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City of Lincoln, Nebraska  
Attn: Mayor Chris Beutler  
Attn: Councilman Carl Eskridge  
555 So. 10<sup>th</sup> St.  
Lincoln, NE 68508

Dear Messer. Beutler and Eskridge,

Our society has come to expect honesty, integrity, and transparency in all areas of government. This is more evident now with the ease of access and reference materials available via the Internet. At the same time, discretion and tactfulness must be judiciously applied during investigations.

My extensive resume demonstrates I have the needed experience and skills for the position of At-Large Member of the City of Lincoln Council. I have over 33 years of law enforcement experience in the federal and state venues. These duties offered me the opportunity to work extensively with not only corporate officers, attorneys, and accountants, but also law enforcement officers from federal, state, and municipal law enforcement agencies, including the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Secret Service, Nebraska State Patrol, and Lincoln Police Department. I previously held a U.S. Government Top Secret Security Clearance. This demonstrates my ability to maintain the confidentiality of the work I perform.

Prior to my current position, I was the Antiterrorism Program Manager – Contractor for the Nebraska Army National Guard and ensured the antiterrorism program needs were met.

For over four years, I was the Director of Security at Midland Lutheran College, Fremont, Nebraska. My duties included leading, managing and directing security personnel in the protection of students, faculty, visitors, and facilities. Additionally, I developed security plans, policies, procedures, and instructions.

Once you have had an opportunity to review my enclosed resume, you will conclude I have the experience and expertise to complement the City Council At-Large Member.

I look forward to meeting with you.

Sincerely,

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**OBJECTIVE:** Selection for City of Lincoln, Nebraska, City Council Member At-Large

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

Leadership Responsibilities:

November 2010 to present. Otoe County Enumerator, National Association of State Departments of Agriculture. In this position, I contact agribusiness personnel, conduct studies, and surveys related to crop and livestock production.

2009 to present. Member City of Lincoln Mayor's Water Conservation Task Force.

2008 to present. Federal Law Enforcement Officers Association Chapter 65 Treasurer.

2006 – 2010 I was small business owner and entrepreneur. I have the initiative and drive to succeed. Additionally, I made all the decisions to ensure my business. As a small business owner, I have gained new and valuable insight into business world.

Prior to my business, I was a Senior Special Agent. My supervisors designated me to assume their managerial duties whenever they were temporarily assigned to another office. While conducting this assignment I successfully managed my fellow special agents with the necessary skills to effect the continuous and smooth operation of the office.

As an On-The-Job Instructor for 13 years, I was responsible for the training and career development of new special agents. This entailed the supervision of the work performed to ensure the factual and legal requirements had been met.

I served as the president and vice president of the church council of Southwood Lutheran Church. I was able to further my leadership and interpersonal skills through tactful persuasion and compromise. As president I coordinated the implementation of the strategic planning process at the church. During my tenure at Southwood Lutheran Church, the budget increased from \$250,000 to \$600,000. As the principal officer, I was responsible to the congregation and ensured the funds were appropriately spent.

Additionally, I served as president and vice president of the church council at Messiah Lutheran Church in Grand Island, Nebraska. As the president and vice president of both Messiah Lutheran Church in Grand Island, Nebraska and Southwood Lutheran Church in Lincoln, Nebraska, I was extensively involved in preparing and monitoring the annual operating budgets for each church.

Before my family and I moved to Grand Island, Nebraska, I served on the Salem Lutheran Church Council in Fremont, Nebraska.

During the 1991 and 1990 school years I served as co-president and co-vice president of the A.B. Newell Elementary School Parent Teacher Association. During my tenure there I coordinated the "Safe Walk to School Program".

As the Director of Security at Midland Lutheran College in Fremont, Nebraska for over four years, I was responsible for the safety and security of over 1,000 students and faculty, visitors, as well as the security of the property. I was responsible for developing, implementing, and reviewing the security and safety policies procedures for the college. Additionally, I trained, supervised, and evaluated 11 security officers, and I administered progressive disciplinary action ranging from documented verbal counseling to termination as needed.

While residing in Fremont, Nebraska, I was actively involved in the Jaycees, and served on the Board of Directors and assisted with various activities.

