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Mr. Nick Sauer

March 13, 2013

Lake County Board

18 N. County St., Waukegan, IL 60085

Dear Mr. Sauer,

I am writing today to express my interest in continuing my appointment as Trustee of the Wauconda Fire Protection District.

I have served in that unit of local government since July 2012, when Mr. Stevenson Mountsier and Mrs. Bonnie Thomson-Carter nominated me before the Lake County Board to complete the term of Mrs. Gayle Niggemann who passed away earlier in the year.

Since I started my tenure I have participated in all the scheduled and special meetings of the District Board, I obtained 11 hours of continuing education credits in Fire District Trustee preparation through the Northern Illinois Association of Fire District Trustees, as well as other education programs relevant to this position.

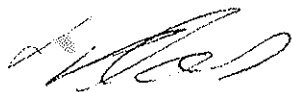
The Wauconda Fire Protection District is currently facing new and interesting challenges. We are in the midst of negotiating our first Union Contract with our full-time firefighters and paramedics. We have recently completed our first Union Contract with our Fire Officers, and we are preparing our annual budget with the fiscal realities that current times afford.

I am interested in this area of community service also because it is a non-partisan non-political effort. I view the Trustee job as one that is committed to providing our families with the best fire and emergency protection, within a lean and flexible taxpayer supported financing.

I am enclosing a curriculum vitae that reflects my 34 years of service to the people of Wauconda and Lake County and my previous experience in non-profit governance.

I am available anytime for a personal interview. I may be reached by phone at 847-526-6581 (home), 847-370-6581 (mobile) or at luisplanasmd@gmail.com

Sincerely,



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CC Mrs. Bonnie Thomson-Carter

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Curriculum Vitae

Personal information

Born in Barcelona, Spain January 23, 1950

Resident of Wauconda Fire District 1978 to present

Married to Rose Marie Planas

2 Children

Occupation Retired Physician and Volunteer.

Education

Medical degree MD, University of Barcelona , Spain

Internal Medicine specialist. Mount Sinai Medical Center, Chicago, IL

Professional

Practicing physician in Wauconda 1978 to 2012

Medical Director Lake County Nursing Home Winchester House 1979 to 2009

Active Medical Staff Member at Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital, Barrington IL 1980 to 2012

Active Medical Staff Member at Condell Medical Center, Libertyville IL 1978 to 2012

Certified Medical Director of Long Term Care Facilities 1990 to present.

Relevant Leadership and Governance Experience.

Chairman, Governing Council ,Good Shepherd Hospital, Barrington IL. 2007 to 2010

In this role I Chaired the general Council meetings as well as the interim medical staff credentials committees. Planned meeting agendas, served a final authority in matters of Medical Staff credentialing

and disciplining. Performed annual Hospital President evaluations. Represented Good Shepherd Hospital and its community before the Chief Executive of Advocate Healthcare Corporation.

Member and Community Representative for the northern service area, Governing Council of Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital, Barrington, IL 2000 to 2007.

In this capacity I represented the communities of Wauconda, Island Lake, Tower Lakes and Volo and their adjoining areas. Participated, among others, in the development of the Wauconda Schools Childhood Obesity initiative, Seat belt campaign and Suicide prevention program, all directed to our at-risk school age population.

President, Medical Staff of Good Shepherd Hospital, Barrington, IL. 1988 to 1989.

In that capacity I directed Medical Staff functions, presided executive committee meetings, oversaw medical staff credentialing, discipline and recruitment. Advised the Chief executive on medical staff issues.

Medical Director, Lake County Nursing Home Winchester House 1979 to 2009

For thirty years I received annual appointments to this position by the Lake County Board. I initiated medical staff credentialing procedures, was responsible for physician and allied health professional performance and discipline, provided monthly reports to Administration. Participated in State and Federal surveys of the Facility, and provided primary care medical services to numerous residents of the facility.

Village Health Officer, Village of Wauconda, IL 1979 to 2012

In this volunteer position I advised the Mayor and Village Board on matters of Public Health, assisted in Grant applications and provided reviews of village employees injury and disability matters.

Physician to the Wauconda Fire Department 1978 to 2012

This volunteer position involved assisting the Department with reviews of periodic physical exams for all firefighters, evaluation of employees capability to return to their positions after illness or injury, Performed annual immunization clinics, and provided ad hoc reports to the Fire Chief.

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Personal references

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