



City of Gilroy
Board, Committee, & Commission Application

**All Commission, Board, and Committee applications are a public record.*

Board/Committee/Commission of Interest:		Youth Commission	
Name:	Crystal Garcia Pablo		
Phone number(s):	[REDACTED]	email address*:	[REDACTED]
Are you a registered voter within the City limits?		No	
Physical Address*:	[REDACTED]		
Driver's License or ID No.:		Date of Birth*:	Last 4 of SSN:
List your qualifications for this appointment:			
<p>I possess a range of qualifications that make me well-suited for this position. My strong public speaking and communication skills allow me to effectively engage with adults and peers when seeking assistance or sharing ideas, a skill set I have practiced through my involvement in other boards and committees. I have a genuine openness to new ideas and enjoy collaborating with others, valuing the diverse perspectives they bring. In addition, I have expertise in social media management, graphic design for creating flyers, and spreading awareness through various channels. I am also skilled in editing and own a camera, which I frequently use to capture images for other boards and events. Furthermore, I have expertise in website creation and maintenance, ensuring a strong online presence for the board or committee. Together, these qualifications, like public speaking, communication, social media, graphic design, photography, and website development, make me a well-rounded and capable candidate for this position.</p>			
List any service to the community including any prior appointments:			
<p>I have dedicated my time to volunteering at events organized by the Gilroy Youth Commission, such as Dia de los Niños and the Christmas drive. Additionally, I played a role in reintroducing Girls Who Code to the Gilroy Library, where we successfully conducted 6-8 week coding programs for young girls, having 28 girls. As a member of Gilroy's Teen Advisory Board for the library, I manage social media, capture event photos, and collaborate with my peers to plan engaging activities. Furthermore, I actively contribute as a member of the YMCA Youth Board, where we work collectively to organize events for YMCA youth and raise funds for Power School and also the yearly toy drive during Christmas. Within my school, I tutor underclassmen and participate in various clubs, including the Women Empowerment STEM Club as treasurer, the Interact Club, and the Culture Club. Beyond the community and school, I am also involved with WriteCause, an organization that addresses global issues and amplifies the voices of teenagers. As the marketing director.</p>			

What are your goals while serving on this Board/Commission/Committee?

I am eager to join the Gilroy Youth Commission and actively contribute to the community, making a significant impact. One thing I truly enjoy is collaborating with a team to share our ideas with the community. Supporting and uplifting our community by working together with others is a genuine passion of mine, and being a member of this board would provide me with the perfect platform to create a meaningful difference. I am enthusiastic about the opportunity to work with a team and collectively contribute to the improvement of our community through teamwork. I aim to represent the youth in our community and also raise awareness and participation in various events. Additionally, I hope to coordinate with my team to generate more opportunities and raise funds for the youth in our community.

Why are you the most qualified to serve on this Board/Commission/Committee?

I am highly qualified to serve on this Board/Commission/Committee due to my extensive leadership experience, both within the community and my school. I have demonstrated my ability to take charge and effectively communicate my ideas. Additionally, I have actively engaged with the public and sought assistance from various organizations such as YMCA, the Gilroy Library, and the Morgan Hill Library. My passion for the community is unwavering, and I genuinely believe that I can bring valuable contributions to this board. I am confident in my ability to engage with people, secure funding, and raise awareness, which are essential for the success of the Youth Commission. With my dedication and drive, I am eager to demonstrate the power and potential of the youth within the Gilroy community. * I just wanted to clarify that I lived in Gilroy for my whole life (El Roble Elementary, Luigi Aprea Elementary, Brownell Middle School) but I just recently moved this year to San Juan and truly want to continue to be apart of Gilroy's community.

✓	<p>By clicking on this box, I declare under penalty of perjury that I am currently a registered voter within the City limits of the City of Gilroy. Furthermore, I understand that this application and any attachments are subject to disclosure under the Public Records Act and must complete mandatory Open Government Ordinance Training. I further understand that members of the Planning Commission, Building Boards of Appeals, and Physically Challenged Board of Appeals are also subject to filing the Fair Political Practice Commission's Statement of Economic Interest Form 700 relating to financial disclosures.</p>
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