



## MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO ADVISORY BOARD

NAME OF BOARD: Planning and Zoning DATE: 08/26/2021

APPLICANT NAME: James David Stockton III

EMAIL: BishopStockton@gmail.com

STREET ADDRESS: 200 Oak Circle

CITY: Ocala ZIP: 34472 HOME PHONE: 3522093124 WORK PHONE: 3526871130

BUSINESS NAME: Greater New Hope Church

BUSINESS ADDRESS: 484 Emerald Rd.

OCCUPATION: Sr. Pastor PREVIOUS OCCUPATION: Collegiate Student Affairs Professional

REGISTERED VOTER:  Yes  No HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY?  Yes  No

REFERENCES: NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE
1. <u>Michelle Stone</u>		<u>352-266-5949</u>
2. <u>Dr. Jerone Gamble</u>		<u>352-454-5720</u>
3. <u>Scot Quintel</u>		<u>352-299-1679</u>

(PLEASE DO NOT USE COMMISSIONERS AS REFERENCES)

PRESENT/PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT RELATING TO THIS ADVISORY BOARD:

Sr. Pastor of the Greater New Hope Church serving the community in a wholistic approach. We focus not only on spiritual development but also in the areas of the world of business, science and technology, educational, economical and entrepreneurial development.

PRESENT/PREVIOUS VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:

Serve on the following councils and committees:  
Vice Chair of the Continuum of Care on Homelessnes  
Chair of the Committee on Culturally Responsive Teaching and Learning for Marion County School Board  
Director of the H.O.P.E. Community Development Corporation  
President of the Marion County NAACP branch

SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS:

Communications, Public Relations, Public Speaker, strategic development, urban church growth and development, fundraising. community influencer/activist.

HOW MUCH TIME DO YOU HAVE MONTHLY TO PREPARE FOR AND ATTEND BOARD MEETINGS?

I have approx 20 hours

LIST ALL COUNTY AND CITY BOARDS (MARION COUNTY OR ELSEWHERE) ON WHICH YOU HAVE PREVIOUSLY SERVED (INCLUDE DATES OF SERVICE):

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**RETURN FORM TO:** MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
601 SE 25TH AVE., OCALA, FL 34471

PLEASE CALL THE COMMISSION OFFICE AT (352) 438-2323 IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING YOUR APPLICATION.

*I authorize Marion County to contact my references and I understand that all statements made on this application may be verified by Marion County, including background checks. In addition, I understand that any misstatements or material omissions on my application may result in my removal from my appointed position.*

*By signing this application, the applicant agrees to attend at least one (1) advisory board seminar within six (6) months from the date of his or her appointment.*

SIGN: J. David Stockton III

RECEIVED BY BCC: MARION COUNTY BCC

PRINT: James David Stockton III

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\* This application will be kept on file for a period of one year from date receipt by the Board of County Commissioners. Should a vacancy occur on the board to which you have applied, you will be notified.