

Adwoa Ampene

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Vanessa Boukili  
City of Somerville  
93 Highland Ave  
Somerville, MA 02145

Dear Dr. Vanessa Boukili,

My name is Adwoa Ampene and I am writing to express my utmost interest in being considered for the youth member position in Somerville's Urban Forestry Committee. As a Somerville High School senior with a passion for environmental science, I believe that being a part of the Urban Forestry Committee will cultivate my leadership and push me to think critically as I continue to fight for environmental change.

As an experienced activist who has worked with the city to update our Climate Action Plan through the Somerville Climate Ambassador program, my interest in environmental science is fueled by my passion for problem solving issues of the environment. Because planting trees and shrubs is critical when reducing pollutants, especially in densely packed urban areas like Somerville, being a part of the Urban Forestry Committee would be an amazing opportunity for me to be at the frontline of such an important cause.

I would love to be considered for this initiative. I can be contacted at [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]. I can't wait to hear back from you!

Sincerely,

Adwoa Ampene