City of Aurora
APPLICATION - WARD II COUNCIL APPOINTMENT

Due Date: May 20, 2021 at 12:00 p.m.

Name: Jessica Kathleen Giammalvo

Home Address: 3378 S. Malta Ct. Zip Code: 80013

Email Address: [redacted]

Day Phone: 7743050704 Evening Phone: 7743050704

What year did you become a registered elector in Aurora? 2016

Have you lived in Ward 2 for at least one year? ☑ Yes ☐ No

EDUCATION

Degree: Master of Computer Science Years Completed: 2

EMPLOYMENT

Employer Name: CACI

Position: Product Owner, Systems Engineer Dates:

Address: 7800 E Union Ave 10th Floor, Denver, CO 80237

REFERENCES

Name: Leondray Gholston Phone: 720-363-2861

Name: Betsy Dampier Phone: 303-246-5327

Name: Matt Findle Phone: 303-437-5286

I swear and affirm that I:

- Am a "Registered Elector" as defined in Aurora City Code Section 54-2
- Am a citizen of the United States of America
- Have resided within the municipal boundaries of the City of Aurora for at least one year prior to the appointment
- Have resided within the respective Ward boundaries for at least one year prior to the date of appointment
- Will have reached my 21st birthday prior to the date of appointment
- Have not been convicted of a felony
- Am not a City of Aurora employee or hold any other elective public office

Do you presently serve in any appointive position on a Board, Commission or Committee?

Yes ☐ No ☑

If yes, what Board Commission or Committee:

Why do you desire appointment to City Council? You may use additional paper if needed.

I am seeking appointment to the Aurora City Council to serve my community. Many years ago my sense of duty led me to join the Army and I believe I can continue to be of service to our community by joining City Council. I would like to have a positive impact on the city and its residents, and represent the needs of my local area which includes Buckley AFB where I served.

If we were to conduct a comprehensive background investigation and reference checks what will we find that may warrant explanation or that could be of concern to the city? You may use additional paper if needed.

There are no items of concern.

What will we find in an internet search of press coverage that may be controversial or of concern to the city? Please provide whatever explanation you think is appropriate to help us understand what we will find. You may use additional paper if needed.

There are no controversial or concerning press coverages.

Do you have any special work experience, qualifications, or training that is related to your service on this board or that you would like to share with us?

Interests/Activities: Camping & visiting local parks, competing in triathlons; volunteering and donations to local shelters

Licenses/Training/Certificates: _____

How much time do you anticipate being able to spend on Council duties each month? 40+ hours/month

Are there certain times when you wouldn't be available (for instance because of job hours or another regular commitment)? My full time job requires my attendance at certain daytime meetings, otherwise my schedule is flexible.

Signature: Joanna Gonzalez **Date:** 20 May 2021

Note: Application will not be considered without attaching resume or if received past the deadline. Please include your previous three employers and the reason for leaving on your resume. You may use additional paper to answer the application questions.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE USE ONLY:

Voter Registration Date:_____ **Application Received Date:**_____

Proof of 1 Year Residency

Send completed application packet to:

Email: kvrodrig@auroragov.org
Mail: City Clerk's Office, 15151 E. Alameda Pky., Ste. 1400, Aurora, CO 80012
Fax: 303-739-7520

Jessica K. Giammalvo
3378 S. Malta Ct. Aurora, CO 80013
Phone: (774) 305-0704
E-mail: [redacted]

Clearance

Current TS/SCI Security Clearance with CI Poly

Education

Master of Science in Computer Science
Colorado Technical University, 2020
Bachelor of Science in Physics
Stonehill College, 2011

Work Experience

Bit Systems, CACI Mar 2016—Present
Software Systems Engineer Aurora, CO
ODIN

- Lead three small development teams including product release schedule and risk management
- Define product vision, road-map, and growth opportunities that anticipate customers' needs
- Work closely with Product Managers to create and maintain product backlog according to business value

Reason for Leaving: N/A

SAVANT

- Implemented Agile process improvements and organization for tracking system tickets and Discrepancy Reports (DRs) in JIRA
- Coordinated and executed critical testing events with Enterprise Collection Orchestration (ECO) and external systems, provided extensive domain knowledge of overhead intelligence processes vital to successful test completion
- Collaborated with industry partners to update processes and procedures for multi system testing event which increased efficiency and decreased overall test duration
- Carried out extensive system regression testing, produced and executed test cases for baseline upgrades
- Gained significant experience with cloud-based systems development, Agile development/continuous integration (CI) and software configuration management (CM) processes and tools

Reason for Leaving: Program budget cuts

NRT

- Directed testing of and training on mission-critical software upgrades on four separate occasions at international customer locations
- Led small internal team in support of year-long User Experience (UX) study conducted with mission partners, customers, and government representatives
- Chosen as lead systems engineer to support research and development effort with team members in both Colorado and Virginia

- Managed small development team, implemented Agile practices including sprint planning and retrospectives which led to improved organization and successful completion of prototype

Reason for Leaving: Program budget cuts

OTMS

- Chosen as lead systems engineer to design new tool for streamlined user workflows and improved communication between operational teams and leadership
- Provided critical domain knowledge for system usability testing
- Developed and conducted training for real-time operational users on new system features
- Managed requirements development, facilitated communication between customers and development team

Reason for Leaving: I was initially borrowed by the NRT program to help with a large software baseline effort. After that period of work was complete, I was offered a permanent position on NRT and chose to accept to further my learning and career experience.

U.S. Army Nov 2012—Mar 2016

Signals Intelligence Analyst Aurora, CO

Satellite Systems Engineer – Mission Scheduler, Aerospace Data Facility-Colorado

- Developed intelligence requirement strategies for several billion dollars of national space systems in support of global missions
- Applied technical knowledge of satellite systems and software applications, designed alternative methods of time sensitive product delivery as discrepancy data was submitted and levied by E2 and system developers
- Trained mission schedulers over 1,000 hours, providing qualified operators to support intelligence missions in combatant commands around the world
- Mission manager for thousands of combat operations, allied embassy evacuations, and various other intelligence related activities
- Supervised a small team of employees; provided performance feedback and consistent communication decreasing physical and informational accountability incidences by over 50%

Reason for Leaving: End of Active Duty contract; I chose not to reenlist so that I could remain in Colorado and continue the work I was doing at Buckley AFB.

Awards/Recognition

Junior Enlisted of the Year - NSA-C, 2014
Junior Enlisted of the Quarter - IRFO/OCMC, 2nd & 3rd quarter 2014
STAR Employee - OCMC-FE, 2014