

**Application for Appointment to a**  
**City of Minneapolis Board, Commission, Committee or Task Force**

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<b>Title of the Board, Commission, Committee or Task Force this application is for</b> Minneapolis Latino Advisory Committee
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Name: Eva Benavidez Clayton	Ward:
Signature: Eva Benavidez Clayton	Date: 01/26/09

Occupation: Marketing and communications professional	Employer: Consultant (self)
Employer's Address: 1367 Willow St. #553, Minneapolis, MN 55403	

Describe your background related to any required or desirable qualification listed in the Notice. Include applicable experience with civic, professional or volunteer organizations and other city boards or commissions. List any awards or special recognition.
My professional background is diverse and includes work in the non-profit, philanthropic and for-profit sectors. I have experience providing direct services to Latino immigrant communities and have developed curriculum and provided trainings on issues including cultural competency, organizational development and capacity building. I have also played the role of funder, working for a community foundation committed to historically marginalized groups using community organizing as a way to address problems at their roots. I am a board member at the Resource Center of the Americas, volunteer at Casa de Esperanza and an active member of the National Society of Hispanic MBA's. I am a bilingual Chicana with an International MBA and have spent several years living in different parts of Latin America.

**Instructions:**

1. Complete both pages of this application.
2. Do not submit resumes, letters of recommendation or additional sheets.
3. Personally deliver, e-mail, or fax applications by 4:30 PM or postmark by the date stated in the Vacancy Notice.
4. Call 612-673-3358 with any questions.
5. Return completed applications to:  
 City Clerk Appointments, Room 304, 350 South Fifth Street, Minneapolis MN 55415-1382  
 Fax: 612-673-3812  
 E-mail: [cityclerk@ci.minneapolis.mn.us](mailto:cityclerk@ci.minneapolis.mn.us)