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To whom it may concern,

I am interested in the vacancy with the Planning & Zoning Commission of Pataskala. I am a resident of Pataskala, a homeowner, a business owner and involved in our community in many ways. I have a strong interest in being a part of the responsible growth of Pataskala.

I have been to several Planning & Zoning Commission meetings as well as city council meetings. I have had many discussions with the Planning & Zoning department of Pataskala to better understand the comprehensive plan, the research that is put into each project, the correct and legal way to vote for or against an issue & seen a fair share of projects that could help or hurt the community & value of Pataskala.

If selected to join the commission, I would plan to put forth the time, research, and dedication it would require ensuring proper understanding of each proposed project & other issues that may arise. I am a person of integrity and would not allow persuasion, personal gain/loss or other personal matters to interfere with my decision-making process in the Planning & Zoning Commission capacity.

I am aware that the city is facing an increased lawsuit count that may have to do with the legal way to vote down a project and/or other factors. I would do my best to ensure that my vote was based on legal grounding vs being solely based on my personal opinion. I am not afraid to ask questions and dig for the right answers.

I would be happy to answer any questions you might have. Thank you for considering me as a candidate to fill this vacancy.

Jerika Zuckerman