



San Joaquin Valley

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS A CITY REPRESENTATIVE
ON GOVERNING BOARD OF
THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

If you are an elected official on the city council for the City of Visalia, you may submit an application for appointment to the Governing Board of the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District.

<u>Applicant Name:</u>	Elizabeth Wynn
<u>Residence Address</u> (Must live within the boundaries of the San Joaquin Valley APCD):	██████████ Visalia, Ca 93277
<u>Mailing Address:</u>	
Telephone: (██████████) (██████████)	Primary Alt.
<u>Email Address:</u>	liz.wynn@visalia.city
<u>Applicant Signature:</u>	<i>Elizabeth Wynn</i> Date: 10/20/2023

Please submit this form along with a candidate statement and any other pertinent information (e.g., resume, education, experience) that you desire to be considered to the email below. **Please limit candidate statement to no more than one page.** Please complete this application and return it by **November 3, 2023**. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Samir Sheikh
Air Pollution Control Officer
San Joaquin Valley APCD
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**Elizabeth Wynn, Council Member
City of Visalia
2021 - Present**

My mission in life is to contribute to my community through work, social, and family relationships.

Council Activities: City representative on Tulare County LAFCO, Tulare County Transit Association (alternate), Tulare County Homeless Alliance. SJVAPCD Large City Rep.

Employment:

Kaweah Health Foundation, [REDACTED]

Foundation Director (1/2019 – present)

I currently serve as Foundation Director whose mission exists to support the needs of Kaweah Health. Under my leadership our volunteer board of directors has successfully completed three major campaigns through fundraising and serving as ambassadors in our community. As a result of these recent efforts over nine million dollars in new technology, state of the art medical equipment and patient improvements have been completed. As the largest community health care district in the State, Kaweah Health serves all residents with care and compassion regardless of ability to pay. With one of the largest Medi-Cal populations in the State, it is difficult for the District to provide funding to keep pace with rapidly changing medical technology and equipment. I believe everyone deserves quality healthcare and my role at the Foundation is to work with community members, private foundations and government entities to find ways to fund the needs of the District in their mission to provide excellence in healthcare.

Visalia Emergency Aid Council, [REDACTED]

Executive Director (7/1/2014 – 12/2018)

After spending nine years in the Seattle area I returned home to provide leadership and direction for Visalia Emergency Aid Council (VEAC). The mission of VEAC is to provide food, clothing and shelter for families in need throughout Visalia and Tulare County. I led the organization through a major building campaign for a 6,000 sq.ft. pantry and new administrative offices. As the COVID pandemic hit the Valley, the newly expanded warehouse was a critical resource in distributing food to record numbers of families in need in 2020-21. I also worked collaboratively with other social service organizations to form partnerships to avoid duplication of services and support the success of all.

July 2005 – June 2014 My husband and I moved to Seattle to support a growing church led by a close friend. During that time we helped with the expansion of a youth center, 2500 seat worship center and preschool. I established two non-profit organizations to serve youth and disadvantaged individuals that are still active.

Self-Help Enterprises (SHE) - P.O. Box 6520, Visalia, CA 93290 (Non-profit affordable housing developer)
Assistant Program Manager New Homes Division 1/2002 – 7/2005

QUAD/Knopf, 5110 W. Cypress, Visalia, CA 93277 (Planning/Engineering/Architectural Consultants)
Vice President/Planner III (9/83 - 10/97)

Education: B.A. Human Resources Fresno Pacific University, 1995
A.A., Business, College of the Sequoias, 1992
American Institute of Certified Planners, (AICP) 1997

Volunteer Activities:

City Council Member, Aug. 2021 - present
Planning Commissioner, City of Visalia, July 2004 – July 2005, June 2014- June 2019 (Chair)
Woman of the Year, 26th Assembly District, 2021
COS Hall of Fame Inductee, 2019
City of Visalia Housing Element Task Force 2016
Planning Policy Task Force, City of Visalia, November 2004- July 2005.
President – Rotary Club of Visalia 2021-2022
Board of Directors, Rotary Club of Visalia, 2015-2022
Established 501c3 for Downtown Rotary Foundation to secure funding for local and international non-profits.
Visalians for Measure A (school bond), Asst. Treasurer 2018
Children's ministry Volunteer – Neighborhood Church 2016-2021
Kaweah Delta Community Advisory Committee 2017 - 2019
Volunteer Mentor, Leadership Visalia 2015-2019
Visalia Economic Development Council – Interim Executive Director 2000-2001
Chairperson and committee member, Visalia Chamber of Commerce Christmas Tree Auction 1986-91.
Volunteer coach, board member and concession chair for numerous children's athletic groups.
Board Member, Visalia Education Foundation, 1996-2000.
Founding Board Member, Naz Sports, 1991 Established 501c3 for this large sport organization.
Young Visalian of the Year for community service, 1995, City of Visalia/Visalia Jaycees
Volunteered for numerous local political races for School Bonds, City Council, TC Sheriff, etc.