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# **Advisory Board & Committee Interest Form - Submission #28499**

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Home Address*	City*		State*		Zip Code*
2810 Van Buren St	Hollywood		FL		33020
Home Phone	С	ell Phone		Email A	ddress*
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Owner or Renter *	Number of years as city		Are you registered to vote in Broward County?*		Education (highest degree / level)
owner	22		Yes	v	bachelor degree
Occupation*				Work Ph	one
Visual Artist				9548649	9863
Business Name*					
Omquest Design					
Business Address	City		State		Zip Code
2810 Van Buren St	Hollywood		FL		33020
Identify the board / committe	e(s) to which	you request app	ointment (P	lease rank in order o	of preference)
Selection (1)*			Selection		
Artwork Selection Committee		~		Selection Committee	~
Selection (3)*			Selection		
Artwork Selection Committee		~	Artwork	Selection Committee	~

### Affordable Housing Advisory Committee - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. In your opinion what is the greatest challenge to keeping housing affordable in Hollywood? 2. Which of the following disciplines are you most skilled? • Home Purchase Education, • Housing Market Employment. • Housing Market Stability. • Affordable Housing Construction. \* Affordable Housing Activism. 3. Which of the following disciplines are you most passionate? • Ownership Housing Affordability, • Rental Housing Affordability, • Housing Market Stability, • New Housing Construction, \* Fair Housing. 4. What (if any) life experience motivated you toward volunteerism? 5. What role does housing diversity play in Hollywood's economic health?

## African American Advisory Council - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. What is the greatest challenge facing the African American Community in Hollywood? 2. How many hours per month can you dedicate to AAAC initiatives? 3. Which of the following disciplines are you most skilled? \* Education, \* Employment, \* Economics, \* Cultural Awareness, \* Housing. 4. Which of the following disciplines are you most passionate? \* Education, \* Employment, \* Economics, \* Cultural Awareness, \* Housing. 5. What (if any) life experience motivated you toward volunteerism?

#### **Artwork Selection Committee - Questions\***

- 1. To help the community where I live during more than 20 years.
- 2. I have experience in the art field, and I consider I will be helpful creating programs and teaching how to see art in my community.
- 3. I am in different art galleries and communities like LGBT, Las Olas for the Art, Zero Empty Spaces art studios, Miami Open.
- 4. Yes
- 5. My major interest related to the Arts within the city of Hollywood is to make the community more awareness about art and services related to art programs with adults and children and help the art community for a fruitful market for economic gains in the city of Hollywood.

Please answer these five questions above. 1. What are your primary interest in City Government and City Services? 2. Why do you want to join the Artwork Selection Committee? 3. What other relevant organizations, clubs, or associations were you previously, and/or currently are involved in? 4. Are you available to attend regular committee board meetings scheduled for the Second Monday each month at 5:30pm? 5. What is your one area of highest interest related to the Arts within the City of Hollywood?

#### Civil Service Board - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. Describe your involvement with establishing, reviewing and interpreting policies and procedures? 2. Describe your involvement in employment practices including interviewing, testing, hiring, selection and promotion, demotions, transfers, etc. 3. Describe your knowledge of Civil Service and its purpose. 4. Why do you want to serve on this Civil Service Board? 5. Are you a continuous resident of and continuous registered elector in the City of Hollywood?

## Community Development Advisory Board - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. Do you reside in a low and moderate income (LMI) neighborhood in Hollywood per the most recent US Census data? A Hollywood LMI Map is located at www.hollywoodfl.org on the Community and Economic Development webpage. 2. What Community Development issues do you believe are the most important to Hollywood? 3. What is your definition of a healthy neighborhood? 4. What do you believe is the vision and primary work of the Community Development Advisory Board? 5. What do you believe uniquely qualifies you to serve on the Community Development Advisory Board?

## **Education Advisory Committee - Questions\***

Please answer these five questions above. 1. What are the current challenges facing education? 2. What is your vision for education in Hollywood? 3. What do you see as the primary work of the Education Advisory Committee? 4. With only one meeting a month, the Committee is limited in what it can do. How does/should the Committee decide what's most important? 5. How can the Committee know if its mission and goals are being accomplished?

