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**City of Reno**  
**City Council Member Applicant Acknowledgement**  
Kyle E. Edgerton

**For the Office Of**  
Ward 3, Reno City Council

**State of Nevada**  
**County of Washoe**

For the purpose of having my name considered as a potential appointed candidate for the office of Ward 3, Reno City Council, I, the undersigned Kyle E. Edgerton do swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that I, actually, as opposed to constructively, reside at 1320 Yori Avenue, in the City or Town of Reno, County of Washoe, State of Nevada; that my actual, as opposed to constructive, residence in the state, district, county, township, city or other area prescribed by law to which the office pertains began on a date at least 30 days immediately preceding the date of the close of the application period for this office, that my telephone number is (775) 900-3343, and the address at which I receive mail, if different than my residence, is P.O. Box 21493 | Reno, NV 89515; that I am a qualified elector pursuant to Section 1 of Article 2 of the Constitution of the State of Nevada; that if I have ever been convicted of treason or a felony, my civil rights have been restored; that if selected as a nonpartisan candidate at the ensuing Reno City Council Meeting, I will accept the nomination and not withdraw; that I will not knowingly violate any election law or any law defining and prohibiting corrupt and fraudulent practices in campaigns and elections in this State; that I will qualify for the office if appointed thereto, including, but not limited to, complying with any limitation prescribed by the Constitution and laws of this State concerning the number of years or terms for which a person may hold the office; that I understand that knowingly and willfully filing an appointment application which contains a false statement is a crime punishable as a gross misdemeanor and also subjects me to a civil action disqualifying me from entering upon the duties of office; and that I understand my name will appear on all Reno City Council Meeting Agendas as designated in this declaration.

Kyle E. Edgerton

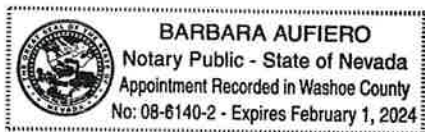
Printed Name of Applicant

*Kyle E. Edgerton*  
Signature of Applicant

Subscribed and sworn or affirmed to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of the month of October of the year 2022.

*Kyle Erik Edgerton*  
Name of Candidate

*Barbara Aufiero*  
Notary Public



## City of Reno

### Reno City Council Membership Application

Please be advised that all information contained in this application is part of the City of Reno's public record and is, upon request, available for public review. Contact the City Clerk's office at 334-2030 with any questions.

<i>First Name:</i> Kyle	
<i>Last Name:</i> Edgerton	
<i>Applicable Nickname:</i>	
<i>Office Applying For:</i> Council Member	<i>Applicable Ward:</i> Ward 3

#### Contact Information:

<i>Address where applicant resides:</i> 1320 Yori Avenue		
<i>City:</i> Reno	<i>State:</i> Nevada	<i>Zip:</i> 89502
<i>County of Residence:</i> Washoe		
<i>Mailing Address (if different):</i>		
<i>City:</i>	<i>State:</i>	<i>Zip:</i>
<i>Primary Phone:</i> 775-900-3343	<i>Primary Email:</i> kyle@edgertonlegal.com	

**Preferred Contact Information *If appointed, the address, phone number and e-mail address you wish to use for your contact information:***

<i>Address:</i> P.O. Box 21493		
<i>City:</i> Reno	<i>State:</i> Nevada	<i>Zip:</i> 89515
<i>Phone:</i> 775-900-3343	<i>Email:</i> kyle@edgertonlegal.com	

**Occupation/Business Information:**

<i>Business Name:</i> Edgerton Legal, LLC		
<i>Job Title:</i> Manager / Staff Attorney		
<i>Business Address:</i> P.O. Box 21493		
<i>City:</i> Reno	<i>State:</i> Nevada	<i>Zip:</i> 89515
<i>Business Phone:</i> 775-900-3343	<i>Business Email:</i> kyle@edgertonlegal.com	

<i>How long have you been a resident of the City of Reno?</i>	29 + 3 years
<i>How long have you been a resident at your current address?</i>	5 + 3 years
<i>Are you currently registered to Vote in the City of Reno?</i>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

**Education and Training:**

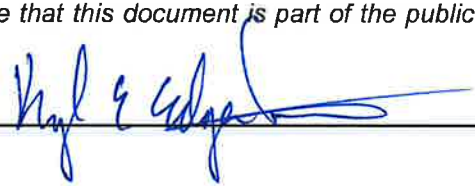
<i>List Education or Training you've received relevant to the position to which you are applying:</i>
Judicial Law Clerk   2018–19   Supreme Court of Alaska
Juris Doctor   2015–18   University of California, Davis
> coursework included Land Use and Planning, Civil Rights, Free Speech, and Policy Advocacy
Bachelor of Arts   2004–08   Pomona College
> Philosophy, Politics & Economics (major)   Environmental Analysis (minor)

