

PROSPECTIVE BID #32 BOARD MEMBERS DATA SHEET

Dear prospective BID #32 board member, please complete form and return immediately. Thank you.

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Current Employer (if not self employed): Lena's Food Market - consultant

Property location: 2322 W. Oak St.

Business Name: J K Harris and Co.

Service or product business provides: Consulting, Event planning, Retail marketing

How long have you owned your property?

How long have you operated your business at this location?

Other local affiliations?

Why do you want to serve on BID Board? Or additional comments

I recently ended a long tenure with the Fondy Food Center, a new non-profit that spun from The Hunger Task Force. Our project consisted of an intended 3-phase development (phase 1 complete). Serving in that capacity I have worked with local city depts. neighborhood groups, business owners, and local municipalities. The Community surrounding this BID has demonstrated strength and will embrace new opportunities.

I have served on and chaired various committees relating to The Fondy / North corridor. In 2001 I recognized the need for nutrition education and partnered with local agencies to promote healthy eating habits in our neighborhood through cooking demonstrations and promoting health awareness through varied delivery systems using the New Fondy Farmers market as an outlet in the community.

As a business owner in Milwaukee I work very close with Lena's Food market. Lena's has triumphed in the community for providing jobs and resources for many years.

Having also lived in the area as a child I have a personal interest in seeing the avenue return to a vibrant commercial district.

Any questions, contact Abra Fortson at 688-3539