### Resume

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

### 1999 — Present City of Milwaukee, Commissioner of Assessments

This is a cabinet level position in the City of Milwaukee that reports directly to the Mayor and Common Council. This position is responsible for managing the City's assessment program including training of professional personnel, advising the Mayor and Common Council on legislative matters, and is integral in the City's strategic planning. This position is directly responsible for the management of 50 plus employees.

## 1994—1999 City and County of Kenosha

This was an administrative position reporting directly to the Mayor and Common Council. Responsibilities included managing a professional and technical staff charged with the delivering fair, uniform, and equitable assessments based on market value. Accomplishments included the design and implementation of a mass appraisal, assessment administration system and reorganization of city's appraisal staff. In addition I was the management representative to the contract negotiating team for the 1999 AFSME contract.

#### 1991—1994 MPR Associates

Owner and operator of a consulting service enterprise specializing in appraisals, assessment services, course development and teaching. Worked with banks, credit unions, municipalities and real estate brokers providing valuation services for residential, commercial and industrial properties. Taught and developed semester long appraisal and assessment courses at Waukesha County Technical College.

### 1981—1991 City of Racine

**City Assessor:** This was an administrative position reporting directly to the Mayor and Common Council. Responsibilities included managing a professional and technical staff charged with the delivering fair, uniform, and equitable assessments based on market value. Accomplishments included computerizing all appraisal and assessment records establishing an annual revaluation program.

**Property Appraiser:** Duties included appraising residential and commercial property for the City's Assessment program.

Appraised industrial facilities in the Green Bay and Milwaukee District Offices. Assignments included applying and reconciling all three approaches to value to determine market value. Appraised and testified on appealed properties in front of the State Board of Assessors.

#### **EDUCATION**

1996—1999	University of Wisconsin, Parkside Campus, Kenosha, Wisconsin Studied in their MBA program
1971—1976	University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin Bachelors of Science degree in Economics, May —1976
1967—1971	Edgewood High School, Madison, Wisconsin

**1978—Present** Numerous management and appraisal courses through the University of Wisconsin, the International Association of Assessing Officers, the Appraisal Institute, and the Wisconsin Department of Revenue.

#### PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION APPOINTMENTS AND AWARDS

## **Wisconsin Real Estate Appraisers Board**

Vice-Chair, 1990 -1992 Chair, 1992 -1993 Member, 1990 - 2001 Education Advisory Committee, Chair 2002 - Present

# Wisconsin Association of Assessing Officers (550 members)

Most Valuable Member, 1992

President, 1990

Member of the Executive Board, 1985 - 1990

Past Chair of the Program Committee

Past Chair of the Awards Committee

Past Member of Legislative Committee, Education Committee, and Several ad-hoc Committees

Recipient of the Distinguished Assessment Jurisdication Awards 1995, 2001

Recipient of the Research and Development Award, 1997

Member of the Strategic Planning Committee 1995 - Present

Chair of 2006 International Conference Committee

Wisconsin Representative to International Association of Assessing Officers 2001 – Present

## **League of Wisconsin Municipalities**

Chairman 1991 Trustee, 1986 – 1990, 1996 - Present

## International Association of Assessing Officers (8,500 members)

Midwest Regional Representative, 2002 – Present Member of the Membership Services Committee, 2003 - Present Chair Representative Subcommittee, 2002 – 2003 Member, 1985 – Present

### City of Milwaukee

City of Milwaukee Innovation Award, 1999

#### TEACHING AND PRESENTATION EXPERIENCE

I have instructed, delivered presentations, or given speeches to the following groups on property appraisal and assessment administration.

The Wisconsin Association of CPA's

The Wisconsin Department of Revenue

The Wisconsin Association of Assessing Officers

The University of Wisconsin Law School

The League of Wisconsin Municipalities

City of Milwaukee Employee Relations

City of Milwaukee Assessor's Office

Professional Education Systems, Inc.

The International Association of Assessing Officers

The Wisconsin Vocational School System

Recent programs developed, presented and/or taught include:

Basic Statistics, October 2003

Wisconsin Property Tax Seminar, November 2002

Street Smart, October 2002

Valuation Case Law, September 2001

Property Tax Exemptions, November 2001

Ethics and USPAP, September 2000

Appraising Senior Housing, May 1999

USPAP and the Wisconsin Assessor, May 1999 and September 1998

#### **CERTIFICATIONS AND DESIGNATIONS**

Currently Hold—Certified Wisconsin Assessor—Levels 2 and 3.

Currently Hold—Certified Wisconsin Appraiser—General Level # 2.

Currently Hold—Certified USPAP Instructor.