



# CITY OF DESERT HOT SPRINGS

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## CITY COMMISSION/BOARD APPLICATION

### GENERAL / CONTACT INFORMATION

NAME: Kirby Salle  
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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Appointed Commissioners must be a resident and registered voter of the City (DHSMC \$2.24.040)

Length of Residency in Desert Hot Springs:

9 years

Registered Voter in Desert Hot Springs since:

2009

Indicate the following Commissions/Committees/Boards in which you are most interested in serving.

Number in order of preference (Example: #1 for 1st choice, #2 for 2nd choice, #3 for 3rd choice, etc.)

Not Interested Planning Commission

Not Interested Oversight Board to the RDA Successor Agency

Not Interested Public Safety Commission

Not Interested Architecture and Landscape Review Committee

1st Community & Cultural Affairs Commission (CCAC)

➔ (Members not subject to residency requirements)

See attachment for Commission/Committee/Board descriptions or visit the City's website at [www.cityofdhs.org](http://www.cityofdhs.org) for more information

Occupation and Employer: Self-employed Artist and Instructor

(If retired, indicate last occupation/employer)

The following information consists of some of the factors used by the City Council, and/or subcommittee thereof to select final applicants: 1) Background, education, experience to demonstrate sound judgement; 2) Diversity in commission membership; and 3) attendance at commission meetings prior to interview

### Background / Work Experience / Civic Involvement:

Currently volunteering and the Art Instructor at our DHS Senior Center.

Working with the Desert Art Center of Palm Springs and an Art Instructor.

### Education / Training:

2017 AA in Studio Art, College of the Desert, Palm Desert, CA

2016 Certificate of Achievement in Digital Design and Production, College of the Desert, Palm Desert, CA



Have you served on a City Commission or Board in Desert Hot Springs or any other City?

☒ No ☐ Yes If yes, complete below:

CITY	COMMISSION/POSITION	WHEN	LENGTH OF SERVICE
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Have you ever attended a City Council Meeting? ☐ No ☒ Yes

Have you ever attended a City Commission Meeting? ☐ No ☒ Yes If yes, list which commissions and approximately how many.

Describe your knowledge of the functions, regulations and procedures of the Commission (1st choice) on which you would like to serve:

Recommend a planned approach for the delivery of leisure, recreational and community services, especially for the youth and seniors of the community;

Recommend and implement programs and activities as approved by Council which foster mutual understanding and respect among the City's racial, religious, ethnic and nationality groups

Assess the public art needs of the City and make recommendations on the development, maintenance, and preservation of public art; and analyze community programs effectiveness and needs.

What specific skills, attitudes, and experience do you think you have that will enhance the work of the Commission?

Art Instructor, Palm Springs Unified School District, Parent Engagement Program, Desert Hot Springs, CA & DHS Senior Center  
Photographer, Desert Hot Springs Chamber of Congress and City Hall, Desert Hot Springs, CA  
Graphic Designer, Art Liaison, Palm Springs Black History Committee, Palm Springs, CA  
Committee member of the Palm Springs Black History Committee, Palm Spring, CA

**CURATORIAL PROJECT**

2016 A Taste of Soul in the Desert: A Celebration of Black History presented by Desert Hot Springs High School, Desert Hot Springs, CA

2016-2017 Palm Springs Art Museum and Palm Springs Black History Committee "Intertwining the Fabric of Generations" featuring works by

What specific issues or problems face the commission? Do you have suggestions to address these issues or problems?

I have not attended a meeting in over 6mos. so I am not aware of the immediate need. Just for a residents prospective we need more activities for our 13-19 year old residents.

Appointed Commissioners may be required to submit a Fair Political Practices Act, Statement of Economic Interests (pursuant to Government Code §87200 and/or Desert Hot Springs Municipal Code Section §2.20.050

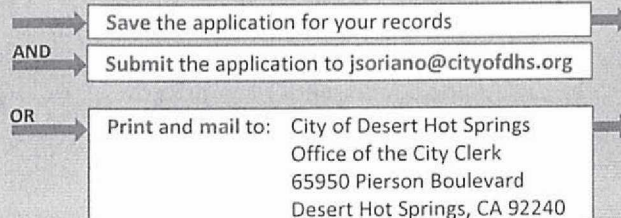
NOTE: This document is a public record and is subject to disclosure pursuant to the California Public Records Act. Personal contact information will not be released without consent. Your Application will be considered by the City Council, provided that a vacancy exists on a Commission or Board for which you have applied. If there is no vacancy, your application will be kept on file for two years, to be considered when an opening does occur.

