# RONALD W ROBERTS

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# **Objective**

Application for a position with the City of Milwaukee Standards and Appeals Commission (SAC)

## **Education**

UW Madison School of Engineering – 64 credits in pursuit of Electrical Engineering Degree Milwaukee School of Engineering – 30 credits in pursuit of Architectural Engineering Degree University of Wisconsin School of Engineering and Professional Development – 15 credits, Engineering Associate, continuing education

Various Courses - related to code updates, Fire Code, Building Code and Zoning Code certifications.

#### COMMUNICATION

• Demonstrated competency as department spokesperson and representative in various media presentations and public speaking engagements.

#### **LEADERSHIP**

Currently serving as Board member for New Covenant Housing Corporation where IO have been instrumental
in planning and facilitating development of 5 multi-million-dollar housing developments on Milwaukee's near
north side. These developments continue to be a cornerstone in Milwaukee's Near North Avenue, "53210"
Business Improvement District (BID 25).

# Experience

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS | NEW COVENANT HOUSING CORPORATION | 1995 - PRESENT

. Served as consultant, developer and owner/operator of over 125 residential housing and commercial Storefronts in the North avenue area. Work with Banks, City and State agencies, property managers, Contractors and a variety of community programs, community leaders, and Elected Officials.

## CODE ENFORCEMENT MANAGER | CITY OF MILWAUKEE | 2006 - 2017

 Managed our Commercial Division, Condemnation Division, Zoning Enforcement, & Historic Code Enforcement

## CODE ENFORCEMENT SUPERVISOR | CITY OF MILWAUKEE | 1999 - 2006

 Supervised Zoning Enforcement, Special Enforcement, Condemnation, and Commercial Fire Code Enforcement

#### CODE ENFORCEMENT INSPECTOR | CITY OF MILWAUKEE | 1984 - 1999

. Served as a district fire inspector, code enforcement inspector, special enforcement inspector and Zoning enforcement inspector where I demonstrated keen insight and knowledge of the building code and effective enforcement and communication skills.

#### **Summary**

Highly skilled and accomplished written and oratory skills. Served as a Department Manager for over 15 years. Conversant with Building Code, Building Development and Community Development. Most noted for Community involvement and development within the city's Park West Neighborhood, advancing construction initiatives and sparking development in neighborhoods not traditionally targeted for new construction. Given my impressive service and attendance record with the city, I believe I am highly qualified and would be a beneficial addition for this commission assignment.

#### **Registration and Professional Organizations**

Commercial Building Inspector Certification (70935)
International Code Council (ICC)
Wisconsin State Fire Inspectors Association
Building Inspectors Association of SW Wisconsin
Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America – Mentor since 2004

Uniform Dwelling Code (UDC) Certification National Fire Prevention Association (NFPA) Building Inspectors Association of SE Wisconsin Federation of Environmental Technologists (FET)

#### **Professional Speaking Engagements**

Wisconsin Fire Inspectors Association – Municipal Remedies for Vacant Buildings
League of Municipalities – Presentation on Demolition methods and practices
Southwestern Building Inspectors Association – Presentation on Demolition Methods and Practices
Federation of Environmental Technologist – Hazardous waste procedures during demolition

#### References

Personal and professional references available upon request