### **Employees' Retirement Plan - Questions\***

Please answer these five questions above. 1. Are you familiar with the State's Sunshine Laws (Chapter 119 of the Florida Statutes)? 2. Are you available to attend in person regular monthly Board meeting (typically held the 4th Tuesday of each month)? 3. What knowledge, skills and/or abilities will you bring to the Employees' Retirement Plan? 4. What do you believe are the responsibilities of a trustee on a municipal retirement plan board? 5. Are you familiar with municipal defined benefit retirement plans and/or have previous experience serving on a municipal retirement plan board?

### Firefighters' Pension Board - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. What knowledge, skills and abilities would you bring to the meetings? 2. What experience do you have with firefighter pensions? 3 What is your financial background? 4. How many years have you lived in Hollywood? 5 How familiar are you with local retirement systems?

#### General Obligation Bond Oversight Advisory Committee - Questions\*

Please answer these four questions above. Why do you want to join the GO Bond Oversight Advisory Committee? 2. Explain how your personal and/or professional experiences will contribute to the meeting the goal(s) of the Board or City. 3. Which Bond interests you the most? Public Safety? Parks/Golf/Open Space or Neighborhoods & Resiliency? 4. What is your perspective on city quality of life, healthy neighborhoods, economic development & a strong tax base?

#### **Historic Preservation Board - Questions\***

Please answer these five questions above. 1. How have you prepared yourself to serve on the Historic Preservation Board? 2. Explain how your personal and/or professional experiences will contribute to the meeting the goal(s) of the Board or City. \* Personal experiences, \* Professional experiences. 3. What is your perspective on balancing growth of the City's tax base, within the Historic Districts, while maintaining neighborhood stabilization? 4. How would you balance historic architecture with modern architectural styles? 5. What do you like about the City's different Historic Districts?

#### Hollywood Centennial Celebration Committee\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. What is your primary interest in serving on the Committee? 2. What is your financial/accounting background? 3. What knowledge, skills and abilities would you bring to the meetings? 4. What other organizations and/or associations were you previously, and/or currently involved with? 5. Are you available to attend regular committee meetings? (dates to be determined by all members)

## Hollywood Housing Authority - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. In your opinion what is the greatest challenge to keeping housing affordable in Hollywood? 2. Which of the following disciplines are you most skilled? \* Property Management, \* Affordable Housing Administration, \* Housing Market Stability, \* Affordable Housing Construction, \* Affordable Housing Activism. 3. Which of the following disciplines are you most passionate? \* Property Management, \* Rental Housing Affordability, \* Housing Market Stability, \* New Housing Construction, \* Fair Housing. 4. What (if any) life experience motivated you toward volunteerism? 5. What role does housing diversity play in Hollywood's economic health?

#### Marine Advisory Board - Questions\*

Ptease answer these five questions above. 1. What is your involvement with the City of Hollywood's Waterways? 2. What will guide your decisions on this board? 3. Are you able to dedicate 2-3 hours a month to attend the meetings? Attendance is paramount to this Board being able to get things done. 4. Are you currently or have you been a boater, marine industry professional or involved in any other marine related industry? 5. What is your vision for the city of Hollywood's Waterway system?

## Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Advisory Board - Questions\*

Please answer these six questions above. 1. How many events have you attended in the past year at any of the parks and athletics facilities in the City? 2. How many City-sponsored special events have you attended for the past year? 3. Are you available to attend regular Board meetings? Regular meetings are on the 1st Thursday of the month for 8 months per calendar year. 4. What is your one area of highest interest related to the parks, recreation and cultural arts for the City? 5. What other relevant organizations, clubs, or associations were you previously, and/or currently are involved in? 6. How does parks, recreation and cultural arts contribute to quality of life?

#### Planning & Development Board - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. How have you prepared yourself to serve on the Planning and Development Board? 2. Explain how your personal and/or professional experiences will contribute to the meeting the goal(s) of the Board or City. \* Personal experiences, \* Professional experiences. 3. What is your perspective on balancing growth of the City's tax base while maintaining neighborhood stabilization? 4. What recent developments within the City are most proud of? 5. What is a Comprehensive Plan?

#### Police Officer's Pension Board - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. What is a fiduciary? And what is your responsibility to the police pension plan as a fiduciary? 2. What is the Sunshine Law? 3. What is Asset Allocation & Diversification? 4. Explain the history of Chapter 99-1 and Chapter 185? 5. Define the role of the Actuary and the Auditor?

