

**CITY OF YAKIMA**  
**CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 2 POSITION**  
**FUTURE VACANCY**  
**APPLICATION**

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To be eligible, applicants must live within District 2 of the Yakima city limits and be registered to vote.

The person appointed to the City Council District 2 position that will become vacant in the near future will serve through December 31, 2015. In order to continue as a City Council member beyond that date, the individual appointed to this position must be willing to file for election with the Yakima County Auditor in 2015 and be elected by the voters of Yakima for the new four-year term of office beginning January 1, 2016.

We appreciate your interest in serving your City in this capacity. Please complete this brief form to help provide sufficient information to the City Council in making this appointment. Completed applications must be received by the Yakima City Clerk's office no later than noon (12:00 pm) on Tuesday, December 31 in order to be considered.

**A. Please Print Clearly:**

NAME: (Mr., Mrs., Ms.) James McLean

HOME ADDRESS: 1002 Hager Pl Yakima 98902  
Number Street Apt. City Zip Code

PHONE NUMBERS: 823-5402 N/A N/A  
Home Business Other (Specify)

E-MAIL: jmclean661@msn.com FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED IN YAKIMA? 46 years

**B. Available for day meetings:**  **Available for evening meetings:**

**C. Please describe (in 200 words or less) your reasons for seeking a position on the Yakima City Council, and why you believe you can represent the citizens of Yakima as a Council member.**

Why ME? WHY me? because I possess the education, skills and judgement that is needed.  
I earned a 2 year accounting degree and a B.A. in history from CWU in '77.  
Working in education the last 20 years, I developed the skills needed to work w/ others. I am sub. teacher these days.  
My ability to listen and understand will be helpful. I want a safe city and have low taxes.  
The skills YES, the education YES, the desire to serve YES and the time YES, makes me a great choice.

D. Please give any training or experience that you possess which would be beneficial to the position you are seeking:

The 20 years in education provided me w/ great insight.

E. Have you ever served as a city council member or as a member of a city board or commission? If so, please list city, state and dates of service:

No, but a term on my parish council will be helpful.

F. Please furnish two references who can speak to your qualifications for the desired appointment:

NAME: Mike School  
ADDRESS: 1032 Hugar Pl 98902 (In care of me) Zip Code

DAYTIME PHONE NUMBER: 731-9934

NAME: Bob Bensch

ADDRESS: same as above (Don't want addresses shared!!!) Zip Code

DAYTIME PHONE NUMBER: 952-3820

G. If you have a resume (2-pages max.), please feel free to attach it to this application.

The Yakima City Council will review your application and may desire to conduct an interview.

This application is subject to public disclosure. Your residential address and residential telephone number may be exempt unless you authorize disclosure.

Authorize full disclosure: Yes  No

Your Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/30/13

Pursuant to RCW 42.17.240, the person appointed to the vacant Council position must within two weeks of being appointed file with the Public Disclosure Commission ("PDC") a Personal Financial Affairs Statement (PDC Form F-1); as well as a Supplement page (PDC Form F-1 Supplement), if applicable. More information on all the Public Disclosure Commission requirements is available from the PDC at its toll free number of 1-877-601-2828 or on the PDC's website at www.pdc.wa.gov

Please return the completed form to the Yakima City Clerk, 129 North 2nd Street, Yakima, WA, 98901. If you have any questions, please call Communications & Public Affairs Director Randy Beehler at 901-1142.

A copy of this form may be downloaded from the City of Yakima website at: <http://www.yakimawa.gov>.