

**APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT
TO A CITIZEN COMMISSION, BOARD, COMMITTEE, OR TASK FORCE**
(Please type or print clearly)

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Before applying, you need to know the following:

- ☆ All Council appointed commission, board, and committee members are required bi-annually to take harassment training and two hours of ethics training.
- ☆ You are applying for a public position. As such, the information provided in your application is a public record and cannot be kept confidential.

This application should be returned to the City Council Offices, P.O. Box 190, Huntington Beach, CA 92648 or in person to the 4th Floor of City Hall, 2000 Main Street (at Yorktown).

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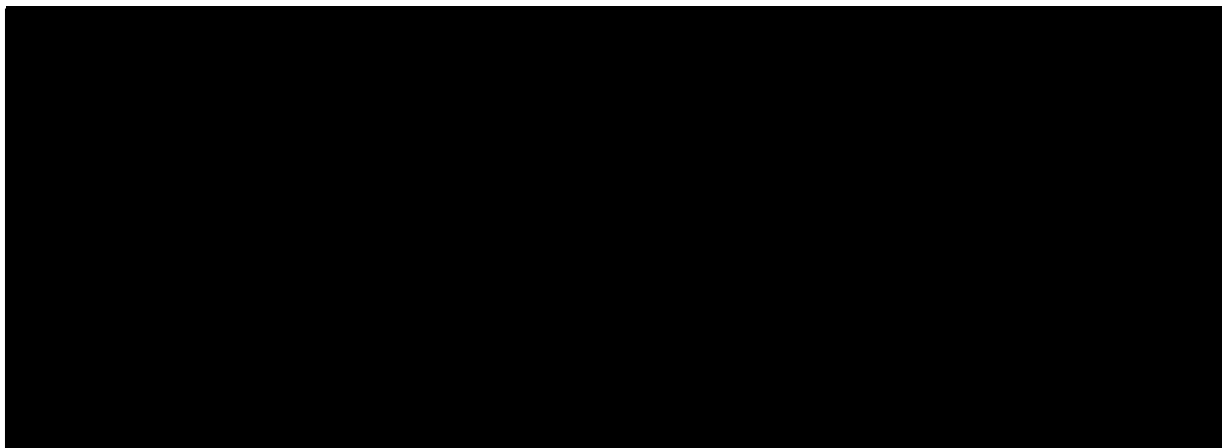
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DATE 10-07-2020

NAME OF BOARD, COMMISSION, COMMITTEE, OR TASK FORCE Harbor Commission

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY 54 yrs. **OCCUPATION** Consulting / Transportation / Software / Retired

UNITED STATES CITIZEN? YES, **CURRENTLY SERVING ON A CITY BOARD OR COMMISSION?** NO
IF SO, WHICH ONE?



EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

I attended the following:

Saint Bonaventure (Springdale Ave)

Mater Dei High School

Loyola Marymount University

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND/OR ASSOCIATIONS

NONE

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

In 1990 I started a trucking and warehousing company in Long Beach CA. I started with NO trucks. 29 years later in 2018 I sold the business. We grew it to just over 300 trucks and \$65m in annual revenue.

Approximately 5 years ago, I started a software company with a partner to provide software to transportation companies. This software includes very specialized Geofencing utilizing GPS for trucks as well as truck dispatch optimization and predictive logic to move trucks electronically without the assistance of dispatchers.

In the past 2 years since the sale of Southern Counties Express, I have been purchasing commercial real estate for personal investments and managing them.

I do business consulting to fill in the gaps in time.

SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE OR SKILLS

Software, Transportation and Logistics

CIVIC AND/OR SERVICE MEMBERSHIPS

CIVIC INTERESTS

HOW WILL YOUR QUALIFICATIONS BEST SERVE THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY?

I have grown up in Huntington Harbor. My parents were original owners in 1964 on Bolero Lane and we lived there all my life. Currently my wife and I live just about 20 doors down from that same house on Sirlus Dr. We have lived at this address for 15 years, and 5 more on Trinidad Island.

I grew up going to Saint Bonaventure on Springdale, then Mater Dei in Santa Ana, and eventually made my way to Loyola Marymount.

When I was younger, I spent a lot of time at the 'old' Huntington Harbor Yacht club learning to sail. I was one of the first Junior members they had. Around 2002 to 2008 I became a Director on the board at the yacht club.


My wife and I are active in the Huntington Harbor Philharmonic.

In 2009 I was Grand Marshal of the boat parade, and again in 2012 I helped organize and run the parade with 3 other past GM's.

I am a qualified yachtsman with being on the water since I was 2 years old living on the water in the harbor. Through the years we have owned many boats ranging in size from small sailboats like Sabots and Hobie Cats to power boats ranging from 18' to 82'. We have owned 3 boats on the East Coast, and have navigated our boats to Cuba, Bermuda for the America's Cup, and from Florida up the East Coast as far as Bar Harbor, Maine. We have spent several seasons in the Bahamas. While our boats have been home, we enjoy Catalina and have taken the boat down the Cabo San Lucas for several winters.

WHY DO YOU WISH TO SERVE ON A VOLUNTEER CITIZEN'S BODY?

I want to serve on the Harbor Commission as I have made the harbor my home for all my life, and I am passionate about giving back to my community. I feel that my life experiences living in the community as well as running several successful businesses will bring great insight into my involvement on the Commission.

 10/6/20

It is the policy of the City Council to make appointments to the citizen commissions, boards, and committees, based on the needs of the city, as well as the interests and qualifications of each applicant. Selection will be made without discrimination based on the race, creed, gender, or sexual orientation of the applicant.

Additional information concerning a particular commission, board, committee, or task force or the application process is available through the staff support department identified above. General questions can be directed to Pat Dapkus, City Council Offices, (714) 536-5579.

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