

**Saint Paul Planning Commission – Recommended for Appointment  
December 2016**

**Aquanetta Anderson**

**Employer:** Saint Paul Public Schools

**Job Title:** Project Coordinator – Parent Academy

**Why are you interested in serving on a board or committee?**

**What skills/training or experience do you possess for the committee(s) for which you seek appointment?**

Active in many community groups – African American Leadership Council, International Association for Public Participation, National Alliance of Black School Educators, Education Minnesota, Saint Paul Federation of Teachers

Chairs Site Council for Crossroads Elementary School

Experience in collaborative project development

**Adrian Perryman**

**Employer:** Concordia University – Saint Paul

**Job Title:** Assistant Director of Academic Advising

**Why are you interested in serving on a board or committee?**

I was born and raised in St. Paul and would like to help make a difference and provide knowledge from underrepresented populations.

**What skills/training or experience do you possess for the committee(s) for which you seek appointment?**

Member of the Snelling/Midway CAC

Masters in Strategic Communication Management

Non-profit board experience

Event planning

Community involvement

Lives in Saint Paul

## **John Reich**

**Employer:** Winthrop and Weinstine

**Job Title:** Director of Government Relations

### **Why are you interested in serving on a board or committee?**

I am interested in serving because I have a deep interest in issues affecting my neighborhood and St. Paul as a whole. I believe that it's important to give back to the community through volunteer service. Through my service on the Planning Commission, I am interested in continuing to grow St. Paul in a way that brings vitality to the city while also keeping the character that makes it such a great place to live.

### **What skills/training or experience do you possess for the committee(s) for which you seek appointment?**

I have a strong understanding of state government policy and funding which would be a benefit to the Commission, insofar as a project involved state funding or was a matter of state policy. Additionally, I've lived in St. Paul for 11 years and in Ward 3 for 8 years. As such, I have a good sense of the neighborhood and would represent Ward 3 well. Lastly, I previously served on the Neighborhood STAR Board which provided me an understanding of the roles that board and commissions play within city government.