

# RESIDENT FOOD EQUITY ADVISORS 2020

The Resident Food Equity Advisors is a new initiative by Salt Lake City's Sustainability Department focused on creating an equitable community food system. Resident Food Equity Advisors (RFEA) are residents who will influence and shape the City's food related policies and plans through inclusive community engagement.

Up to 16 Advisors will be selected through an application and interview process. The group will meet monthly to share information about their food experiences, outline challenges to eating healthy food, and create solutions that will address the unique needs of their community.

## Key Responsibilities and Commitment

- Attend RFEA meetings once a month, March through October
- Maintain communication with Project Manager (meetings, phone, email, etc.)
- Engage with your community outside of meetings to gather feedback and input (i.e., 2 hours/month)
- Review required materials prior to each meeting (i.e., 1 hour/month)

## Meeting Details

- Meetings will be once a month March through October
- Participants will be compensated \$40 for each meeting they attend
- Meetings will last approximately 3 hours including mealtime
- Meals and childcare will be provided
- Translation and transportation assistance is available with prior notice
- There will be an 8 hour retreat in the summer. Participants will be compensated \$120 for participation
- Meetings will be scheduled on the same day each month, however, the exact day/time will be determined by the advisors



## Qualifications

- Able to attend all meetings on time
- At least 18 years old
- Prepared to provide feedback
- Active and engaged in their community
- Interested in food issues and desire to influence policy

## Application Process

- Applications are due on **February 21, 2020**
- Applications can be emailed to [Supreet.Gill@slcgov.com](mailto:Supreet.Gill@slcgov.com) or completed and submitted online at: <http://bit.ly/2E7LYXu>
- Applications can also be sent to:

Mail:  
Supreet Gill  
Department of Sustainability  
PO Box 145467  
Salt Lake City, UTAH 84114

Drop-Off:  
Supreet Gill  
Department of Sustainability  
451 S. State Street, Room 404  
Salt Lake City, UT 84111

- In-person or phone interviews will take place during the first two weeks of February for selected applicants

## Contact Information

Supreet Gill, Food and Equity Program Manager  
Phone: 801-535-6438



# APPLICATION

## Background Information

Name:	
Phone:	Email:
Address:	
Neighborhood:	
Council District:	
Gender (optional):	Age:
Race/Ethnicity (optional):	
How did you hear about us?	

**Please share your personal experiences and provide feedback to the following questions relating to topics that will be discussed during RFEA meetings. You are welcome to attach additional pages but it is not necessary.**

1. Why do you want to be a Resident Food Equity Advisor?

2. Tell us more about why you care about affordable, fresh, and delicious food?

3. Where do you most often grocery shop and why?



4. Please share any personal or family challenges to eating fresh fruits and vegetables.

5. What is your favorite meal and why?



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6. What are two things that the city can do right away that will make it easier for you to buy more fruits, vegetables and other healthy foods in your neighborhood?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
7. What are some important things for us to know about food and people in your neighborhood?

Applications are due on **January 20, 2020**

To complete and submit this application online, please visit:  
<http://bit.ly/2E7LYXu>

If you have any questions or need help filling out this application, contact  
Supreet Gill, Project Manager at  
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