

## **Downtown Reno Business Improvement District | DBA Downtown Reno Partnership (DRP)**

### **Application for: Board of Directors**

The Downtown Reno Business Improvement District, dba, Downtown Reno Partnership, is a special assessment district encompassing the core of the downtown Reno area. The DRP is governed by a Board of Directors comprised of private and public representation. Board members are volunteers with a broad range of interested and backgrounds connected to the core area of downtown Reno. Directors are elected or appointed by the Board from a slate nominated by the Executive Committee, and the Board may provide the Executive Committee with any guidance it may have to facilitate the consideration of potential new Directors.

The Board of Directors has 17 seats which represent the following areas/sectors:

- **Riverwalk District:** Person representing an owner of property located within the portion of the District south of First Street, west of Lake Street and south of the Truckee River east of Lake Street area south of First Street, west of Lake Street and south of the Truckee River east of Lake Street
- **Innovation District:** Person representing an owner of property located within the portion of the District west of Arlington Ave.
- **Northwest District:** Person representing an owner of property located within the portion of the District west of Arlington Ave
- **Entertainment District:** Person representing an owner of property located within the portion of the District north of First Street, between Arlington Ave and Lake Street.
- **Small Property/Business Owner:** One (1) owner of a small business/property within the district or its representative
- **Commercial Tenant:** One commercial tenant in the District or its representative
- **Commercial Property Owners (two seats):** two representatives of commercial property owners within the District
- **Non-profit sector:** Person representing the non-profit sector
- **Residential Representatives (two seats):** two persons who reside within the District and own or rent residential property within the District and who have a physical mailing address within the district
- **City Representative:** Appointed by Reno City Council
- **Washoe County Representative:** Appointed by Washoe County Commission
- **UNR Representative:** Appointed by UNR Leadership
- **Top 3 Assessment Payers (three seats):** Automatic seats

For consideration, candidates are invited to fill out the brief application attached. Please send the completed form to DRP Executive Director, Neoma Jardon, at 40 E. 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Reno, NV 89501 or email to [njardon@downtownreno.org](mailto:njardon@downtownreno.org) by January 31, 2026.

**DRP Board Application:**

**Personal:**

Name:

Addresses of Property (Properties) with in the BID:

Mailing Address

Cell #: Work #:

Email Address:

How long have you been a resident of Reno:?

How long have you owned or rented property within the District:?

**Professional:**

Present employer: Date of employment:

Employers address:

Job Title / Responsibilities:

Employment History for the last 5 years. If retired, last 5 years of work history:

**Civic Involvement:**

Committees and Boards for the last 5 years (please provide name of board/committee, office held & dates)

1. How did you find out about the Reno Downtown Business Improvement District?
2. Please describe your background/connection with Downtown Reno.
3. Why do you want to be on the Board of Directors?
4. What are the greatest challenges and opportunities facing downtown?
5. What priorities do you think the BID should focus on over the next three years?
6. Are you aware of any conflict of interest that might result from your appointment?
7. Do you serve on any local or state board, commission, council, authority or in any elected office? If so, please list:

Signature of Applicant:

Date:

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