



WARWICK CITY COUNCIL
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April 8, 2021

TO THE HONORABLE STEPHEN MCALLISTER, COUNCIL PRESIDENT
AND
THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE WARWICK CITY COUNCIL:

Pursuant to Public Laws Chapter 2000-060

Entitled

"LAND TRUST COMMISSION"

I hereby appoint:

AUSTIN E FLAHERTY
283 Asylum Road
Warwick, RI 02886

Ward 6

Term to expire May 1, 2025

VICE: Patricia Levesque

Appointments Chairman Vinny Gebhart

4/8/21

Date

Board Member Biography

Board or Commission: The Land Trust Committee

Name: Austin E. Flaherty

Education: Salve Regina University, Newport RI. Class of 2015. Bishop Hendricken High School Class of 2010

Related Experience: Avid outdoorsman and nature photographer

Employment: Washington Trust Co. since 2017. I worked at Centerville Rd in Warwick for more than 2 years, but I currently work in North Kingstown.

What is your interest in serving on this board?

I find it incredibly important to make the most of the land that the city has available. If I am able to make a difference for my city and my neighbors in one way or another I feel it is my responsibility. I find myself fortunate that there is an opening on a committee with which my interests align. We as Warwickians are lucky to live in such a beautiful place and I would very much like to keep it that way.

Austin E. Flaherty

Education

Bachelor of Arts, Salve Regina University, Newport, RI
Liberal Studies; concentration in History and minor in Creative Writing

December 2014

Campus Activities:

- Photography Exhibitor, Best of Salve Student Show (BOSS)
- Mercy in Motion
- Treasurer, Camping Club, Salve Regina University
- Volunteers Interested in Reaching and Guiding Others (VIRGO)
- Knight, Culture and Civilization Club

High School, Bishop Hendricken High School

2010

Extracurricular Activities:

- Options Peer Mentor

Work Experience

Retail Flex Banker, Washington Trust Co.

April 2017-Present

- Manage relationships with clients and create new relationship opportunities
- Advise customers and help to make decisions based on need
- Work as an integral part of a team
- Find creative solutions to conflict resolution.
- Frequently called upon to fill absences and vacancies throughout the retail banking network

Social Media Consultant

Committee to Elect Henry "Rick" Lombardi RI House District 74

April-September 2020

- Responsible for all aspects of social media outreach
- Built and maintained campaign website and social media pages
- Event photographer for all fundraisers and location shoots for campaign media

Photographer/Editor, Austin Flaherty Photography

January 2015-Present

- Manage and schedule work with clients
- Created and maintain website, curate and develop an expanding portfolio

Volunteer Experience

Volunteers of Warwick Schools, Warwick RI

2006-2019

Drum Rock Early Childhood Center, Warwick, RI

2015-2017

Ss. Rose and Clement Parish, Warwick, RI

2006-2016