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I would like to work with the recreation Board because as a long time Lauderhill resident, I utilize the recreational resources at the parks and in the community and have seen a need for improvements in the facilities. I am part of a tennis group that frequently uses Wolk, Broward Regional and West Wind Park and thoroughly enjoy the opportunity to network and commune with others who share the same passion: working out and ensuring well kept and well maintained facilities are up to par. I believe that especially now, people need an outlet to project their frustrations and the parks and recreational facilities provide such relief. I work as a counselor with a non profit organization and am also the director of my own non profit which seeks to assist persons with disabilities in securing employment. In addition, we provide workshops and resources to domestic violence victims and participate in referring veterans to relevant agencies. We partner very closely with the Special Needs Department through Broward County Parks and Recreation since some of our participants are eligible and are enrolled in this program.