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**HOUSING & REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**  
2014 MEMBERSHIP ROSTER

Composition: 5 members  
 Term Limit: 5-year terms

(MN laws 1987, Ch. 469)

Name	Appointed/ReAppointed	Term Expiration
Mark Thorson 4825 W. 86th Street 55437	02/19/02 1/8/07 1/03/12	12/31/16
Cheryl Lewis 4111 Overlook Circle	1/28/14	12/31/18
Robert (Andrew) Carlson (Council Representative) 4642 Hertiage Hills Dr.	1/28/13	12/31/18
Mike Fossum ( <b>seeks reappointment</b> ) 1221 Valley High Drive 55431	01/03/00 01/18/05 1/4/10	<b>12/31/14</b>
Steve Mahowald ( <b>resigned</b> ) 9462 Stevens Ave S	1/22/07 1/3/11	<b>12/31/15</b>

**Housing and Redevelopment Authority  
2014 Attendance Record**

Meeting Date	Mahowald	Lewis	Fossum	Carlson	Thorson
January 28	X	X	X	X	X
February 11	X	X	X	X	X
February 25		X	X	X	X
March 11		X	X	X	X
April 22	X	X	X	X	X
May 8	X	X	X	X	X
May 27	X	X	X	X	X
June 11		X	X	X	X
July 8	X	X		X	X
July 31	X	X	X	X	X
August 26	X	X	X	X	X
September 9	X	X	X	X	X
September 23		X	X	X	X
October 14	X	X	X	X	X
October 28	X	X	X	X	X
November 25	X	X		X	X
December 9	X	X	X	X	X
<b>Total Attended</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>% Attended</b>	<b>76%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>



## Smith, Deb

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**From:** Zimmerman, Mary  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 12, 2014 1:31 PM  
**To:** Smith, Deb  
**Cc:** Grout, Douglas  
**Subject:** FW: HRA Board term

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**From:** Grout, Douglas  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 12, 2014 12:49 PM  
**To:** Zimmerman, Mary  
**Subject:** FW: HRA Board term

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**From:** Fossum, Michael [mailto:Michael.Fossum@minneapolismn.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 12, 2014 12:07 PM  
**To:** Grout, Douglas  
**Subject:** RE: HRA Board term

Sure.

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**From:** Grout, Douglas [mailto:dgrout@BloomingtonMN.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 12, 2014 11:23 AM  
**To:** Fossum, Michael  
**Subject:** HRA Board term

Hi Mike,

Your term on the HRA Board is up at the end of this year. Are you interested in serving another five year term?

Thanks,

Doug

**Doug Grout**  
*Administrator*  
*Bloomington HRA*  
*1800 West Old Shakopee Road*  
*Bloomington, MN 55431*  
*(952) 563-8940*



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## Smith, Deb

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**From:** Grout, Douglas  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2014 4:37 PM  
**To:** Smith, Deb  
**Cc:** Lee, Larry  
**Subject:** FW: It's Been Nice Ride

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**From:** Mahowald, Steve [mailto:Steve.Mahowald@metrotransit.org]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2014 11:15 AM  
**To:** Grout, Douglas; Hartman, Bryan; Zimmerman, Mary  
**Cc:** Fossum, Michael (Michael.Fossum@minneapolismn.gov); 'Mark Thorson'; Carlson, Andrew (Andrew.Carlson@minneapolismn.gov); CHERYL D LEWIS (clewis@wradvisors.com)  
**Subject:** It's Been Nice Ride

Folks,

As much as I've enjoyed my time serving on the Bloomington HRA, I'll be stepping down effective tomorrow.

It's been a pleasure working with you all. After 20 years on the HRA, Traffic & Transportation and the Planning Commission, it's time to make way for some new blood.

I've always been impressed by the both the talent and thoughtfulness of those that I have served with and of the staff that does an excellent job of outlining the issues before us--and always with patience.

Wishing you all the best in the years to come.

Steve Mahowald

Senior Transit Planner - Route Planning, Service Development  
Metro Transit, 560 Sixth Avenue North, Minneapolis, MN 55411-4398  
Direct: 612.349.7775 | General: 612.349.7400  
[steve.mahowald@metrotransit.org](mailto:steve.mahowald@metrotransit.org)



# Advisory Board/Commission MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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able to present information to the City Council without it. The data is needed to distinguish this application from others and to properly exercise the City Council's right to appoint members to advisory boards and commissions.

