

Planning Commission At Large	Application No: No: 20221027083043 13114
ELIGIBILITY	
PROFILE	
Prefix	Dr
Last Name	Dessouky
First Name	Samer
Middle Name	
Suffix	
Preferred Name	
Title	Ph.D, P.E., F. ASCE
Are you a City of San Antonio resident?	Yes
San Antonio Resident Length Years	15
In which City Council District do you reside?	08
How many years have you lived in the City Council District where you reside?	15
Address Type?	Residence
Address	
City	Helotes
State	TX
Zip	78023
Phone Type?	Cell
Phone number	
Phone 2 Type?	Business
Phone 2 number	
Address 2 Type?	Business
Address 2	One UTSA Circle, School of Civil and Environmental Engineering and Construction Management
City 2	San Antonio
State 2	TX
Zip 2	78249
eMail	
Employer	University of Texas at San Antonio
Job Title	Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering
Occupation	Civil Engineering
Board/Commission/Committee Name	Planning Commission~At Large~~04
DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION	
The City of San Antonio strives for boards and	

commissions to be representative of our diverse community. Providing the following demographic information is voluntary, and will only be used for statistical and reporting purposes	
Race/Ethnicity (Please select all that apply):	Middle Eastern or North African
Gender:	Male
Age:	45 to 54
Do you identify as a sexual minority (such as lesbian, gay, bisexual, queer, etc.)?	No
QUESTIONS	
If this board position requires residency within Bexar County, the City of San Antonio city limits or within a particular council district, do you meet those residency requirements?	Yes
Do you or any of your immediate family members or any businesses that you or they own currently have any direct or indirect financial interest in any contract(s) with the City, including subcontracts?	Yes
Identify anticipated parties to the contract(s) and describe contract(s).	Through UTSA, I served as principal investigator for several service agreements (Research/technical services) with COSA Transportation and Capital improvements offices to provide best practices and guidelines in improving pavement durability, safety for pedestrians and motorists. This year I completed a service agreement with the COSA street division to provide best practices of using recycled pavement materials in construction of concrete side walks we currently working with SARA under supervision of COSA on best practices of using vegetation along roadways in Edwards Aquifer recharge and contributing zones for storm water management and water quality improvement
Will you or any of your immediate family members or any businesses that you or they own seek a contract(s) with the City in the foreseeable future?	Yes
Identify anticipated parties to the contract(s) and describe anticipated contract(s).	As a faculty member at UTSA, I continue to seek collaboration with COSA through service agreements to assist transportation and sustainability offices with solution to current challenges in roadways durability and safety.
Do you or any of your immediate family members or any businesses that you or they own have any financial interest, direct or indirect, in any sale to the City of any land, materials, supplies, or service?	No
Will you or any of your immediate family	No

members of any businesses that you or they own seek or take part, either directly or indirectly, in any sale of land, materials, supplies, or service to the City in the foreseeable future?	
Does your employer or an employer of your immediate family members have a contract with the City?	Yes
List name of employer, family member and describe contract.	UTSA continuously has its faculty members engaged in research and service contracts with COSA
Do you or any of your family members currently serve or in the past year served as an administrative aide to a Councilmember?	No
Do you currently serve in any elected or appointed public government office?	No
Are you a member and/or officer and/or employee of any boards, commissions, corporations, non-profit entities, agencies, or other entities?	Yes
Give the title and dates of any position which you have held in such organization:	I with my wife owns LLCs that rent Single Family Residence (SFR) properties
Do you receive any compensation for service on this entity(ies)?	Yes
If yes, please describe compensation, for example - \$20 per meeting.	Rental proceeds from our properties
Do you intend to seek election or appointment to any public office or board or commission in the foreseeable future?	No
Have you ever been hired for a position with the City of San Antonio?	No
Describe your Educational history.	PhD: Civil Engineering, Texas A and M University, College Station, Texas (May 2005). Dissertation Title: Multi-scale Approach for Modeling Hot Mix Asphalt. Master of Science: Civil and Environmental Engineering, Washington State University (WSU), Pullman, Washington (December 2001). Thesis Title: Performance Prediction of Asphalt Mixes Using The Superpave Gyrotory Compactor. Bachelor of Science: Civil Engineering, Ain Shams University (ASU), Cairo, Egypt (June 1996).
Describe your Professional History & Certification designations (Current and historical).	Assistant Director and Professor, School of Civil and Environmental Engineering and Construction Management, UTSA (Oct 2021, present) Commissioner: Member of Planning Commission of City of San Antonio (Oct 2020-Oct 2022) Associate Editor: Journal of Materials in Civil Engineering Part B: Pavement, ASCE. Chair: Bituminous Pavement Committee (BMC) of Construction Institute (ASCE): 01/2018-01/2020) Chair: Transportation Research Board Subcommittee Alternative Uses of Right-of-

