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# MIAMI BEACH

## CITY COMMISSION GROUP IV VACANCY APPLICATION

This application form is required as part of the City Commission Group IV Vacancy application submittal. The completed application MUST accompany your letter of interest, current resume, photograph, and City of Miami Beach oath. You may attach additional sheets, if necessary, to provide the required information. See the Notice of Commission Vacancy for additional information.

Duggan	Chris		
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	
20 Island Ave Apt 207	Miami Beach, FL 33139		
Home Address	City	State	Zip Code
603-366-6227	chris.duggan27@gmail.com		
Cellular Telephone	Email Address		
	Retired		
Business Name	Occupation		
Business Address	City	State	Zip Code

- Have you been a resident of Miami Beach for a minimum of one year?  Yes  No
- Are you a registered voter in Miami Beach?  Yes  No

Florida Voter Registration Number (located on your voter information card): 122542188

- Are you presently a registered lobbyist with the City of Miami Beach?  Yes  No
- Have you ever been convicted of a felony?  Yes  No
- Have you been issued a violation(s) of the City of Miami Beach Code that remains open or pending?  
 Yes  No

If yes, please explain in detail: \_\_\_\_\_

- Do you currently owe the City of Miami Beach any money?  Yes  No

If yes, please explain in detail: \_\_\_\_\_

- In what organization(s) in Miami Beach do you currently hold membership?

Organization Name \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Name \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

- List all properties owned or in which you have an ownership interest in Miami Beach:

Condo 20 Island Ave #207  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

- How long have you lived in Miami Beach? 5 Years

- Have you served on any City of Miami Beach Board(s) or Committee(s)?  Yes  No

If yes, which Board(s) or Committee(s)? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What were your contributions to the Board(s) or Committee(s)? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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- Why are you interested in serving on the City Commission? This is now my home and I have  
interests that have been offered and cultivated in Miami Beach. I am also interested in the city's  
responses to sea rise, transportation and energy production

- How does your education and/or experience complement the powers and duties of the City Commission?

With a degree in Energy Engineering I believe I can help the city be informed and make  
significant decisions that affect our immediate future. As a technology coordinator and grant  
writer for a public school district I can help procure funding and consultants. As an innovator  
(designed first computer lab at UMass Lowell for 500 students) I can help create solutions.

- Will you run for a City Commission seat in 2019?  Yes  No  Undecided

I HEREBY ATTEST TO THE ACCURACY AND TRUTHFULNESS OF THIS APPLICATION.

Chris Duggan  
Applicant's Signature

Jan 9, 2019  
Date

**NOTE:**

The completed application MUST accompany your letter of interest, current resume, photograph, and City of Miami Beach oath. You may attach additional sheets to provide the required information.

The completed application along with all accompanying materials may be submitted via:

- Email to [RafaelGranado@miamibeachfl.gov](mailto:RafaelGranado@miamibeachfl.gov)
- Hand delivery to the Office of the City Clerk, 1700 Convention Center Drive, First Floor
- Postal mail to City of Miami Beach, Office of the City Clerk, Attention: Rafael E. Granado, 1700 Convention Center Drive, Miami Beach, FL 33139

**PUBLIC RECORD:**

Pursuant to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, this application and everything attached to it is a public record. The materials you provide will be posted on the Office of the City Clerk's Election webpage and will be available for inspection. If you are an individual listed in Section 119.071, F.S., whose home address is exempt from disclosure, the City Clerk will maintain that confidentiality if you submit a written request.

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CITY OF MIAMI BEACH OATH

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE

Before me, an officer authorized to administer oaths, personally appeared Chris Duggan  
\_\_\_\_\_ to me well known who, being sworn, says that he/she is seeking  
appointment to the Office of City Commissioner (Group No. IV) for the City of Miami Beach,  
Florida; that he/she is a qualified elector of said City residing within the City at least one year  
before applying for this office; that his/her legal residence is:  
20 Island Avenue, Apt 207 Miami Beach, FL 33139

Miami Beach, Miami-Dade County, Florida; that he/she is qualified under the ordinances  
(including Miami Beach City Code Chapter 38 governing "Elections") and Charter of said City to  
hold such office.

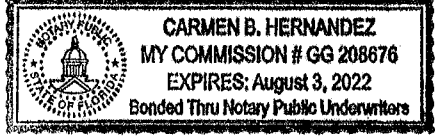
Chris Duggan  
Signature of Candidate

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this 9 day of January, 2018,  
by Christopher Duggan.