**Elected Official Information:**

Have you previously run for an elected office?	Yes _____ No <u>X</u>
If yes, please describe:	
Do you plan on running for elected office in the future?	Yes <u>X</u> No _____
If I were appointed to this position, I expect that I would run for re-election. Although there would be a learning curve for me as a candidate, I have been involved in campaigns in various capacities since 2008. At this time, I have no plans or desire to run for other elected offices.	
Explain briefly why you would like to be appointed to this board or commission. Please attach any additional information you wish:	
Please refer to the attached letter, which I briefly summarize here. I was born and raised in Reno, and my family has been in the heart of Ward 3 since 2010. I have been civically engaged since high school, and I have built my career around service. My appetite for policy and procedure, my legal training and experience, and my patience and passion for empowering others to understand complex issues equip me with a rare skillset suited to this role. I am a cheerful and productive team member, whether my role is leader, peer, or supporter. I consider my character to be kind, compassionate, and open toward diverse experiences and worldviews. As a Spanish-speaking attorney serving immigrants, indigent criminal defendants, and survivors of domestic violence, I have insight into the needs of some of our most vulnerable neighbors.	

*I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information I provided in the application is true. If the information provided is false or incomplete, it shall be sufficient cause for disqualification or removal. I acknowledge that this document is part of the public record of the City of Reno and is available for public review.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



Date: 06 Oct 2022

## EDUCATION

- Juris Doctor** 2015–18  
*University of California, Davis School of Law* Davis, CA
- Order of the Coif | Top 5% of Class
  - Coursework included: Land Use and Planning, Civil Rights, Free Speech, and Policy Advocacy
  - Immigration Certificate | Public Service Law Program | Pro Bono Program
  - Teaching Assistant | Research Assistant | Aoki Water Justice Clinic | Softball Commissioner
- Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics** 2004–08  
*Pomona College* Claremont, CA
- Distinction in Thesis | Environmental Analysis Minor | Environmental Affairs Commissioner

## EXPERIENCE

- Owner / Attorney** 2019–Present  
*Edgerton Legal, LLC* Reno, NV
- Manage business affairs of solo practice specializing in immigration, criminal defense, and family law
  - Perform client intake; conduct research; and prepare briefs, forms motions, and pleadings
  - Provide *pro bono* and low-fee legal services to low-income clients and legal-aid organizations
- Law Clerk to Hon. Craig F. Stowers** 2018–19  
*Alaska Supreme Court* Anchorage, AK
- Prepared memoranda for administrative, civil, and criminal appeals and petitions for appellate review
  - Drafted opinions, conducted legal research, and critiqued other chambers' proposed opinions
- Immigration Program Director** 2011–15  
*Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada* Reno, NV
- Managed immigration services program serving low-income families and provided direct representation
  - Trained 3 legal assistants, 3 pro bono attorneys, 6 AmeriCorps VISTA volunteers, and numerous volunteers

## VOLUNTEER SERVICE

- Pro Bono Legal Work** 2011–Present  
*Alaska State Court System; Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada; Lawyer in the Library; Legal Services of Northern California; Mi Familia Vota; Northern Nevada International Center; Northern Nevada Legal Aid; OneJustice; Truckee Family Resource Center; UC Davis School of Law Clinics; Unaffiliated/Individuals*
- Work includes: citizenship classes, criminal record clearance, English classes, eviction defense, family law, guardianships, immigration/naturalization, legal empowerment workshops, and small-claims mediation
- President of the Board of Directors** 2011–15  
*Human Services Network* Reno, NV
- Drove efforts to develop legislative priorities and leverage member advocacy around those goals

## HONORS & AWARDS

- UC Davis MLK Jr. Distinguished Service Nominee (2018) – *declined consideration*
- *Reno Gazette-Journal* Silver Pen Award (2011)
- Pomona College Senior Service Award / Commencement Speaker (2008)
- McQueen High School Outstanding Senior Boy (2004)

October 6, 2022

Reno City Council  
1 E First Street  
Reno, NV 89501

Dear Mayor Schieve and Councilmembers:

I write enthusiastically to expand on my application to fill the Ward 3 vacancy on the Reno City Council. As a second-generation Renoite, father of young children, small business owner, Spanish-speaking public-interest attorney, and civically engaged member of our community for more than 30 years, I bring a cross-section of perspectives to the table. I would offer my lived experience, professional skillset, and years of serving our most vulnerable neighbors as reasons why I am well-equipped to step into this role during a time of transition and to represent Ward 3 in the most accessible, capable, and loving way possible.

