

Archaeological Commission

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Applicant	Date	Address	Contact	Status
MR. Peter Joseph Cerk	5/9/2025	Yes, I am a resident of the City of Alexandria. (NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.): Yes		Validated
Ms. Ann Greer	7/10/2025	Yes, I am a resident of the City of Alexandria. (NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.): Yes		Validated
Ms. Laura Ison Thevenot	4/2/2025	Yes, I am a resident of the City of Alexandria. (NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.): Yes		Validated

MR. Peter Joseph Cerka

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Status		Board	Vacancies	Status
Name	MR. Peter Joseph Cerka	Archaeological Commission	2	Contested
Application Date	5/9/2025			
Expiration Date	12/9/2025			
Board Member	Peter Joseph Cerka			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
MR. Peter Joseph Cerka

Date of Birth
REDACTED

Contact Information

Yes, I am a resident of the City of Alexandria. (NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.)

Yes

Email
REDACTED

Alternate email
REDACTED

Phone
REDACTED

Occupation

Employer (student and youth applicants list school)
Consultant Project Manager

Job Title
REDACTED

New Applicant or Current Member
New Applicant

What seat are you applying for? (Ex: citizen, architect, youth member, etc.)
Alexandria Archaeological Commission Member At-Large

Do you currently live in the City of Alexandria? NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.
Yes

How long have you lived in Alexandria?
4.5 Years

Statement of Interest
My name is Peter J. Cerka, and my wife and I have been residents of the City of Alexandria for approximately 4 and a half years. Both my wife and I are passionate about history and archaeology, in particular. In elementary school, I first became fascinated with ancient Egypt and later with the American Civil War. There were many summers where my parents would take me to Civil War battlefields in Pennsylvania, Maryland, and Virginia, where I could learn about history first hand, as well as build a collection of artifacts that I purchased with money that I saved (buttons, belt buckles, etc). The prized item in my collection was a Civil War sabre my grandfather found and gave to me. After High School, I attended The College of New Jersey, where I majored in History before continuing on to graduate school. After we moved to Alexandria and learned about the city's rich history, we joined The Friends of Alexandria Archaeology (FOAA) and met a great community interested in preserving history. We also had the opportunity to meet Alexandria's City Archaeologist, Eleanor Breen, who was kind enough to connect us with city staff who provided a wealth of historical information about our home. I really enjoy participating in FOAA, and it was Eleanor who first let me know about the Alexandria Archaeology Commission and that there is a Member At Large opening. It would be a pleasure to serve on the commission and assist in establishing the goals and priorities for the City's program, and I would appreciate if you would consider my application. Thank you very much for your time. Best, Peter J. Cerka

Have you ever served the City of Alexandria in any capacity?
No

Have you ever attended a meeting of the Board or Commission for which you are applying?
No

Are you now paid by the City of Alexandria?
No

Do any of your immediate relatives or business associates now serve the City of Alexandria in any capacity?
No

Attendance Requirements: Sec. 2-4-7 of the City Code requires appointees to attend at least 75% of the yearly committee meetings. Absences may be excused because of personal illness or serious illness of members of the immediate family, death of a family member, unscheduled business trips and emergency work assignments only. All other absences are recorded as unexcused. In light of the aforementioned statement, will you be able to attend at least 75% of the regular meetings of the board which you may be appointed?

Yes

If applicable, will you comply with the provisions of the City's conflict of interest requirements in City Ordinance 2867 regarding the completion of a financial disclosure statement?

Yes

Educational Background

B.A. History - The College of New Jersey M.A. International Affairs - New School University

Summary of Work and Experience

Over 18 years of professional experience managing and backstopping multi-million-dollar development programs. Diverse contract and technical oversight from direct professional experience working for government contractors, NGOs, for-profit international development organizations, and U.S. Government agencies. Strong background in management and administration of multiple large-scale, complex projects funded by clients including the United States Agency for International Development (USAID), Global Fund, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, United States Trade & Development Agency (USTDA) and U.S. Department of Labor (DOL). Possess a long track record of timely and effective delivery in project and contract management, including supporting and ultimately managing major multi-year government contracts. Effective communicator and supervisor with significant experience coordinating implementation with a variety of private and public-sector stakeholders.

References - Please list names, phone number and/or email addresses of three references that support your application.

REDACTED

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Gender

REDACTED

Sexual Orientation

REDACTED

Ethnicity

REDACTED

Do you have a disability?

REDACTED

How did you hear of this vacancy?

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Ms. Ann Greer

Status		Board	Vacancies	Status
Name	Ms. Ann Greer	Archaeological Commission	2	Contested (Incumbent)
Application Date	7/10/2025			
Expiration Date	2/10/2026			
Board Member	Ann Greer			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
Ms. Ann Greer

Contact Information

Yes, I am a resident of the City of Alexandria. (NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.)
Yes
Email
REDACTED
Phone
REDACTED

Occupation

Employer (student and youth applicants list school)
self employed writer/marketing professional

New Applicant or Current Member
Current Member of This Board

How many terms have you served?
1

What seat are you applying for? (Ex: citizen, architect, youth member, etc.)
citizen, at large

Do you currently live in the City of Alexandria? NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.
Yes

How long have you lived in Alexandria?
30 years

Statement of Interest
I would like to continue my work with AAC, I believe we have accomplished much for the City. I am so pleased that we were awarded Commission of the Year in 2025.

Have you ever served the City of Alexandria in any capacity?
Yes (Please explain), Current member of the Commission

Have you ever attended a meeting of the Board or Commission for which you are applying?
Yes

Are you now paid by the City of Alexandria?
No

Do any of your immediate relatives or business associates now serve the City of Alexandria in any capacity?
No

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Yes

If applicable, will you comply with the provisions of the City's conflict of interest requirements in City Ordinance 2867 regarding the completion of a financial disclosure statement?
Yes

Educational Background
BA English literature MA Journalism

Summary of Work and Experience

Directed marketing and communications for museums and other cultural institutions. Freelance journalist.

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Ms. Laura Ison Thevenot

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Name	Ms. Laura Ison Thevenot	Archaeological Commission	2	Contested
Application Date	4/2/2025			
Expiration Date	11/2/2025			
Board Member	Laura Ison Thevenot			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
Ms. Laura Ison Thevenot

Date of Birth
REDACTED

Contact Information

Yes, I am a resident of the City of Alexandria. (NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.)
Yes

Email
REDACTED

Alternate email
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Phone
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Occupation

Employer (student and youth applicants list school)
American Society for Radiation Oncology

Job Title
REDACTED

New Applicant or Current Member
New Applicant

What seat are you applying for? (Ex: citizen, architect, youth member, etc.)
Citizen

Do you currently live in the City of Alexandria? NOTE: If your answer is no, a residency waiver is required for positions that are not specific to an organization or profession.
Yes

How long have you lived in Alexandria?
14 years

Statement of Interest
I love history and the history of Alexandria. I would love to have a small part in protecting our history for current and future generations.

Have you ever served the City of Alexandria in any capacity?
No

Have you ever attended a meeting of the Board or Commission for which you are applying?
No

Are you now paid by the City of Alexandria?
No

Do any of your immediate relatives or business associates now serve the City of Alexandria in any capacity?
No

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Yes

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Yes

Educational Background
See Resume, BA Degree, Miami University

Summary of Work and Experience
In addition to what is listed on my resume, I served on the Founders Park Board and the Queens Row Homeowners Association Board.

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