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BIO (500 words or less)

1. Background:

I have been married for 23 years with a young son and been a member of the Choctaw Lake community for almost 17 years. Worked in multiple industries and devoted the past 30 years of my life to State Civil Service as a developer and manager of software for use by Job and Family Services and the general public. Solid experience with mainframe, distributed and mobile development, integration and deployment. During the course of my civil service, I have received multiple recognition awards from various Governors and Agency Directors. Professionally known for my attention to detail and 'following the rules' to ensure compliance, security and reliability in products and systems. The most meaningful accolades I have received from my mentors and supervisors have been their high regard for my honesty and integrity.

2. Memberships & Affiliations:

Previous affiliations with Commercial entities, Federal and State governing agencies such as: Health and Human Services, The Americans with Disabilities Act, World Wide Web Consortium, a published contributing member of Governing magazine, Microsoft, Google and Apple corporations. Professional Certified Scrum Master. I am a long-time active member of my church and serve as head usher.

3. Involvement in Choctaw Lake activities, committees, clubs, etc.:

Previously served on the CLPOA BoT, first as a replacement member, then as a full term elected member.

4. Reason for desiring board position; any challenges facing the association, and how you would like to see them dealt with.:

It is my desire to continue serving the members of the community. I had previously not sought a BoT position due to my strong desire to actively raise my son with the time available outside the pressing demands of my employment. Retirement now offers me the opportunity to adequately address the continuing needs and support of my family and community.

I am a huge fan of the history and establishment of the Choctaw Lake community. The CLPOA Constitution is a work of art! The establishment of Choctaw Utilities as part of the community while being a separate entity remains a stroke of genius! Choctaw Lake stands out as a premiere and diverse Ohio development, primarily because of property owner involvement and dedication to common goals.

I will earnestly serve the needs of the community with a professional focus on matters that have short and long-term ramifications for all Choctaw Lake residents, in a reasoned and accommodating manner.