

## Contact Information

\* Name

Adam Campbell

\* Home Address\*

206 Meadowbrook Road

\*You must be registered to vote in the City of Staunton. You can determine this by checking your voter card or by calling the Voter Registration Office at 540.332.3840.

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\* Email

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## Qualifications

\* **How long have you resided in the Commonwealth of Virginia?**

44 years

\* **How long have you resided in the City of Staunton?**

8.5 years

Have you ever been elected or appointed as an Officer or Commissioner for the City of Staunton?

Yes

**If so, please explain**

I was appointed to the city's Planning Commission in January 2018 and I am currently serving my second term.

\* **Please indicate why you are interested in serving on City Council:**

My wife and I moved to Staunton from Northern Virginia in 2014 to pursue a new employment opportunity and for quality of life, to raise our young children in more of a small town environment. Since that time we have formed a strong connection to this city and are grateful to be a part of such a special community. From its historical character, cultural and recreational opportunities, variety of small businesses, and welcoming atmosphere, Staunton is truly a unique and special city. I am a strong believer in giving back to your community and leading through action. I would be honored to have an opportunity to help guide our city forward into the future. There are tremendous opportunities for not only "big picture" goals in terms of supporting job growth and improving Staunton as a tourism destination, but also smaller initiatives to improve the everyday lives of our citizens.

\* **Please indicate areas of your experience and knowledge that you see as important for consideration of your application for appointment:**

My professional employment with the Virginia Department of Transportation has provided me with extensive opportunities in the realm of public government. My position responsibilities as a transportation planner with the VDOT Staunton Construction District includes daily interaction with the localities we serve, including 11 counties, 7 cities and numerous towns in the Shenandoah Valley. I interact with locality staff at a technical level, engage elected officials in the support of transportation concepts and projects, and participate in outreach to the public in both in-person meetings and interactive online surveys to present information and solicit public feedback. My position has also provided experience in the analysis of data to determine trends, the development of creative solutions to address emerging issues, and the creation and management of project budgets. Finally, my professional background provides me with a strong understanding of planning and civil engineering principles related to land development, public works and transportation.

\* **Please list any relevant leadership skills or educational training:**

My leadership skills are strong suited for a position on city council. My professional career has extensive experience in public engagement with leading public meetings, presentations on complex concepts for public understanding and feedback, and facilitation of public workshops. I have a flexible approach to leadership that can adapt based on the need for direct guidance, delegation of responsibilities or collaborative teamwork. Outside of the profession setting, my experience on the city's Planning Commission and with the Boy Scouts of America have also provided valuable leadership experience.

Indicate if you are attaching additional information pertinent to this application.

Attachments are provided

Attachment

Adam Campbell-Resume.pdf

\* **Digital Signature**

Adam Campbell

**\* Date and Time**  
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Be advised that upon submission, this application and supporting documents become a public document and will be published by the City of Staunton.

# Adam Campbell

Planning specialist with 21 years of experience, focusing on problem solving wide-ranging issues to produce manageable solutions that address the identified need.

## Professional Experience:

### **Virginia Department of Transportation**

Transportation Planner (June 2014 – present)

Staunton, Virginia

- Responsible for managing state-wide transportation programs and providing transportation planning assistance to over 40 localities in the VDOT Staunton Construction District.
- Serve as project manager for VDOT studies, leading multi-disciplinary teams in the identification of transportation needs and evaluation of improvement alternatives for mitigation of the defined issues.
- Serve as the VDOT technical lead in support of the Staunton-Augusta-Waynesboro Metropolitan Planning Organization.
- Assist in project development, programming and delivery of VDOT's multi-million dollar transportation construction program.

### **Burgess and Niple, Inc.**

Land Use Planner (June 2002 – May 2014)

Woodbridge, Virginia

- Managed studies to determine site feasibility and suitability for land development projects, focusing on layout and opportunities, site constraints and magnitude of cost.
- Managed planning applications through the public review process (rezonings, special use permits, comprehensive plan amendments) to support land development projects.
- Supported the design and development of site development construction plans.

## Professional License:

### **Landscape Architect**

Virginia Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects (2006 - present)

## Education:

### **Virginia Tech**

Bachelors of Landscape Architecture (2002)

## Leadership and Community Service:

### **City of Staunton**

Planning Commissioner (2018 – present)

### **Boy Scouts of America**

Eagle Scout – Troop 30 – Stafford, Virginia (1996)

Cub Scout Pack 30 Cubmaster and Den Leader (2018 – present)

- Develop and manage annual scouting program, pack administration and weekly den activities.

### **Covenant Presbyterian Church**

Member and Church Facilities Team (2015 – present)

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