

# City of Burlingame - Parks & Recreation Dept.



## PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION Supplemental Questionnaire



Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

To assist in the selection process, please answer the following questions and submit written responses with your application form. *Responses should be typed.* You may use additional sheets of paper. Thank you.

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*The City of Burlingame offers a wide range of recreation opportunities for its residents and provides many different park facilities for the community to enjoy. By acting as the eyes, ears and voice of the public, the Parks & Recreation Commission allows for better communication between the public, the City Council and staff.*

1. Please comment on how you feel that your education, training, experience and community involvement will be a benefit to the Parks & Recreation Commission and to the community?
2. Please list the community activities or organizations you have participated in and indicate your level of involvement (member, attended event, ran a booth, worked on the organizing committee, was an officer, etc.).
3. Burlingame has a wide variety of recreational opportunities for preschoolers, youth, teens, adults, senior citizens and families. Which of these program areas you are familiar with, and which classes or programs have you or your family participated in?
4. Finding locations within the city to offer off-leash options for dog owners is a continuing struggle for the Department. What are your thoughts on providing space for off-leash options?
5. There are always budgetary challenges for capital projects in the Parks & Recreation Department. Examples include off-leash areas, additional sports fields, aging facilities, etc. What should be our funding priorities and why?

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6. Many recreation facilities (ball fields, swimming pool, tennis courts, etc.) are in or near residential neighborhoods. There are occasions when these programs create noise, traffic or lighting issues. How do you think the needs of the programs should be weighed against the impacts on the surrounding neighborhood?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
7. The city and local schools have established partnerships over the years in order to maximize the use of athletic fields and indoor facilities by the community. How can you contribute to helping maintain and enhance these partnerships?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
8. Please list any additional information pertaining to your appointment to the Parks & Recreation Commission that the City Council should consider.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
9. What type of a unique perspective would you bring to the Commission?

Please return the completed application and supplemental questionnaire by the extended deadline of 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, **October 31, 2019** to:

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