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City of Columbus Planning Division
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Dear City of Columbus Planning Staff,

This letter is my intent to serve as one of the seven members of the East Franklinton Review Board.

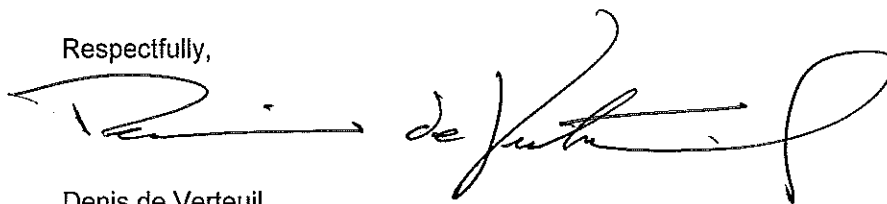
As a resident of the Franklinton Neighborhood, I want to serve for the betterment of my community through my formal training in Architecture and City Planning. I hope to provide knowledge and experience to the East Franklinton Review Board as it intends to implement the vision, recommendations, policies, and standards of the East Franklinton Creative Community Plan.

Through my Architecture and Design training I am qualified to carry out many of the design review duties of this position. This is critical to the quality, consistence, and execution of the future design of the neighborhood. With my degree and training in Urban Planning, I am qualified to carry out the procedures of the Review Board and have an understanding of its purpose and process. My current experience in the commercial construction industry also gives me understanding about the construction process and what it takes to build and/or save structures.

Membership terms are staggered among the initial membership ((1) for 1 year, (3) for 2 year, and (3) for three years. I am willing to serve for any of the previously mentioned terms to best suit the East Franklinton Review Board.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Denis de Verteuil". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "D" and a long, sweeping underline.

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- ENGAGED CITIZEN OF COLUMBUS -

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EDUCATION

The Ohio State University

Masters in City and Regional Planning
June 2012

B.S. in Architecture
June 2009

Study Abroad:
Germany
June 2011 - August 2011

Study Abroad:
Italy
March 2008 - June 2008

ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS

Ava Hottman Award for Public Service
June 2012

ULI Hines Competition Winner - Local Chapter
February 2009

LEED Accredited Professional
September 2008

Davis Garland Scholarship
June 2007

WORK

Compton Construction Vice President

January 2013 - Present

Managing business partner with oversight of strategic planning, business development, marketing, and office management.

MKSK Urban Planner

January 2012 - January 2013

One of the largest and most influential landscape architecture, urban planning, and urban design firms in the Midwest. I was on the cutting room floor conducting public meetings, planning land uses, and designing master plans for clients of all sizes.

Yay Bikes! Campaign Outreach Director

June 2011 - January 2012

Helped conduct a bike safety campaign called 'How We Roll' which offered bike tours to OSU students that connected sights and flavors of the community in a chance to educate our riders about how to ride their bikes in the city.

Fairfield County Regional Planner

January 2011 - June 2011

Worked with the Director to develop the Agricultural Economic Development Plan called *Fairfield Growing* which has since been adopted as a model for the State of Ohio as a guide for local food systems.

Karlsberger Architectural Designer

June 2008 - September 2008

Worked on the Nation's Children's Hospital project in D.C. and the Battelle Grand Ballroom project in Columbus. Assisted in the creation of the construction documents.

COMMUNITY

Franklinton Area Commissioner

March 2013 - Present

Help in the planning and development of the Franklinton Neighborhood.

design:ROLLS Event Lead

June 2012 - Present

Founded and chair the Center for Architecture and Design events committee responsible for *design:ROLLS*. These architectural bike tours educate riders in the design of their city by actively engaging them with it.

Pinchflat: Bike Poster Blowout Event Lead

May 2013

Organized a yearly event that showcases local graphic talent with bicycle focused poster art. Coordinated over 20 volunteers, 15 vendors, and multiple locations. Sold over 150 posters in 2 days surpassing the previous goal of 100.

Bike OSU President & Treasurer

September 2010 - June 2012

Restarted the student organization to promote safe cycling practices, provide a resource for cyclists, and be a voice to the University. In two years, Bike OSU created the Winter Cycle Show, won a grant for the Mobile Bike Clinic, and became a model for other Universities.

Bike & Build Leader

Portsmouth, NH to Vancouver, BC - 3,850 miles
December 2009 - September 2010

Lead 32 cyclists across the country to raise money and awareness for affordable housing, totaling over \$150K. Designed route, orchestrated build days with NPOs, secured sleeping/shower locations, and all riders made it safely.

Bike & Build Rider

Boston, MA to Santa Barbara, CA - 3,800 miles
June 2009 - September 2009

Cycled across the country to raise money and awareness for affordable housing, totaling over \$150K stopping along the way to build 9 homes.