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To: Alderpersons, City of Annapolis

From: Mayor Michael J. Pantelides

Re: Maritime Advisory Board reappointment

Pending your approval, I would like to reappoint Mr. Chris Buchheister to the Maritime Advisory Board. Mr. Buchheister has served on this board since 2010.

Christopher F. Buchheister 5 Wagner St. Annapolis, MD 21401 Chris@walczakyacht.com 443-926-1278

Mr. Buchheister's term will expire on September 30, 2017. A copy of his resume is attached.

Michael Pantell

Thank You.

MJP/hrr

Reviewed by: _Economic Matters Committee		
Favorable Unfavorable		
Committee Chair	Date	

Christopher F. Buchheister 5 Wagner St.
Annapolis, MD 21401
Chris@walczakyacht.com
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Current Position: Yacht Broker, Walczak Yacht Brokerage Service formerly Northrop and Johnson, Annapolis- since April 2006.

Represents Buyers and Sellers in yacht brokerage both Power and Sail. Lead Office in Sales- June 2009, February and May 2010.

Experience: Naval Flight Officer with 4700 flight hours. Served in a variety of challenging assignments. Polar Navigator on LC-130 Aircraft deployed to Antarctica. . Mission Commander, Airborne Communications Officer E-6A TACAMO. In addition to Operational Flying, served as Navigation Officer, Legal Officer, Avionics Division Officer, Assistant Training Officer, Assistant Administrative Officer, Tactics Officer.

Interagency Liaison for Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA). Coordinating Open Skies Treaty flight operations- Treaty Missions, Training among 34 Nations. Conducted national tasking in over flight operations. Coordinated aircraft leasing with Romania, Bulgaria, and Ukraine.

Task Force DTRA- Liaison for Iraq Survey Group May- July 2004 for Chemical and Nuclear facilities Summara and Al Tuwaitha.

Assigned as Company Officer, United States Naval Academy1994-1997. Responsible for the development of 120 Midshipmen. Additional duties include Strategy and Tactics Instructor, Naval Leadership Instructor, Aviation Capstone Course.

Varsity Offshore Sailing Team Officer Representative. Officer In Charge Navy 44' Sloop. Officer in Tactical Command of Squadron of five Offshore Sailing Vessels.

Education: BA History, Washington College, Chestertown, MD 1985.

Professional Affiliations: Yacht Brokers Association of America. Florida Yacht Broker's Association. Licensed in Florida. Alderman Richard Israel's designated representative on Annapolis' Maritime Advisory Board.