#### Sister Cities Advisory Committee - Questions\*

1. Do you speak more than one language? If so, what languages do you speak? 2.Do you have experience in travel, cultural exchange, and/or fund-raising? Please describe. 3. Which Sister City focus areas are you most passionate about: a. Art and Culture; b. Business and Trade; c. Community Development; d. Youth and Education. 4. What (if any) life experience motivated you toward volunteerism? 5. Please describe why you are interested in serving on the Sister Cities Advisory Committee.

### Sustainability Advisory Committee - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. Why do you want to join the committee? 2. Have you attended any committee meetings? If so, how many? 3. What knowledge, skills, and abilities would you bring to the committee if appointed? 4. What other organizations, clubs, or associations are you involved in? 5. Are you available to attend regular committee and subcommittee meetings? Regular meetings are held monthly with subcommittee meetings held as needed. 6. What types of projects would you like to see the committee work on?

### Young Circle ArtsPark Advisory Board - Questions\*

Please answer these five questions above. 1. What are your primary interest in City Government and City Services? 2. How many ArtsPark events have you attended within the past year? 3. What other relevant organizations, clubs, or associations were you previously, and/or currently are involved in? 4. Are you available to attend regular committee board meetings scheduled for the Second Tuesday each month at 5:30 pm? 5. What is your one area of highest interest related to the ArtsPark at Young Circle?

Are you interested serving on more th board/committee?*	an one	2 2	w many?*	~	Applicant must attend at least one board/committee meeting	
Yes V	~				prior to consideration of application for every board applied. Please list board/committee meetings you attended in the last year?*	
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Are you currently on a County or If yes, please of City Board?*			se desc	cribe		
No		~				

If you are applying for a board / committee, which has specific requirements / categories, please detail how your background and/or experience meets the required criteria.\*

I will attend the needs of the city of Hollywood FL, to get the best art in our community. With the art knowledge I had acquired during my lifetime experience, I am sure I will be valuable as a resource for the city of Hollywood.

Please describe your professional and/or volunteer experience or background, which best qualifies you for selection to the board / committee.\*

I organized art shows and events at the art studios where I have been exhibiting, bringing costumers and visitors to help artist to sell and show their work with success. I also volunteering at the Miami Open Tennis tournament at the Hard Rock Stadium.

Are you presently employed by the	If so, in what capacity?*		
City of Hollywood?*	n/a		

Attach Resume (only .doc and .pdf files)\*

AlejandraPalaciosResume.pdf

## **ALEJANDRA PALACIOS "ALEX**

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## **RELEVANT EDUCATION**

# **Associates in Animation Art and Design**

Art Institute of Ft. Lauderdale - Fort Lauderdale, FL (2005)

# Associate in Computer Drafting and Assisted Design AutoCAD

ATI Career Training Center Ft Lauderdale - Fort Lauderdale, FL (1999)

# Diploma in Art History

Universidad Anahuac – Mexico City (1991)

# **Workshops Academy of Fine Arts**

San Carlos, Mexico City (1987)

# **Bachelor of Architecture**

Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico - México City (1987)

## **SKILLS**

Visual artist with expertise in oil and acrylic techniques Instructor at Arts Digital Institute, teaching 3D architectural renderings Expert with computer visualization drafting programs like Maya, 3D Max, VRay, Sketch up, Podium, Photoshop, Maya, Adobe AfterEffects. (10+ years), Visual Artist (10+ years)

## **AWARDS**

**First Price** Hotspots cover Magazine Wilton Manors FL (2024) **Second price** Women's History Month, Hotspots Gallery Wilton Manors FL (2024)

Honorable mention and third price. "DIVA" Diversity in visual Arts. Art United (2021, 2022)

**AIA Design Award 2014.** "Liberty Park" Mixed used development in Dania Beach Florida

Best portfolio 2005. Art Institute of Fort Lauderdale Florida

## **PUBLICATIONS**

**Hollywood Gazette.** http://hollywoodgazette.com September (2016) Hollywood City FL newspaper

One full cover page with one of my oil on canvas painting and interior artist interview "Meet Hollywood Artist Alejandra Palacios".

