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Office of the Mayor
Gavin Buckley, Mayor
160 Duke of Gloucester Street
Annapolis, MD 21401-2517

January 27, 2020

To: Alderpersons, City of Annapolis

From: Mayor Gavin Buckley

Re: Port Wardens

I respectfully submit for your approval the appointment of Mr. Robert Shapiro to the Board of Port Wardens. Mr. Shapiro is a resident of Ward 2 and this appointment fills a vacancy on the Commission. His resume is attached.

Robert Shapiro
311 Tucker Street
Annapolis, MD 21401
410-320-3207

Thank You.

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Reviewed by: <u>Environmental Matters Committee</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Favorable	<input type="checkbox"/> Unfavorable
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Committee Chair	Date



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Boards and Commissions Application

Personal information

Name Robert Shapiro

Address 311 Tucker Street

City Annapolis ST MD Zip 21401

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E-mail rss@totallysmart.com

Statement of interest – Why should you be appointed to this board/commission?

As a former Sailing Director at Annapolis Yacht Club, a waterfront homeowner on Weems Creek, and a life-long boater (sail and power) I have a firm understanding of waterway use and how important its management is to our city. This combination of experience and skills will make me strong addition to the Board of Port Wardens.

I have lived in Annapolis since 1991. After building a successful small IT company, a home in West Annapolis, and getting two kids (almost) through high school, I feel like it's time to get more involved with the community

Are you a resident of the City of Annapolis? Yes No

Are you an employee of the City of Annapolis? Yes No

If yes, please state your job title, department & duties.

Do you do business with the City of Annapolis? Yes No

If yes, please detail.

Are you currently serving on any city boards or commissions? Yes No

If yes, please list board(s).

Work experience (titles and duties)

Smart Computing Solutions, President 1998-Present. Smart is an IT company located in West Annapolis serving small to mid-size companies from Nantucket down to Florida. The majority of our clients are in the Annapolis, Baltimore, DC and Northern VA areas.

Annapolis Yacht Club, Sailing Director, 1993-1998. Developed year-round sailing program for club with assistance of AYC leadership. Program started with 60 children sailors, 13 sailboats, and 3 coach boats. When I left to start my IT company in 1998, the program had grown to serve 350 children sailors (including AYC members and non-members), have 44 Sailboats, and 10 coach boats.

Educational background (certificates, diplomas, degrees, seminars, etc)

University of Florida, Bachelor of Science, Natural Resource Management

Multiple Microsoft, VMWare, Dell, SonicWALL, Exacq Certifications

US Coast Guard 50 Ton Masters Captain's License

US Sailing Instructor Trainer

Other experience (volunteer experience, memberships etc)

Annapolis Yacht Club, Member, 1992 to Present. Currently serve as Fleet Captain and Board Member. Have also served as Junior Fleet Chairman; IT Committee Member, and served on Race Committee, Environmental Committee, History Committee.

New York Yacht Club, Member, 2018 to Present.

Anne Arundel Medical Center, Building Traditions Society, Board Member, 2015-2017

Marine Trades Association of Maryland, Member, 2013 to Present.

National Marine Electronics Association, Member 2007 to Present.

References

Name Frederick Paone Phone 410-223-8769
Address 47 Williams Dr, Annapolis, MD 21401
Name Ronald Jarashow Phone 410-267-6926
Address 294 Locust Ave, Annapolis, MD 21401
Name Robert Clark Phone 410-267-7619
Address 9 South Street, Annapolis, MD 21401

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Signature  Date 9/9/2019

E-mail electronically completed form to boards@annapolis.gov. Paper copies may be faxed to 410-216-8284 or mailed to the Mayor's Office address above, attention Boards and Commissions Coordinator.