	Ways, Infrastructure, and Facilities AMS20(2) (Sep 2021-Sep 2024) Associate Director: TRAN-SET regional University Transportation Center (09/2017-12/2024) funded by USDOT Research Scientist, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (05/2005-07/2007).
Describe your Volunteer Experience & Community Service	Judge for ExxonMobil Texas Science and Engineering Fair, San Antonio, TX (2008, 2009, 2012, 2015) Judge for School of Science and Technology (SST), San Antonio, TX (2009) Speak to elementary, middle and high schools students on the Civil Engineering Profession.
Please provide a brief narrative outlining your reasons for seeking appointment to this board or commission:	After serving one term as a planning commissioner I am willing to continue my service in this role for one more term. I gained the knowledge and expertise needed to provide unbiased votes and thoughts to City planning division on issues related to plots, plan amendments, variances and annexations. I also provide input and feedback to future planning initiatives such as Community Area Plan Administrative. I also served in the alternative in the PCTAC to provide input to the revised UDC effort that takes place every five years.
APPLICATION SIGN-OFF	
As a board, commission, or committee member, you will be asked to adhere to: Code of Ordinances, City of San Antonio, Part II, Chapter 2, Article IX, Sec.2-534. All board and commission members must file a Financial Disclosure Report with the Office of the City Clerk upon appointment, and annually thereafter, throughout the member's term. Failure to file a Financial Disclosure Report within the time required by the City's Ethics Code will be considered an automatic removal.	
I understand that if any member of the public makes a request for information included in this Application for Appointment, most of the information must be disclosed under the Public Information Act. I understand that the City of San Antonio will attempt to maintain the confidentiality of highly private matters by seeking an Attorney General's opinion in accordance with the Public Information Act. I understand that it may not be legally possible to maintain the confidentiality of such information, and I hereby release the City of San Antonio, and its agents, employees and officers, from any and all liability whatsoever if the information must be released pursuant to the Public	Acknowledged

Information Act or any other law requiring its release.	
I recognize that I am an applicant for Planning Commission~At Large~ ~04, as a City of San Antonio board or commission that is more than advisory in nature. As a city officer, I understand that I, my immediate family members, and any business in which I and/or they hold a 10% or greater ownership interest will be prohibited from seeking or accepting contracts with the city for the duration of my service on this board. I further understand that this restriction will extend with regard to many types of discretionary contracts for a period of one year after leaving city service.	Acknowledged
OATH I have read and understand the guidelines set out in this application. The foregoing statements are true, accurate, and complete. I agree that any misrepresentation or omission of facts may result in my disqualification for appointment.	Acknowledged
Enter Your Name	Samer Dessouky
Date of submission	10/27/2022
The Texas Public Information Act provides that each government official may choose whether to allow the public access to the information in the custody of the City that contains your home address, home telephone number, or reveals whether you have family members. Please note that this does not apply to business addresses, which are subject to public disclosure. If an open records request is filed requesting to view or obtain records that contain your personal information, the City will take steps to protect your personal information as authorized by the Texas Public Information Act, but only if you have elected to protect personal information.	
I want the public to have access to my Home Address.	No
I want the public to have access to my Home Telephone Number.	No
I want the public to have access to my Social Security Number	No
I want the public to have access to my Emergency Contact Information.	No
I want the public to have access to my Family Information.	No
Please attach any additional information, such as a current resume, using the Attachments panel at the bottom of this page.	