Our family has had our house in the heart of Ward 3 since 2010, and these neighborhoods are home to our favorite places to eat, play, and recreate. Commuting by bicycle (to my Ward 3 office) gives me a ground-level knowledge of our city, a personal stake in ensuring safe streets for all users, and an intimate view of Reno's exciting changes and ongoing challenges. I know Reno and Ward 3 deeply, and I am committed to making them vibrant, livable spaces for diverse Renoites.

Early in my career, I ran a non-profit immigration program and learned how to achieve the best results possible for my clients while working within ethical boundaries and the confines of flawed statutes. As a solo attorney with a varied practice, I routinely must familiarize myself with new facts, unfamiliar laws, and a dizzying set of procedures. Resolving court cases often requires negotiating in good faith and building relationships that can survive disagreement. My training and experience—legal and law-adjacent—would ease my transition into this role on the Council.

My work has always centered justice and service to others. In my day jobs, I have served people who are immigrants, juveniles, neurodiverse, queer, survivors of violent crime, unhoused, and otherwise vulnerable. (As you know, these identities are often intersectional.) On my own time, I have helped make voting districts fairer, reduce sentencing disparities for noncitizens, and more. I have taught "Know Your Rights" classes, supported workers' collectives, and mediated evictions. Where I cannot walk in others' shoes, I march alongside them with support and in service.

When the Council makes big decisions, the process can seem at once too fast to influence and too slow to follow at every turn. This was my perception as a young man, but it taught me that an engaged and organized citizenry is essential to a meaningful democracy. This structure is elusive, because the work of building it is hard. If I were selected for this role, community outreach and involvement would be cornerstones of my tenure on the Council.

Thank you for the opportunity to be considered for this position. I look forward to meeting with you and with the community to discuss how I could serve Ward 3 as its next councilmember.

Sincerely yours,




Kyle Edgerton

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**DRIVER LICENSE**



1. EDGERTON  
2. KYLE ERIK  
8 1320 YORI AVE  
RENO, NV 89502-2727





15 Sex: M    16 Hgt: 600    17 Wgt: 190    18 Eyes: GRN  
 9a Org: NONE    9b Org: NONE    4a Iss: 11/07/2019  
 12 Restr: B    18 ID: 33751340640799484

4d DL NO: [REDACTED]


3 DOB: 02/08/1986  
 4b Exp: 02/08/2028

*Kyle Edgerton*

DOB: 02/08/1986  
 ISS: 11/07/2019

CLASS: C - Cars/Vans/Pickups; may tow a veh < 10,000 lbs  
 ENDORSEMENTS: NONE  
 RESTRICTIONS: B - Corrective Lenses



**"BATTLE BORN"**

## Nevada Open Meeting Law Waiver

**WAIVER OF NOTICE IS REQUIRED UNDER NRS 241.033(1) TO ALLOW THE CITY COUNCIL TO CONSIDER THE CHARACTER, MISCONDUCT, OR COMPETENCE OF A PERSON TO BE APPOINTED TO A BOARD, COMMISSION, OR OTHER PUBLIC BODY FOR THE CITY OF RENO\***

The City Council for the City of Reno will be considering your appointment to a board, commission, or other public body for the City of Reno on a future posted agenda. Pursuant to NRS 241.033(1), in order to consider the professional competence of an applicant, notice needs to be provided to that person of the time and place of the meeting in compliance with such statutory provisions. By agreeing below, it is confirmed that I have been provided notice of the meeting at which my appointment will be considered by the City Council. Further, I knowingly and voluntarily am waiving my rights to all written notice requirements under NRS 241.033(1) pertaining to my qualifications, competence, and character to hold this appointment and consent to the evaluation of my character and competence by the Reno City Council in a public meeting. Further, I acknowledge that I may, at any time, withdraw both this waiver and the related application for my appointment.

**Acknowledgment:**

If you are considered as a candidate to fill the vacancy as the Ward 3 Council Member your application may appear on a City of Reno Council Meeting Agenda, to the extent required by NRS.

Kyle E. Edgerton

Printed Name of Applicant

Signature of Applicant