## **ART EXHIBITIONS**

- DACOTA Zero Empty Spaces gallery artist studio Dania Beach, (2025)
- Gulfstream Zero Empty Spaces gallery artist studio, Hallandale Beach (2019-2025)
- Hollywood Chamber of Commerce commissioned art work for Mr.
   Ben Wesley commemorative gift, (2025)
- Bitton's Gallery permanent monthly shows Ft Lauderdale (2024-2025)
- Woman's History Month art exhibition, Hotspots Gallery Wilton Manors (2024)
- "Sher Gallery" retail seller of my art at Gulfstream Park, Hallandale Beach (2022-2025)
- The Women Power imagined exhibition Hotspots Gallery (2023)
- DIVA Diversity in visual Arts exhibition. Art United. Lake Worth Florida (2022,2023)
- Hollywood Florida Chamber of Commerce commissioned artwork for 100 Anniversary (2023)
- Solo exhibition at Bona Restaurant Wilton Manors FL (2023)
- FITCE Florida International Trade and Cultural Expo Broward Convention Center Ft Lauderdale Florida (2017, 2018, 2019,2021)
- Arts United Art + Stoll Las Olas Festival exhibition. Ft Lauderdale Florida (2019 2020, 2021)
- DIVA Diversity in visual Arts. Art United. Lake Worth Florida (2021)
- "Endangered Art 4 APES" Fine Art and Photography on line exhibition (2021)
- Greater Hollywood Chamber of Commerce, Hollywood Florida Permanent exhibition (2021)
- "My Utopia" Boca Innovation Campus BRIC Florida (2021)
- Art Gallery 21 "8th Annual Island City Art Exhibition" Wilton Manors Florida (2019)
- The Circ Hotel downtown Hollywood Florida exhibition (2018)
- Commissioned Artist for "Caribbean Classic" promotional poster (2018) Gulfstream Park, Hallandale Beach Florida.
- Commissioned Artist for Pegasus World Cup" promotional poster (2018) Gulfstream Park, Hallandale Beach Florida.
- Commissioned Artist for Florida Derby Cup promotional marketing (2017) Gulfstream Park, Hallandale Beach Florida.

- Commissioned Artist for the 1st Anniversary promotional gift and card for Margaritaville Resort, Hollywood Beach Florida (2017)
- Lola Beltran Museum exhibition El Rosario Sinaloa Mexico (2017, 2018, 2019)
- Hollywood Florida City Hall, Florida (2014, 2018)
- Hospital Siglo XXI exhibition -Mexico City Mexico (2015)
- Sisters Cities, Art Deco Welcome Center exhibition Miami Beach Florida (2014)
- Art Garage exhibition Delray Beach Florida (2015)
- Chamber of Deputies exhibition- Mexico City Mexico (2015)
- Nina Torres Art Gallery, Miami Florida (2014)

# **ALEJANDRA PALACIOS "ALEX" BIO**



I chose the brush as my way of expressing my feelings through life. It allows me to combine colors and feelings to create an artwork with a sense of realism, and a peek from my perspective.

My point of view shows life from a completely different way. I deconstruct the world I see in geometric shapes, give them color and make them move. This geometric pattern makes my style

unique. Different layers of colors and lines express the context of my composition.

Nowadays, I am inspired by master painters as Pablo Picasso and Romero Britto. They combine elements of cubism, pop art, and graffiti painting in their work, using vibrant colors as a visual expression. The central figure interacts with the background using perspective and layers to explain the context of the composition giving an expression of hope, dreams, and happiness. My studies in Architecture, Art History, 3D Computer Drafting, and Animation Art and Design, gave me the influences to inspire me to explore new ways to create my own compositions.

Alejandra was born in Mexico City and lives in Hollywood Florida. In High school she specialized in oil on canvas class and continued her painting studies at the National School of Arts "San Carlos" in Mexico City. She studied Bachelor of Architecture in University Autonoma de Mexico UNAM (1987), and a Diploma of Art History in the University Anahuac Mexico City (1991). She worked as an Architect in a successful construction company in Mexico City. When she moved to

Florida, she studied the Associate in Computer Drafting and Assisted Design AutoCAD (1999) and continued her studies in 3D computer drawing at the Art Institute of Fort Lauderdale FL, awarded as "The best portfolio" on the Associate in Animation Art and Design (2005) leading to work as a 3D architectural visualize artist in architectural firms and later participating in the developing of project's grants for the beatification of Hollywood Beach for the CRA in the city of Hollywood FL.

She has participated in many exhibitions in Florida and Mexico. Also, she had publications in Broward's local newspapers and has been awarded for her artwork.

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