

Thank you for your interest in applying for the appointment position of District 2 City Councilmember. Please complete the form in full, including the corresponding supplemental questionnaire.

Applications are due by January 20, 2021 by 6 p.m.

If completing the form by hand, please print clearly. Please submit your complete application to the City Clerk's Office at City Hall or by email:

DROP OFF: Office of the City Clerk, 300 W. Third Street, 4th Floor, Oxnard CA 93030

EMAIL: cityclerk@oxnard.org

For questions about the application, please contact the Office of the City Clerk at (805) 385-7803 or via email at cityclerk@oxnard.org.

SECTION I: CRITERIA

Name: Christopher Taccone **Date of Birth:** [REDACTED]

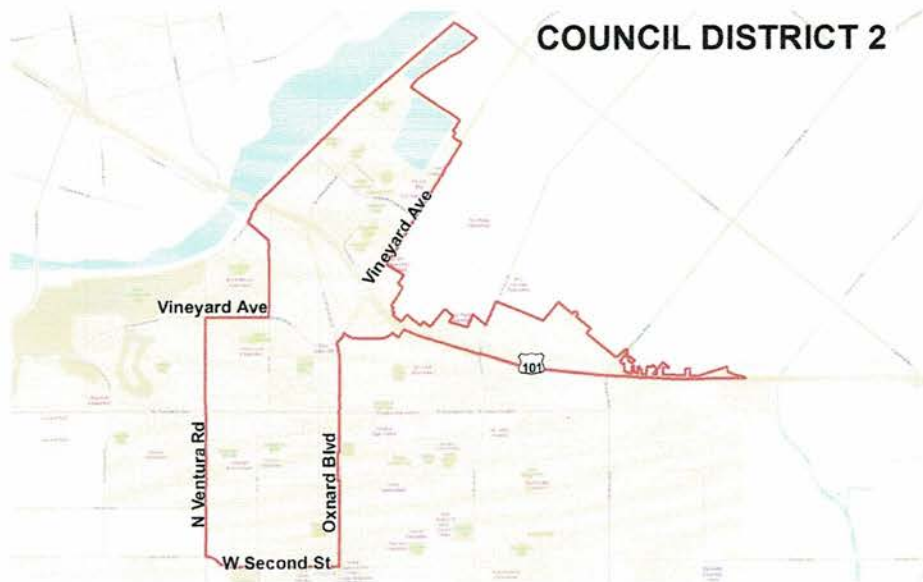
Address and Zip Code: [REDACTED], Oxnard, CA 93030

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Registered Voter: Yes No **Email Address:** [REDACTED]

Council District No.: 2 * (View online at <https://arcg.is/jDP>. A District map is also included below.)

** Appointment candidates must live in District 2.*



SECTION II: SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

1. Please describe your community activities in which you are or have been engaged in Oxnard. Include the organization, your role, a brief description of your activities, and your dates of participation:

(If more space is needed, please continue on a separate page.)

This year I have started to get my neighborhood council to reconvene along with neighborhood watch. I did not have political ambition until my child was born 2 years ago and I started to look at our City from a different point of view. Also, I have submitted to join 2 CAGs. I have a passion to help not only district 2 but the City as a whole from our budget, homeless and crime issues.

2. Please state why you would make a good representative for District 2.
(If more space is needed, please continue on a separate page.)

Transparency is very important to me, as is accountability. I have seen on several instances where issues have been brought up and have not been followed through on. I have also seen instances where previous representatives have not been accountable for not following through. It is important that there be accountability as well and transparency to the constituents so they can have more trust in the leadership of not only their District, but within the City.

3. Please discuss any experience you have with policymaking, legislation, budgeting or other related experience. This can include the private, public or non-profit sector.
(If more space is needed, please continue on a separate page.)

I do not have experience in this area

4. How would you approach constituent service for District 2?
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I have recently been in contact with several members in the District: neighbors, CAG members, City Council members, as well as the Chief of Police to better understand the current protocol and ongoing issues within the District. It would be my goal to keep in constant communication with the constituents of District 2 and bring their concerns to a higher level to be addressed. It would also be one of my main visions to become one of the most trusted Districts in Oxnard since many of the constituents I've spoken with have clearly communicated that they do not feel many of the issues they've brought forward have been addressed.

5. How would you approach balancing City-wide needs with District-specific needs?
(If more space is needed, please continue on a separate page.)

While serving District 2 would be a priority for me, I am also motivated to implement much needed changes to the City as a whole. It should be understood as a Council Member, that although you represent a certain District, it is not the only function of your position. It is important to bring forward the concerns of the constituents in District 2, but also to address all the issues across the other districts.

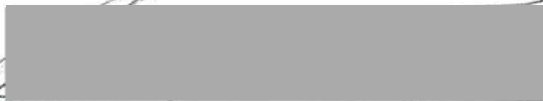
DISTRICT 2 CITY COUNCIL APPOINTMENT APPLICATION FORM

SECTION III: EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Please include a brief background on your education and employment history. You may also attach a copy of your resume for this purpose.

I attest that the information in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature

A grey rectangular box redacting the signature of Christopher Taccone.

Printed Name Christopher Taccone

Date 1/12/2021

CHRISTOPHER TACCONE

OXNARD, CA 93030

Motivated individual with willingness to learn new techniques and service opportunities.

EXPERIENCE

AUGUST 2020 – PRESENT

SERVICE TECHNICIAN, SHAVER DODGE

Service Dodge Vehicles and help customers understand any questions they have with their vehicles. Also attend certification classes to further education in current field.

AUGUST 2019 – JULY 2020

SERVICE TECHNICIAN, SIMI FORD

Service Ford Vehicles and help customers understand any questions they have with their vehicles. Also attend certification classes to further education in current field.

MAY 2019 – AUGUST 2019

SERVICE TECHNICIAN, CROWNE DODGE

Service Dodge Vehicles and provide customer service.

NOVEMBER 2017 – MAY 2019

SERVICE TECHNICIAN, DCH FORD OF THOUSAND OAKS

Service Ford Vehicles and help customers understand any questions they have with their vehicles. Also attend certification classes to further education in current field.

AUGUST 2015 – NOVEMBER 2017

BATTERY TECHNICIAN, PLATINUM TOWNING

Respond to aaa calls as well as other calls in the field for battery service. drove company vehicle.

EDUCATION

2018

FORD CERTIFICATION: ELECTRICAL, HVAC

2019

DODGE CERTIFICATION: ELECTRICAL, HVAC, NVH

2011-2013

OXNARD COLLEGE AUTOMOTIVE

2007

GED, SIERRA CONSERATION CENTER

SKILLS

- Problem solving capabilities
- Excellent people skills
- Researching ability
- Able to solve complex situations
- Solid understanding of hot button issues from various political viewpoints