**Please mail or fax the completed form to the City Manager's Office at the address below.**

Name <b>FAISAL S AHMED</b>		Employer <b>MIDWAY TAX SERVICES</b>
Address <b>8951 GOODRICH RD #207</b>	Zip <b>55437</b>	Position <b>CPA</b>
Home Phone		Business Phone <b>612-483-2607</b>

**BOARD/COMMISSION** Please select one board or commission.

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|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advisory Board of Health                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Board of Appeal & Equalization | <input type="checkbox"/> Planning Commission                          |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Housing and Redevelopment Authority | <input type="checkbox"/> Merit Board                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic & Transportation Advisory Commission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Human Rights Commission                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Parks, Arts & Recreation Commission  | <input type="checkbox"/>  |

**EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE** As applicable to board/commission membership.

I am self-employed CPA and also work with city attorney as a student attorney. I have experience in Mediation, restorative justice and juvenile justice. Most recently, I worked with the city of Minneapolis Police, Hennepin County Attorney's office to resolve petty misdemeanor offenses out of court.

**CIVIC PARTICIPATION**

I served as volunteer with various organizations including public interest law firms, nonprofits and youth groups. I served as law clerk for Mid-Minnesota Legal aid, human right law clerk for CAIR MN

**BACKGROUND AND INTERESTS**

Public interest law; Youth Law; Tax law;

**WHY DO YOU WISH TO BE APPOINTED?**

I want to use my skills and talents to make my city better place. My objective is to take part in the city administration and possibly be voice for the city residents.

Applicant Signature Faisal Ahmed Date 04/02/2014

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Name <b>SUSAN L. TELLERS</b>	Employer <b>VAA ENGINEERING</b>
Address <b>11039 OREGON CIRCLE</b> <small>Zip</small>	Position <b>ARCHITECT</b>
Home Phone <b>952 903 9589</b>	Business Phone <b>763-577-9104</b>

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**EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE** As applicable to board/commission membership.

**07/2014 → CURRENT VAA ENGRG - ARCHITECT ON INDUSTRIAL PROJECTS REQUIRING COORDINATION W/CITY OFFICIALS (PLANNING COMMISSION) DEPT OF SAFETY & INSPECTIONS, ZONING - INCLUDING MISSISSIPPI RIVER CORRIDOR (PORT AUTHORITY, FAA, MSP AIRPORT PLANNING, CORP OF ARMY ENGINEERS, CIVIC PARTICIPATION)**

- ACTIVE IN BLOOMINGTON ALANON GROUPS → 20+ YEARS
- PET HAVEN- ANIMAL RESCUE → 20+ YEARS (ON BLOOMINGTON OFF LEASH DOG PARK COMMITTEE → ?/1999)
- AIA- MEMBERS IN TRANSITION COMMITTEE (3 YEARS)
- ALANON DISTRICT 12 CHAIRPERSON 1.5 YEARS. (ALSO GROUP REP. 2.5 YEARS)
- EVERGREEN CHURCH- VOLUNTEERS IN ACTION
- METRO CARE FACILITY - PET LOVERS VISITATION PROGRAM

**BLOOMINGTON RESIDENT SINCE 1986(?) - UNOFFICIAL VOLUNTEER @ OFFLEASH DOG PARK**

**WHY DO YOU WISH TO BE APPOINTED?**

- EXPAND INVOLVEMENT W/ MY CITY SERVICE COMMITTEES
- EXPAND KNOWLEDGE OF GOVT ACTION W/ PORT AUTHORITY
- EXPAND SELF - GROWTH IN BLOOMINGTON (FOR THE NEXT DECADE)
- WISH TO BE PART OF THE PROCESS, NOT A RECIPIENT. (PLUS)

Applicant Signature Susan L. Tellers Date 12/05/14

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Name	Nathan Coulter	Employer	Minnesota Senate
Address	100 W 96th St, Apt 26	Zip	55420
Home Phone	952-239-0531	Position	Legislative Assistant
		Business Phone	651-297-8061

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**EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE** As applicable to board/commission membership.

Legislative Assistant to Senator Melissa Wiklund 2013-present. In my capacity as Sen. Wiklund's LA, I manage her office, including constituent relations and tracking and managing bills, as well as working with local officials. (Back)

**CIVIC PARTICIPATION**

I have been involved with campaigns for city council and school board in Bloomington, in addition to the previously mentioned consultation with city officials through work. I'm also a Sunday School teacher at Mt. Olivet Church in Minneapolis.

**BACKGROUND AND INTERESTS**

I've lived in Bloomington my whole life, aside from when I attended college (BA, Political science/music education, St. Olaf '08). My professional background includes political campaigns, as well as my work at the MN House of Representatives and senate.

**WHY DO YOU WISH TO BE APPOINTED?**

I grew up in Bloomington, and chose to stay after college for a reason. Bloomington is a wonderful community and I'm eager and excited to work to make it better, and embrace the changes that come with a growing (Back)

Applicant Signature Nathan Coulter Date 8/15/14

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Employment Experience, cont.: Particular focuses have included the 77<sup>th</sup> St Underpass and the MA Valley State Trail in the Bonding bill, and the South Loop / IIF district repurposing bill.

Why? cont.: and demographically changing city. Additionally, I look forward to having the opportunity to serve and learn more about my hometown. I would also add that although the Planning Commission is my first choice, I am obviously willing to serve on other boards or commissions as well.