

RESOLUTION NO. 3096


BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of Salisbury, Maryland that the following individual is appointed to the Sustainability Advisory Committee for the term ending as indicated.

Name
Ley Rideout

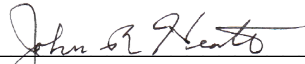
Term Ending
March 2024

THE ABOVE RESOLUTION was introduced and duly passed at a meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland held on March 22, 2021.

ATTEST:



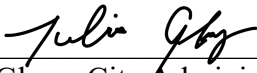
Kimberly R. Nichols
CITY CLERK



John R. Heath
PRESIDENT, City Council

APPROVED BY ME THIS

23 day of March, 2021



Julia Glanz, City Administrator, for and at the
direction of Jacob R. Day, Mayor



City of
Salisbury
Jacob R. Day, Mayor

MEMORANDUM

To: Julia Glanz, City Administrator
From: Julie English, Administrative Assistant
Subject: Appointment to the Sustainability Advisory Committee
Date: March 22, 2021

The following person has applied for appointment to the Sustainability Advisory Committee for the term ending as indicated:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Term Ending</u>
Ley Rideout	March 2024

Attached you will find information from Ley Rideout and the resolution necessary for her appointment. If you approve of this appointment, I will forward this information to the City Council so it may be placed on their agenda at the next Council meeting. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Attachments

Mayor Julia Glanz,

As the world continues to adjust to the impacts of a changing climate, it becomes increasingly more necessary that mitigating and sustainable practices be implemented. Adopting best management practices along with more sustainable ways of living begins at the local level. This can be accomplished by actively engaging members of the community during the process of sustainable implementation. Educating citizens on *why* they should care about sustainability is an important step. Our objective should include urging members of the community to care *about* our world, so that they can help us care *for* it.

I believe my career and education in natural resources puts me in a position to be an excellent steward of conservation. For this reason, I am requesting membership to Salisbury's Sustainability Advisory Committee. Through my knowledge and expertise, I can provide insight on sustainable practices as well as education to the public. It is my goal to bring my passion about natural resources not only to the committee, but to my community. Change begins at the local level, and I would like to assist in creating positive changes for our home.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Ley Rideout

Ley Rideout
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Education

Current Graduate Student

Master of Natural Resources
Virginia Tech, Expected Graduation: December 2021

Bachelor of Science in Forestry, Minor in Wildlife and Fisheries Management

Department of Forestry, Wildlife, & Fisheries
University of Tennessee, Knoxville. 2018

Professional Experience

Forester, USDA: Natural Resources Conservation Service

Salisbury, MD: January 2020- Current

- Implement Farm Bill practices on surrounding forests and farmland
- Working closely with state foresters on plans and projects
- Assisting customers on best management practices for property

Forester, ACRT

Knoxville, TN: June 2018- July 2019

- Contracted through Knoxville Utility Board as a consulting utility forester
- Used GIS maps to determine tree position and property boundaries
- Determined tree species and growth rates to establish utility line clearances
- Customer service in relation to tree trimming and tree biology

Urban Forestry Internship, University of Tennessee

Knoxville, TN: Summer 2017

- Performed risk assessment on the emerald ash borer for the city of Oak Ridge Electric Department
- Used forestry techniques such as GPS marking, GIS maps, taking tree diameter, crown class, overall health and data collection
- Marked ash trees along over 200 miles of utility lines as well as city greenways and parks

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Research Assistant, Plant Molecular Genetics and Biosystems Engineering Lab, University of Tennessee

Knoxville, TN: October 2015- June 2018

- Assisted in day to day experiments with transgenic species of switchgrass and soybean
- Responsibly handled laboratory equipment and chemicals
- Performed DNA and RNA extractions
- Worked with professors and post docs on experiments relating to biomass and bioenergy research

Work Experience

- Daycare teacher, Westside Learning Center. Knoxville, TN: February 2015-August 2015
- Photographer, Portrait Innovations. Knoxville, TN: December 2013-January 2016
- Seafood Clerk, Fresh Market. Knoxville, TN: February 2013-December 2013
- Cashier, Ingles. Greeneville, TN: July 2011-May 2012
- Office Assistant, Green, Finch, & Covington. Ottawa, KS: August 2010-February 2011
- Stocker, Beachaven Vineyards. Clarksville, TN: May 2008-July 2009

Volunteer Work

- Bright's Zoo. Jonesboro, TN: Summer 2012
- Third Creek Cleanup. Knoxville, TN: Fall 2012
- Field Days, Ijams Nature Center. Knoxville, TN: Spring 2013

Certifications

- Wildland Firefighter