

**CHARLOTTE COUNTY  
JUNIOR COMMISSION PROGRAM**



**APPLICATION**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTH DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

YEARS OF RESIDENCY IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY: \_\_\_\_\_

Please include with this application the following information as referenced in the attached guidelines:

- a. Resume
- b. Written Statement
- c. Teacher or Administrator Recommendation/Signature

APPLICANT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TEACHER SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION:**

**Aug. 1, 2024**

***(or until positions are filled)***

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### **PURPOSE:**

- To encourage interest and participation in county governance among our youth, especially students who are not yet eligible to vote.
- To provide input to Charlotte County Commissioners from county youth as to matters of interest to them and their peers.
- To disseminate information about county government to county youth.

### **GUIDELINES:**

- County Commissioners may appoint Junior Commissioners that preferably live in one of their five commission districts.
- The period of appointment shall be the fall of 2024.
- Any Charlotte County resident who is a high school junior or senior enrolled in full-time, Charlotte County public, private, parochial, or accredited home school programs is eligible to apply.
- The application must be in writing and include a personal resume, a statement of the reason for desiring appointment and a teacher or administrator recommendation from their respective high school.
- Appointment shall be at the sole discretion of the Charlotte County Board of County Commissioners. Commissioners may take into consideration any or all of the following but are not limited to the following criteria: length of time the individual has been a county resident, extra-curricular activities, and third-party recommendations.
- Service as a Junior Commissioner shall cease immediately upon an appointee relocating out of the County.
- A Junior Commissioner may be relieved of that position by the Charlotte County Board of County Commissioners for any reason.
- A new appointment may be made to complete an unexpired term.
- Unless expressly stated herein, the Junior Commissioner shall have no power to vote on any matter nor shall he/she take any action or have any express or implied authority to take official action or otherwise bind the County.