

Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee

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Applicant	Date	Boards	Address	Contact	Status
Ms Kari Anderson	10/8/2025	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee Contested	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
Diana Elizabeth Garcia	10/2/2025	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee Contested	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 Radley	10/10/2025	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee Contested	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
Jennifer Reading	10/16/2025	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee Contested (Incumbent))	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
Elizabeth Reister	10/18/2025	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee Contested (Incumbent))	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
Daniel Torkelson	9/13/2025	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee Contested	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 Kari Anderson

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Name	Ms Kari Anderson	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee	0	Contested
Application Date	10/8/2025			
Expiration Date	5/8/2026			
Board Member	Kari Anderson			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
Ms Kari Anderson

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)
Retired Department of Defense civilian
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?
17 years

Statement of Interest (Do not include personal information such as phone numbers, addresses, emails, etc.)
I've had a life-long interest in and affection for France from age 7, when I first studied the language, honed by visits to the country and friends there. I believe cross-cultural and inter-country relations are immensely valuable at all levels, from personal to governmental, and I think sister-city relationships are an excellent way to foster them. I'm impressed with the Committee's activities, and the ideas and enthusiasms I've seen at the meetings I've attended, and I would like to contribute and participate.

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?
Yes

Are you now paid by the City of Alexandria?
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 in anthropology, Beloit College MA in library science, University of Wisconsin

Summary of Work and Experience
40+ years experience in a variety of libraries - public, school, college, university and private sector including government contractor and federal. Public service experience included department and library branch director; technical service included department head.

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

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Name	Diana Elizabeth Garcia	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee	0	Contested
Application Date	10/2/2025			
Expiration Date	5/2/2026			
Board Member	Diana Elizabeth Garcia			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
Diana Elizabeth Garcia

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)
Retired

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?

20 Years

Statement of Interest (Do not include personal information such as phone numbers, addresses, emails, etc.)

See Attachment

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

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 University of Central Florida, 1982 Post-graduate Certificate in Business (CSS), Harvard Extension School, 2003

Summary of Work and Experience

1982-2003: USAF Retired, Air Traffic Control Staff Officer. 2004-2006: Contractor supporting the Federal Aviation Administration, High Altitude Redesign Program. 2006-2016: Contractor supporting Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition, Pentagon. 2017-2020: Visitor Services Associate at Honolulu Museum of Art. 2020-

2022: Contractor supporting the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition, Pentagon. Member, Zonta International from 1996-2022. 2024-Present, Volunteer, National Gallery of Art

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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. Laura Radley

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Name	Ms. Laura Radley	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee	0	Contested
Application Date	10/10/2025			
Expiration Date	5/9/2026			
Board Member	Laura Radley			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
Ms. Laura Radley

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)
Department of Defense civil service /
Office of the Secretary of Defense

Job Title
REDACTED

New Applicant or Current Member
New Applicant

Please list the board:
Alex Caen

How many terms have you served?
N/A or Not Sure

What seat are you applying for? (Ex: citizen, architect, youth member, etc.)
vacant Sister City Committee

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?
since Sept 2020

Statement of Interest (Do not include personal information such as phone numbers, addresses, emails, etc.)
I want to be involved with my community by serving my community.

Have you ever served the City of Alexandria in any capacity?
Yes (Please explain), Tangentially, I am a member of the Founders Park Community Association.

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

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

2x Masters degrees

Summary of Work and Experience

military retired Colonel, Air Force, Space Force civilian; pilot, logistics, support, leadership, management, budget, human resources

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Sexual Orientation

REDACTED

Ethnicity

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Do you have a disability?

REDACTED

How did you hear of this vacancy?

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Name	Jennifer Reading	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee	0	Contested (Incumbent)
Application Date	10/16/2025			
Expiration Date	5/16/2026			
Board Member	Jennifer Reading			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
Jennifer Reading

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)
ACPS

Job Title
REDACTED

New Applicant or Current Member
Current Member of This Board

How many terms have you served?
3 or more

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?
20+ years

Statement of Interest (Do not include personal information such as phone numbers, addresses, emails, etc.)
I have enjoyed my time on the ACSCE and worked to create meaningful programs in our city, including the D-Day event and the new middle school exchange program. I hope that my experience and interest can continue to grow the committee programs along with my fellow members

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

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

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

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Name	Elizabeth Reister	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee	0	Contested (Incumbent)
Application Date	10/18/2025			
Expiration Date	5/18/2026			
Board Member	Elizabeth Reister			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
Elizabeth Reister

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)
Fulton Bank

Job Title
REDACTED

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.)

Member

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?

3 years

Statement of Interest (Do not include personal information such as phone numbers, addresses, emails, etc.)

I would like to extend my membership on the Alexandria-Caen Sister city committee for an additional term because I believe I have more to offer this committee.

Have you ever served the City of Alexandria in any capacity?

Yes (Please explain), I have been on the Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee for one term.

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

graduate degree

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Daniel Torkelson

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Name	Daniel Torkelson	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee	0	Contested
Application Date	9/13/2025			
Expiration Date	4/13/2026			
Board Member	Daniel Torkelson			
Status	Validated			

Basic Information

Name
Daniel Torkelson

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

Phone
REDACTED

Occupation

Employer (student and youth applicants list school)
US Army

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?
5 months

Statement of Interest (Do not include personal information such as phone numbers, addresses, emails, etc.)
I recently moved to Alexandria from Franconia after marrying my wife, and am looking to be an active part of this community as we start to build our family. Of the vacancies that for strictly citizens, this one stood out to me because I was a liaison to French forces while deployed to East Africa. This past summer we hosted one of my French friends in Alexandria in order to show her our city and the capital. Sharing our experience with her was rewarding, and I would be glad to do more of it.

Have you ever served the City of Alexandria in any capacity?
Yes (Please explain), As a volunteer, I recently began transcribing for the Office of Historic Alexandria (Shopping Stories)

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
Bachelor's in Political Science, Azusa Pacific University

Summary of Work and Experience
I am a data engineer for the Army, and previously for other federal agencies; I write software to process big data and automate tasks. I am concurrently an Army Reservist, in the Civil Affairs branch. I speak French at a beginner's level now; at my best a few years ago I would conduct interviews about public health and hospital management with doctors in Djibouti.

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