I hereby certify that the above statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge:

Sallé Kirby  
Applicant's Signature

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Date

**SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS**



# Sallé Kirby

## EDUCATION

- 2017 AA in Studio Art, College of the Desert, Palm Desert, CA  
2016 Certificate of Achievement in Digital Design and Production, College of the Desert, Palm Desert, CA  
1995 AA in Graphic Design, Platt College, Cerritos, CA

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 La Quinta Museum, *Tell Me a Story: Women in Art*, La Quinta, CA  
2016 College of the Desert Library, *Summer Group Photography Show*, Palm Desert, CA  
2016 Walter N. Marks Art Center, *Annual College of the Desert Student Scholarship Exhibition*, Palm Desert, CA  
2016 College of the Desert President's Lobby, Palm Desert, CA  
2016 - 2015 Artist Council of Palm Springs Art Museum, *99Bucks & Up Sale*, (Fundraiser) Palm Springs, CA  
2015 Venus Galleries, *Then and Now Art Exhibition*, Palm Desert, CA  
2014 Palm Springs Art Museum, *Palm Springs Art Museum Fine Arts Creativity Award and Scholarship*, Palm Springs, CA  
2014 Walter N. Marks Art Center, *Annual College of the Desert Student Scholarship Exhibition*, Palm Desert, CA  
2014 Venus Galleries, *Triple Play*, Palm Desert, CA  
2012 Venus Galleries, *Transits Inaugural Art Exhibition*, Palm Desert, CA  
2012 - 2011 Walter N. Marks Art Center, *Annual College of the Desert Student Scholarship Exhibition*, Palm Desert, CA  
2011 J. Willott Gallery, *College of the Desert Student Art Exhibition*, Palm Desert, CA  
2010 Michael H. Lord Gallery, *College of the Desert Student Art Exhibition*, Palm Springs, CA  
2010 The Art Colony at the Blueprinter, *College of the Desert Student Art Exhibition*, Palm Desert, CA  
2007 Los Angeles Superior Courts, *The National Arts Program 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition*, Los Angeles, CA  
2003 Allan Hancock College Friend of the Library, *Annual Celebration of the Arts*, Santa Maria, CA

## AWARDS and GRANTS

- 2015, 2014, 2012, 2011 Dumont Foundation Scholarship  
2015 Ruth Stark Memorial Art Scholarship  
2014 Coachella Valley Economic Partnership's *Pathways to Success Scholarship and Leadership Program*  
2014 George E. Moore Scholarship  
2014 Thomas Walt Scholarship  
2014 Palm Springs Art Museum Fine Arts Creativity Award and Scholarship  
2014 Joan Judelson Foundation Scholarship  
2014, 2013, 2012, 2011 La Quinta Arts Foundation Scholarship

## HONORS

- 2015 City of Desert Hot Springs Certificate of Recognition, *Advocating for the local artists and a Cultural Arts District to revitalize the community.*  
2015 - 2014 College of the Desert Certificate of Academic Achievement, Deans List  
2012, 2011, 2010 College of the Desert Certificate of Academic Achievement, Deans List

# Sallé Kirby

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## WORK and VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 2017 Art Instructor, Desert Hot Springs Senior Center, Desert Hot Springs, CA
- 2016-17 Art Instructor, Palm Springs Unified School District, *Parent Engagement Center*, Desert Hot Springs, CA
- 2016 Photographer, Desert Hot Springs Chamber of Congress and City Hall, Desert Hot Springs, CA
- 2016 Graphic Designer, Palm Springs Black History Committee, Palm Springs, CA
- 2016 Committee member of the Palm Springs Black History Committee, Palm Springs, CA
- 2016 Committee member of the Martin Luther King Unity and Peace Walk of DHS, CA

## CURATORIAL PROJECT

- 2016 A Taste of Soul in the Desert: *A Celebration of Black History* presented by Desert Hot Springs High School, Desert Hot Springs, CA
- 2016 Palm Springs Art Museum and Palm Springs Black History Committee, *"Intertwining the Fabric of Generations"* featuring works by world renowned artist Faith Ringgold, Palm Springs, CA

## LECTURES

- 2016 Artist Talk / Presentation of Printmaking, *Intro to Art*, College of the Desert, Palm Desert, CA

## CURRENT WORK ON EXHIBIT

- 2017-18 "19th Hole Block Party," La Quinta Library, La Quinta, CA
- 2017 "Uncle James," James O. Jessie Desert Highland Unity Center, Palm Springs, CA

## BIBLIOGRAPHY AND PRINT MEDIA

Sallé Kirby, Interview, "Swim to Win," [www.coachellavalleyweekly.com/may 21 to May 27, 2015 vol.4 no.9](http://www.coachellavalleyweekly.com/may21toMay27,2015vol.4no.9) <http://coachellavalleyweekly.com/salle-kirby/>

Sallé Kirby, Interview, "Local Artist Redefined," <http://www.thestandardps.com/?p=851>

Video: My painting of Grace Jones, entertainer, is displayed in this video about her brother Bishop Noel Jones. Time 2:23  
<https://www.yahoo.com/celebrity/video/preachers-l-bishop-noel-jones-003638910.html?ref=gs>

Students Exhibit Artwork at Palm Springs Art Museum  
<http://www.collegeofthedesert.edu/newsroom/Pages/News%20Archives%202013-14/042014student-exhibit.aspx>

LQAF (La Quinta Arts Foundation) Scholar Sallé Kirby at two museums in the Coachella Valley this month:  
<http://www.lqaf.com/sec-lqaf-scholar-salle-kirby-at-2-museums-this-month>

Artisans at the Pueblo at Cabot's Pueblo Museum January 8, 2017  
<http://www.cabotsmuseum.org/artisans>

Tell Me a Story: Women in the Arts at La Quinta Museum January 19 to April 30, 2017 La Quinta Museum