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Mr. Keith Giagnorio
President-Elect
Village of Lombard.
255 E. Wilson Avenue
Lombard, IL 60148

Dear Keith,

It is great interest that I read a recent article in the Lombard Spectator outlining the vacant District 2 Seat on the Board of Trustees. As a long-time public servant I feel confident that I can fulfill the obligations of the position as well as incur a rather speedy learning curve. My wife and I have lived in the Village and District 2 for the past fifteen years and find it a wonderful place to raise and educate our two school-aged children.

I am currently retired and worked as the Executive Director of the Lombard Park District from 1997 to 2007. Previously I spent 28 years serving the communities of Franklin Park, Skokie, and Park Ridge within park district operations. My educational background includes both Bachelors and Masters Degrees in Education with an emphasis in park and community recreation management. I also spent two years as a Graduate Teaching Assistant at Southern Illinois University in Carbondale.

In addition, I have been involved with the Rotary Club of Lombard since 1997 including various offices within the board of directors and have participated in numerous committees and service projects. In the last few years I have assumed volunteer and fund-raising responsibilities with the Glenbard East Athletic Boosters Association.

This particular vacancy is of particular interest as I feel that I can be a team player helping to enhance the quality of life in Lombard. Please feel free to contact me if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,



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PERSONAL DATA

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CAREER OBJECTIVE

I am looking to share a multitude of leisure industry and local government experiences in exchange for a feeling of well being and reasonable compensation.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Master of Science in Education, Community Recreation Management, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale; May 1980

Bachelor of Science in Education, Major: Community Recreation, Minor: Psychology
Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, May 1975

East Leyden High School, Franklin Park, IL 1967-1971

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Executive Director, Lombard Park District, Lombard, IL 1997-2007
Superintendent of Recreation, Park Ridge Recreation and Park District, IL 1982-1997
Assistant Director, Skokie Park District, Skokie, IL 1980-1982
Graduate Teaching Assistant, College of Education, SIU 1978-1980
Facilities Supervisor, Park District of Franklin Park, IL 1975-1978

GROUP AFFILIATIONS

National Recreation and Park Association, Illinois Park and Recreation Association,
Illinois Community Education Association, Rotary Club of Lombard, United States Golf Association

EDUCATIONAL PRESENTATIONS

"Childhood Obesity: An American Epidemic" – IAPD Website/Workshops 2007
"Citizen Advocacy: Get Involved" – NRPA Congress 2006
"Combined Maintenance Facility" - Great Lakes Park Institute 2005
"Why Do I Have To Reward You For Coming to Work?" IAPD/IPRA Conference 2005
"Beyond The Classroom" - NRPA Congress 1999
"Looking to Hire a Director – IAPD/IPRA Conference 1999

SPECIAL AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Michael A. Fugiel Day in Lombard, May 31, 2007
Chairman's Award- Illinois Park and Recreation Association, 2004
SIU Outstanding Recreation Alumnus Award, 2003
Super Star Supporter – Northeast DuPage Special Recreation Association, 2002
Outstanding Young Men of America, 1983
The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, 1979
Kappa Delta Pi Honor Society in Education, 1975

REFERENCES – Available Upon Request