Knowledge of Planning and Coordination:

As an Enumerator, I plan my work in order to accomplish it in the most expedient manner to accomplish the tasks quickly with the least amount of backtracking.

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From July 2006 to September 2010, I was self-employed as the Antiterrorism/Force Protection Security Plans Program Consultant for the Nebraska Army National Guard. Prior this position I was a Senior Special Agent with Internal Revenue Service, Criminal Investigation for over 23 years. I have worked with the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the United States Attorney's Office, District of Nebraska, Joint Terrorism Task Force for Nebraska.

Prior to the creation of the Department of Homeland Security, the Secret Service and Internal Revenue Service (IRS) were sister agencies in the Department of Treasury. During visits to Nebraska and Iowa by the President, Vice President, their spouses, or visiting heads of state, I was regularly detailed to the Secret Service to assist with their protection. I assisted the Secret Service with the planning and implementation of the security for these details. In September 2000, I was detailed to the Secret Service to protect the President of Turkey and his wife during the Millennium Meeting of the United Nations in New York, New York. During this detail, I was assigned to the crisis intervention team.

I served on the Safety and Security Committee at Southwood Lutheran Church. After an assessment of the facilities, the committee drafted policies and procedures, which would ensure the safety of the parishioners' children on and off the premises of the church. Additionally, the committee prepared action plans for various emergencies (i.e. medical emergencies, fire, or tornado). The committee also drafted the procedures for background checks and screening of all paid and volunteer personnel who are associated with the children of Southwood Lutheran Church.

While serving as the Congregational President and Vice President of Southwood Lutheran Church, I was responsible for reviewing and updating the security policies of the church. Additionally, I was instrumental in the assessment and installation of a security system for the church.

Ability to Communicate Orally:

As an enumerator, special agent and a police officer, I have interviewed hundreds of people from every social and economic level. These have included attorneys, accountants, business owners, bank officers, professional workers, skilled workers, and common laborers. These interviews required me to elicit the necessary information and testimony needed during each investigation. I approached each party in a courteous and professional manner, which was conducive to meaningful dialog. I have skillfully elicited confessions from suspects. With my varied experience, I have demonstrated that I can effectively communicate with people from all occupations.

Additionally, I have taught several Financial Investigative Techniques Courses to other law enforcement officers.

Ability to Communicate in Writing:

I prepared prosecution reports and memorandums which are written in a clearly, concisely and the facts are to the point. Each report communicated to the reader the allegations, proof of the allegations, and recommendation of the appropriate charges. I wrote each of my reports with the reader in mind and as if; they did not know the facts and circumstances. These reports addressed the offense and laid out the evidence in support of the allegations.

The people who reviewed my work product have never been asked for clarification of the issues or areas of my Special Agent Report.

Interpersonal Skills:

As an Enumerator, I regularly meet with agribusiness personnel and elicit the necessary information to complete my task. On numerous occasions, I have used my power of persuasion to obtain their cooperation.

As a self-employed person and before that as Senior Special Agent, I acquired the necessary skills to coordinate and direct not only other Internal Revenue Service agents, but also law enforcement officers from other federal, state, and local agencies during complex financial investigations.

As a Senior Special Agent, I was frequently requested to assume management duties when the Supervisory Special Agent for our working group was absent. Occasionally, this included counseling agents. One instance involved an agent who was not familiar with the Federal money laundering statutes; therefore, I communicated to the agent the elements of the money laundering statutes and explained how they applied to the assigned case. The agent successfully completed the investigation, which resulted in a successful prosecution. Another instance

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required the tactful motivation of an agent, who would rather have devote time to investigations the agent had specific interest in, rather than program cases those of little interest.

I have extensive experience working and mentoring youth. I have been a Big Brother, Fourth Grade Sunday school teacher and Little League Baseball coach for several years. For the past six years, I have been a Nebraska School Activities Association State Track Meet Official.

While residing in Grand Island, I was actively involved with the A.B. Newell Elementary School Parent Teacher Association. In addition to being co-president, I served as co-vice president and I served on several committees and volunteered for various activities of the A.B. Newell Elementary School Parent Teacher Association. I initiated a Safe Walk to School Program during my tenure as co-President.

