GROUP, SKI PATROL (PREVIOUS)
7	Do you have any questions about the expectations included in the application? UNDERSTANDS EXPECTATIONS
8	Do you have any other questions for the interview panel?

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