

Volunteer Opportunities - PC Vacancy

TOWN OF PARADISE VALLEY COMMITTEE VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM

Thank you for your interest in serving on the Planning Commission. The deadline to be considered for appointment to fill the vacancy is May 26, 2021 at 5:00 PM.

Please provide the following background information.

Name*	William E. Wilder ("Bill")
Address*	[REDACTED] P.V., AZ 85253
Email*	[REDACTED]
Home Phone	[REDACTED]
Employer	Ryley, Carlock & Applewhite
Occupation	Attorney, Semi Retired
Business Phone	[REDACTED]
Cell Phone	[REDACTED]
Number of years as PV resident	22 yrs

PLEASE SEE LETTER

What experience do you think qualifies you to serve on the Planning Commission?

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Community Activities

PLEASE SEE RESUME

Have you familiarized yourself with the duties of the Planning Commission?*

Yes

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Attach resume and cover letter

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WILLIAM F WILDER

[REDACTED]
Paradise Valley, AZ 85253

May 24, 2021

To: Mayor and Council
Town of Paradise Valley

Re: Planning Commission Application

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am applying to fill a prospective vacancy on the Town of Paradise Valley Planning Commission.

I have been a practicing attorney in the Valley for nearly 57 years, I have lived in Paradise Valley for 22 years. At this point, I am semi-retired.

Throughout my career I have handled a number of real estate matters, including, as such is relevant, representing a land owner of approximately 1000 acres, in developing such property into the Arrowhead Mall and surrounding commercial development, including all necessary zoning and land use planning and development work.

Also while the President of the Board of Trustees of the Desert Botanical Garden, I engineered a land exchange with the City of Phoenix enabling the Desert Botanical Garden to incorporate into the Garden about 11 acres of land along the East side of Galvin Parkway.

Please refer to my resume for information regarding my experience and the community activities I have been involved in.

If selected to serve on the Town of Paradise Valley Planning Commission, I believe I can provide both the necessary interest and experience to be a productive member.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]



William F. Wilder

Senior Counsel | Phoenix



Solutions

- Public Finance and Corporate Trust
- Business
- Lending
- Real Estate

Bill joined Ryley Carlock & Applewhite in 1964 following his graduation from the University of Arizona College of Law and served as the firm's Managing Shareholder from 1988 to 1998.

He has a diversified practice in the areas of public finance, corporate and securities law, real estate, probate and estate planning, and representation of corporate fiduciaries, with a primary emphasis on the representation of clients in all aspects of public finance law. Bill has extensive experience in representing public entities and in serving as counsel to issuers, underwriters, indenture trustees, borrowing entities, and as bond counsel in connection with public financing transactions. He also serves as a general counsel to a number of profit and nonprofit corporations.

A native Arizonan, Bill was born in Prescott on August 29, 1938, is married to Liisa, has two adult children, Rebecca Butcher and Andrew Wilder, and five grandchildren.

Scouting has always been a part of Bill's life and as a young man he was active in scouting, was a camp counselor and water safety instructor and is an Eagle Scout.

Bill graduated from Tucson High School in 1956 and upon graduation reported for active duty aboard the U.S.S. Mansfield, DD 728, where he served as a signalman, 3rd class. He returned to Tucson in 1958, entered the University of Arizona, completed his naval reserve duty and was honorably discharged in 1962.

Bill is active in the business, civic and cultural affairs of the greater Phoenix area. In his free time Bill enjoys hunting, fishing, hiking, skiing, tennis, exploring the southwest, traveling, studying history of any era, and spending time with his family.

Publications & Speaking Experience

Bill is a frequent lecturer at various legal and continuing education seminars and programs.

Memberships & Associations

- Arizona Desert Bighorn Sheep Society, Member
- Arizona Historical Society, Member
- Roosevelt Rough Riders, Member
- Phoenix Art Museum, Member
- Alpha Tau Omega, Member
- Desert Botanical Garden, Trustee (2009-2018 and 1997-2007), President of Board of Trustees (2004-2006)
- Volunteer at the Desert Botanical Garden (2019-present)
- Phoenix Community Alliance, Director (1994-present)

- Audubon Arizona, Director (2006-2012)
- Arizonans for Cultural Development, Director (1994-2000)
- The Arizona Club, Director (1993-1997), President (1995-1996)
- Assistance League of Phoenix, Chapter Advisory Board (1989-1993)
- National Municipal League, Regional Vice President (1985-1986)
- American Heart Association Arizona Affiliate, Director (1975-1983), Chairman of Board (1982-1983)
- Ducks Unlimited, Phoenix Area Chairman (1974-1976)
- Boy Scouts of America, Assistant Scoutmaster (1965-1975)

Professional Memberships & Associations

- AV-Rated Attorney by *Martindale-Hubbell*.
- Listed in *Best Lawyers in America*®
- Named to *Legal Leaders' Top Rated Lawyer List*
- National Association of Bond Lawyers, Member
- Arizona and Maricopa County Bar Associations, Member
- Arizona Bar Foundation, Founding Fellow

Admitted to Practice

- Arizona, 1964
- U.S. District Court, District of Arizona, 1964

Education

- B.S., University of Arizona, 1962
- LL.B., University of Arizona, 1964 (Graduated 3rd in class)

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