**EDUCATION:**

2006 - Antiterrorism Program Manager Course.  
1991 - Certified On the Job Instructor Internal Revenue Service.  
1986 - Certified Instructor Internal Revenue Service.  
1986 - Certified Firearms Instructor from the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, Glynco, Georgia.  
1983 - Federal law enforcement certification from the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, Glynco, Georgia.  
1982 - Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration, Midland Lutheran College.  
1974 - State law enforcement certification from the Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center, Grand Island, Nebraska.

**EMPLOYMENT:**

November 2010 to present. Otoe County Enumerator, responsible for contacting agribusiness personnel.

July 2006 to September 2010 self-employed: Antiterrorism Force Protection Security Plans Program Consultant Nebraska Army National Guard responsible for the vulnerability and terrorism assessment of the Nebraska National Guard.

1983-2006. Senior Special Agent, United States Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, Criminal Investigation (IRS-CI). In addition to the investigation of Federal tax crimes, the IRS also conducts related money and financial crimes. As a Special Agent, I am held in high regard by other Federal agencies for my law enforcement and criminal investigative prowess. Many times the United States Attorney specifically requested that I work in concert with such agencies as the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Drug Enforcement Agency, Alcohol Tobacco and Firearms, and others.

1985-1987. United States Air Force Reserve, Security Police. I was a Security Police Specialist assigned to the 6570th Security Police Squadron, Brooks AFB, Texas, detailed to the 55th Security Police Squadron, Offutt AFB, Nebraska. While at both installations, I assisted with the planning and execution of scenarios, which analyzed the readiness of the Security Police at each installation. These included scenario-designed exercises, which tested the response to an infiltrator of the Global Weather Center and Strategic Air Command.

1973-1983. Police Officer, City of Fremont, Nebraska. I conducted investigations of city and state statutes; apprehended and arrested violators of city and state statutes. Long before the term Resource Officer was used I coordinated the monitoring of the junior high lunchroom with other off duty police officers.

1979-1983. Director of Security, Midland Lutheran College, Fremont, Nebraska. As Director of Security, I was responsible for the safety of the campus and the students. I reviewed, evaluated and hired successful applicants. After the personnel were hired, I supervised and trained them. The security force numbered 11 security officers. Additionally, I regularly evaluated each officer's performance to ensure the required standards were maintained. My duties required that I address discipline infractions. Depending on the infraction, either verbal admonishment or written reprimand was issued, and when merited termination was used.

1978-1982. Carlstrom Brothers Construction, Fremont, Nebraska. Nightly, I visited the local construction sites. My duties included the physical security of the equipment, ensuring the jobsites were secure, and proper safety barricades were strategically located and properly lit.

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1971-1977. United State Army Reserve. I successfully completed the Sixth Army Non-Commissioned Officer's Academy, and I was a Squad Leader and supervised the other mechanics in the motor pool.

1973-1973. Paden Construction, Fremont, Nebraska. I was assigned to the bridge building crew. I left this position to pursue a full-time employment and continue my college education.

1968-1972. Iowa Beef Processors (IBP), West Point, Nebraska. After graduation from high school, I worked for IBP, now known as Tyson Foods, during summer breaks and frequently on weekends while attending Wayne State College.

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP:**

American Legion.  
Association of Certified Fraud Examiners.  
Association of Former Special Agents of the Internal Revenue Service  
Federal Law Enforcement Officers Association.  
Police Officers Association of Nebraska.  
Lifetime Member of the Parent Teachers Association.

**CIVIC AWARD:**

1991 A.B. Newell Elementary School Elementary PTA Award.

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE DEPARTMENTS OF AGRICULTURE:**

05/2012        Incentive Award  
05/2011        Incentive Award

**NEBRASKA MILITARY DEPARTMENT AWARDS:**

01/2008        Commendation Medal

**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY AWARDS:**

12/2006        Albert Gallatin Award  
09/2005        Performance Award  
09/2004        Manager's Award  
03/2004        Performance Award  
01/2004        Manager's Award  
08/2003        Manager's Award  
04/2002        Superior Performance Award  
03/2002        Performance Award  
08/1999        Manager's Award  
08/1998        Special Act Award  
08/1998        Manager's Award  
11/1992        Special Act Award  
11/1990        Vision Award  
11/1990        Sustained Superior Performance Award  
12/1989        District Director's Quality Award  
11/1989        Regional Commissioner's Award