(NOTARY SEAL)

Carmen B. Hernandez  
Signature of Notary Public-State of Florida

Carmen B. Hernandez  
Name of Notary Typed, Printed, or Stamped



Personally Known \_\_\_\_\_ OR

Produced Identification  OR  
Type of Identification Produced D230-100-50-282-0



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December 28, 2018

CITY COMMISSION GROUP IV VACANCY APPLICATION

Letter of Interest

Office of the City Clerk  
Miami Beach City Hall 1st Floor  
1700 Convention Center Drive  
Miami Beach, FL 33139

Greetings:

This letter of interest is being submitted for consideration to fill the current vacancy on the City Commission, Group IV.

For the past five years I have been a resident of Miami Beach. I am retired after a fulfilling career in education and technology. After attending many workshops in the city regarding public building and funding projects, transportation, energy usage and condominium regulation I am impressed with the degree of interaction the city has with its citizenry. I see this current vacancy on the commission as an opportunity to increase my involvement significantly.

A brief summary of my professional career would include over thirty five years in education as a teacher, adjunct professor, technology coordinator, administrator, grant writer, innovator, coach and data consultant.

Memorable accomplishments would be the design, construction and implementation of the first computer lab with curriculum at the University of Massachusetts, Lowell. We handled five hundred students a semester while offering the entire course online in 1981.

Later I helped Newfound Area School District in New Hampshire establish their technology from 1984 to the mid 1990s. This linked seven schools and the central office in professional and educational use of technology. Most of this was paid for by state and federal grants that I had written.

Prior to moving to New Hampshire I attained a Master's Degree in Energy Engineering which focussed on nuclear engineering with in-depth instruction in solar, wind and geothermal.

As to how this all would transfer to the commission, I offer that my background in energy would help the city to understand what is happening with Turkey Point, electrical usage in the city and pursue additional methods of local energy production. This could relate to the management of water here in Miami Beach.




In New Hampshire I was very closely involved in the management of the district budget (15-20 million dollars) both in compilation and disbursement.

The present Miami Beach is vibrant and healthy. The future version of the city is being challenged by the environment, population, construction and transportation. I am willing to put in the time to understand and confront these issues. I believe I have the talents and skills to work with the commission and be directed so that the city benefits.

Thank you for this opportunity and your attention

Respectfully Yours,

  
Chris Duggan

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## Christopher Duggan

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**Objective** Meaningful and productive activity in retirement

**Work Experience** *Newfound Area School District (24 Years)*

20 North Main Street  
Bristol, NH 03222

**Job Title**

District Core Support Specialist

- i4see Coordinator
- District Personal Interest Plan Coordinator
- Math, Computer and Interdisciplinary Instructor
- District Computer Coordinator
- Grant Writer

*University of Lowell (8 Years)*

One University Ave  
Lowell, MA 01854

- Adjunct Faculty Mathematics Department (6 Years)
- Teaching Assistant (Nuclear/Energy Engineering)

*Archbishop Stepinac High School (2 Years)*

950 Mamaroneck Avenue  
White Plains, NY 10605

- Mathematics Instructor

**Accomplishments** *Newfound Area School District:*

- Researched, purchased and implemented Middle School Math Program
- Researched, purchased and implemented Web2School and MacSchool
- Developed and implemented interdisciplinary curriculum
- Chair and Co-Chair District Math Councils, Triad Council, Awaken The Senses
- Recognized with others by School Board for District Data Profile
- Developed and implemented district technology equipment and curriculum
- Distinguished Educator Award
- Obtained Multiple Governor's Initiative Grants
- Organized 1,000 students at Newfound Lake for Project WET
- Experienced Educator Certificate #27455 (expired)

University of Lowell

- Designed and built first instructional computer lab at the university
- Wrote on-line curriculum for BASIC and FORTRAN - 1981
- Directed team of eight graduate students and additional professor to teach 500 students a semester
- Designed stationary focusing solar collector using geodesics modeled after the eye of a scallop

Other

- Dean's List

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## **Christopher Duggan**

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- University of Lowell Track Team Co-Captain
- High school valedictorian

**Activities**           Track and Field Coach and Official (35 Years and inducted into NH Track Coaches Hall of Fame)  
Class Advisor – Newfound and University of Lowell  
Technology networking and conferences  
National History Day – Washington D.C.

**Interests**           Miami Beach, travel, golf, movies, Gini (wife), Chip (son)

**Education**           M.S. – University of Lowell (Energy Engineering)  
One University Ave  
Lowell, MA 01854  
Sept. 1976 - May 1978

B.S. - Lowell Technological Institute (Mathematics and Literature)  
One University Ave  
Lowell, MA 01854  
Sept. 1968 - May 1972

John S. Burke Catholic High School  
80 Fletcher Street  
Goshen, NY 10924  
Sept. 1964 – June 1968

**References**           Furnished upon request

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