

Colin O'Brien, Owner, O'Brien Professional Painting

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EDUCATION

1984-1988 Rufus King High School- Milwaukee
1991-1992 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

COMPUTER QUALIFICATIONS

Microsoft Word, Excel, Windows, QuickBooks and Peachtree Accounting

EMPLOYMENT

- 2002-Present O'Brien Professional Painting
Owner of paint contracting business in Riverworks BID area. Experienced in all phases of interior and exterior painting, lift work, lead abatement, new construction, historical restoration, staining, etc. Experienced as on-site crew supervisor, hiring, training, safety, job expedition, etc. Completed WI lead supervisor course. All aspects of running a small (5- 12 employees) company, finances, record keeping, customer service, employee relations, employee scheduling, payroll.
- 2003-2004 Shoreline/Apartments Unlimited
Apartment Manager, tenant and contractor relations, maintenance, leasing etc.
110 unit building. Contact: Pat O'Grady/ John Crichton
- 1998-2001 Crain Painting Inc. Glendale, WI
Crew supervisor, new construction, large East Side condominium complexes, interior, exterior, etc. Contact: Curt Crain
- 1994-1998 Lake to Lake Contracting
Worked on crew doing home improvement work on Milwaukee's East Side and Riverwest neighborhoods. Contact: Bill Sorenson
- 1990-1993 ESHAC(East Side Housing Action Coalition) Worked for community organization. Carpentry Crew/ Painter/ Roofer. General rehabilitation of Harambee and Riverwest properties. Supervision of Community Service Corps trainees. Contact: Ald. Mike D'Amato

BUSINESS BACKGROUND/ GOALS

I am a City of Milwaukee licensed Home Improvement Contractor, Bonded, Insured. O'Brien Professional Painting is a Registered Lead Safe Company certified by WI Dept of Health and Family Services. I hold a business occupancy license for a contractor shop at 4153 N. Richards St. My business is 60% residential, 20%commercial,20%restoration. I have contracted on City and County public projects, on projects for West End Development Corp., Milwaukee Historic Parade of Homes, homeowners, and local developers. I plan to grow my business at it current location and continue to satisfy our customers.

PERSONAL NOTES

Myself and my employees are pleased to be in a thriving business environment. We have volunteered the last 3 years to donate skills, hours and materials to Rebuilding Greater Milwaukee. I own a shop and a residential duplex on N. Richards St.,and a 4- family in the Harambee neighborhood and have been very pleased to see the progress in this area. I would like to see it continue.