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Name of Council Member

Endorsement

CONTESTED APPOINTMENTS

**Archaeological Commission**

(4-year term)

1 citizen member

\_\_\_\_\_ Nicholas Dienna

\_\_\_\_\_ Tammie Gillums (Residency Waiver Required)

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**New Applicant or Current Member**

**New Applicant**

Nicholas

First Name

Dienna

Last Name

[Redacted]

Email Address

**Date of Birth**

[Redacted]

**Place of Birth**

[Redacted]

**Home Address**

[Redacted]

Street Address

[Redacted]

Suite or Apt

[Redacted]

City

[Redacted]

State

22314

Postal Code

[Redacted]

Primary Phone

[Redacted]

Alternate Phone

Department of the Navy

Employer

Division Director

Job Title

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**Which Boards would you like to apply for?**

Archaeological Commission: Submitted

Nicholas Dienna

## Type of Position/Role

Citizen Member

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## Demographics

Do you currently live in the City of Alexandria?

Yes  No

If yes, how long?

Five months

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

Yes  No

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

Yes  No

If yes, please explain

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## Interests & Experiences

### Statement of Interest/Why You Should Be Appointed

As a recently retired Naval Officer and newly arrived Old Town resident, I am committed to applying my experience and unique managerial and leadership skill set in the service of the citizens of Alexandria. I firmly believe that the lives of each of our fellow women and men with whom we share this wonderful city would be enhanced by a larger sense of the value and purpose embodied in our collective historical experience. It would be an honor to assist in preserving that history, capturing the lessons of that history, and applying those historical lessons, complicated though they may be, to improving the lived experience of all of our citizens. Serving on the Archeology Commission would most certainly be both a privilege and undoubtedly an unparalleled opportunity to improve the lives of our citizens by more acutely empathizing with our past experiences.

Are you currently a member of a City Board, Commission, Committee or Authority?

Yes  No

If yes, please list the board:

How many terms have you served on this board?

Nicholas Dienna

**If you have served more than two consecutive terms on this board, please state the specific qualifications you possess which merit consideration for continued service:**

**Have you applied for a position on a City Board, Commission, Committee or Authority in the last six months?**

Yes  No

**If yes, please state the names of the boards for which you have applied**

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**Are you now paid by the City of Alexandria?**

Yes  No

**If yes, please state your department, job title, and describe your duties:**

**Do any of your immediate relatives or business associates now serve the City of Alexandria in any capacity?**

Yes  No

**If yes, please explain:**

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Yes  No

**If applicable, will you comply with the provisions of the City's conflict of interest requirements in City Ordinance 2867?**

Yes  No

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND (Please list certificates, diplomas, degrees, seminars, etc.):**

Master of Science - Global Leadership (University of San Diego) Bachelor of Science - History (United States Naval Academy) Qualified Nuclear Engineer (Naval Nuclear Power Training Unit) Qualified Naval Flight Officer (Naval Aviation Training Command)

Nicholas Dienna

**SUMMARY OF WORK AND PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE (Please list titles and duties for the past five years):**

Director, U.S. Navy Strategic Warfighting Innovation Cell (SWIC), 2019 – Present First Division Director of a newly created, cutting edge Pentagon Directorate. Directly responsible to DoD leadership for the ideation, funding, development and implementation of bold, strategically aligned operational concepts and technologies and for the establishment of a broad, collaborative innovation ecosystem across industry, academia and the whole of government. Supported long-term organizational vision by providing both incisive leadership and focused solutions, ensuring strategic, operational and budgetary alignment. Commanding Officer (CEO) USS HARRY S TRUMAN (CVN 75) 2017 – 2019 Spearheaded development and implementation of policies and operational plans in support of Department of the Navy strategy. Personally held personnel, technical, budgetary and operational responsibility and authority as commanding officer of a deployed nuclear powered aircraft carrier. Responsible for the operation, maintenance and regulatory compliance of two nuclear power plants. Directly accountable for the personal and professional development of over 5,400 personnel and the execution and account management of a \$2 million daily operating budget. Simultaneously managed a full-service airport facility, a global logistics network and supply chain, a hospital, a dental clinic, a pay and personnel office, multiple computer networks at all levels of classification across thousands of network nodes, and an Aircraft Intermediate Maintenance Facility. Assistant Chief of Staff (Executive VP), Carrier Air Wing Training and Readiness 2016-2017 Personally directed implementation and execution of Department of the Navy Flight Hour Program annual budget of over \$2.5 billion to achieve requisite operational readiness. Coordinated and developed plans and policies to improve the management, accountability and operational effectiveness of more than \$30 billion of aviation assets. Determined military characteristics required for naval aircraft and associated equipment. Initiated development, testing and evaluation projects. Formulated tactical and operational doctrine for naval aviation.

**REFERENCES (Please list names and addresses of four references that you have contacted and support your application).**



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**Non-Discrimination Data Supplemental Questions**

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New Applicant

Tammie  
First Name

Gillums  
Last Name

[Redacted]  
Email Address

**Date of Birth**

[Redacted]

**Place of Birth**

[Redacted]

**Home Address**

[Redacted]  
Street Address

[Redacted]  
Suite or Apt

[Redacted]  
City

[Redacted]  
State

22202  
Postal Code

[Redacted]  
Primary Phone

[Redacted]  
Alternate Phone

University Of Maryland  
Employer

Archaeological Lab Technician  
Job Title

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Archaeological Commission: Submitted

Tammie Gillums

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Member

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Much of our history intersects in the state of Virginia, which is why I'd like to honor and preserve the legacy of those who lived it. As a black woman and veteran of the U.S. Army, my very existence passes through the stories of those who fought in the very place I now call home. I have traveled throughout the United States and served abroad, including Afghanistan, so I've appreciated the importance of living history in the moment while hoping future generations will appreciate the lessons our stories hold. I settled in Virginia and fell in love with its rich history over the last decade, especially the part of history that represents me. For these reasons, it would be my honor to lend my time, energy, and experience to the mission of the Society for the Preservation of Black Heritage.

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Tammie Gillums

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**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND (Please list certificates, diplomas, degrees, seminars, etc.):**

Public History and Historic Preservation Certificate Archaeological Lab Technician Certificate BS Liberal Arts w/ History concentration

Tammie Gillums



**SUMMARY OF WORK AND PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE (Please list titles and duties for the past five years):**

For the past 3 years, I have gained knowledge in Archaeological processes and advocacy in historic preservation. I have completed Phase I and II surveys on historical sites throughout Maryland. Some of my recent work includes: Archaeological Laboratory Technician- University of Maryland, Archaeological Laboratory Technician- Veterans Curation a program - Alexandria, VA, The National Museum of The US Army - Volunteer and The Alexandria Archaeology Museum- Volunteer

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The HRC's main role is to ensure discrimination does not occur in our city based on race, color, sex, religion, ancestry, national origin, marital status, familial status, age, sexual orientation or disability with respect to housing, employment, public accommodations, health and social services, education, credit or city contracts.

**Date of Application**

[Redacted]