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**PORTLAND, OREGON**

OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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March 4, 2010

To: Sam Adams  
Mayor

From: Randy Leonard   
Commissioner of Public Safety

Subject: Re-appointment to the Noise Review Board

**Re-Appointment**

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With this re-appointment, the Noise Review Board has filled all required positions for the commission. I have enclosed an updated Noise Review Board membership list for your records.

Enclosure

**Noise Review Board:**

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***The current members and their alternates are:***

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Julie Greb	Construction Industry	February 28, 2012 (1 <sup>st</sup> full term)
Vance Yoakum	Citizen at Large	February 28, 2012 (2 <sup>nd</sup> full term)

Primary Contact to the Noise Review Board: Paul van Orden, 503-823-5829  
Donah Baribeau, 503-823-0891



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## Interest Form for City Board & Commission Appointments

The purpose of this form is to obtain information for use in making appointments to City boards, commissions, and committees, and to assist the Mayor in making inquiries concerning the qualifications of applicants for appointment. Please note that information provided in this document is public information, with the exception of the confidential section. (Information in the confidential section will only be disclosed as required by law.) If you have a recently prepared biography or resumé, please attach it to this form. Thank you for your interest.

Please return application, resumé and any additional information to:  
Office of Neighborhood Involvement, 1221 SW 4<sup>th</sup> Ave, Room 110, Portland, Or 97204

To help ensure equal access to City programs, services and activities, the City of Portland will reasonably modify policies/procedures and provide auxiliary aids/services to persons with disabilities. Call 503-823-2030 or 503-823-4000 with such requests.

Name: David A Sweet  
First Middle Initial Last  
Mailing Address: 4520 NE 19<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Portland, OR 97211

Occupation: Retired

Daytime Phone: 503-493-9434 Email: david@sabingreen.net

Biography/Resumé Attached?  Yes  No

### CHECK UP TO THREE (3) GROUPS YOU ARE INTERESTED IN (descriptions are online):

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|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adjustment Committee                | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing Authority of Portland          | <input type="checkbox"/> Portland Planning Commission        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building Code Board of Appeal       | <input type="checkbox"/> Independent Police Review              | <input type="checkbox"/> Portland Utility Review Board       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business License Appeals Board      | <input type="checkbox"/> Investment Advisory Committee          | <input type="checkbox"/> Private-for-Hire Board of Review    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Citizen Campaign Committee          | <input type="checkbox"/> Mechanical Code Board of Appeal        | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Involvement Advisory Council |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civil Service Board                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Metro Exposition-Recreation Comm.      | <input type="checkbox"/> Purchasing Board of Appeals         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Budget Advisory Board     | <input type="checkbox"/> Mt. Hood Cable Regulatory Comm.        | <input type="checkbox"/> Regional Arts & Culture Council     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Design Commission                   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Noise Review Board          | <input type="checkbox"/> River Community Advisory Committee  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Development Review Advisory Bd      | <input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing Code Board of Appeal          | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Business Advisory Council     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elders in Action                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Portland Community Media               | <input type="checkbox"/> Special Inspections Advisory Board  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Electrical Code Board of Appeals    | <input type="checkbox"/> Portland Development Commission        | <input type="checkbox"/> Structural Engineering Adv. Board   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fire Code Board of Appeal           | <input type="checkbox"/> Portland Historical Landmarks Comm.    | <input type="checkbox"/> Time, Place, Manner Adv. Comm.      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Floating Structures Board of Appeal | <input type="checkbox"/> Portland/Multnomah Food Policy Council | <input type="checkbox"/> Towing Board of Review              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Golf Advisory Committee             | <input type="checkbox"/> Portland/Multnomah Sustainable         | <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Forestry Commission           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing & Community Devel Comm      | <input type="checkbox"/> Portland Parks Board                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Workforce Investment Board          |

### List education, including degree(s) earned:

- 1972-74 Portland State University. Bachelor's Degree in History with a Certificate in Urban Studies.
- 1969-71 The Learning Community, Portland, Oregon. I was a founding member of this experiment in higher education, accredited by Antioch College, and funded by the Carnegie Foundation.
- 1967-69 Reed College, Portland, Oregon.

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**List your experience working on diverse teams or committees:**

- Bureau of Neighborhood Environment/Bureau of Buildings, Neighborhood Inspections Team—1976-99
- Project Linkage Board of Directors—1990-94
- Albina Community Plan, Technical Advisory Committee—1990-93 (approx.)
- Multi-Agency Task Force (project of SE Uplift)—1993-95 (approx.)
- Citizens Advisory Committee for Quality Rental Housing (Staff)—1994-95 (approx.)
- Northwest Earth Institute, Board of Directors—1995-99


**Describe your understanding of the services the City of Portland provides:**

The City provides a comprehensive array of urban services, including police, fire, water, sewer, parks, and maintenance of the transportation infrastructure. The City establishes and enforces minimum standards for property maintenance, plans for and regulates the use of land, enforces State construction codes, and regulates the conduct of business. The City provides all the services necessary for orderly urban living, except for those provided by Multnomah County (health, jails, libraries, animal control, etc.) and those provided by Metro (waste disposal, regional planning, zoo, etc.)

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**My signature affirms that all information contained herein is true to the best of my knowledge, and that I understand that any misstatement of fact or misrepresentation of credentials may result in this application being disqualified from further consideration.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

10/1/08

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Portland, OR 97211

Phone:(503) 493-9434

[david@sabingreen.net](mailto:david@sabingreen.net)

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October 1, 2008

RE: Noise Review Board

To Whom It May Concern:

Thank you for considering my application to serve on the Noise Review Board. I would welcome this opportunity to be of service to my chosen city.

37 years ago, as I was considering the remainder of my college education, I chose the Urban Studies Program at Portland State, because I wanted to work for the City of Portland. I wanted to better understand what makes this city so great, and see if I could be a part of that.

In my 23-year career with the City I was privileged to work with many conscientious, hard-working people. I enjoyed an insider's view of the City's functions, and was able to participate in some of it's successes.

I now find that, while I am enjoying a busy retirement, I miss the connection I had with city government. My years in noise control work give me experience understanding the acoustical environment of Portland and the expectations our citizens have for it. I would like to continue to contribute my energy and talents to the City, and I believe that the Noise Review Board is a place where I have something to offer.

Sincerely,



David Sweet