

RESOLUTION
BENTON COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. _____

2015 370

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON

IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING A SLATE OF CITIZEN MEMBERS TO THE BENTON COUNTY LAW AND JUSTICE COUNCIL AS REQUIRED BY BENTON COUNTY RESOLUTION 00-427 G.

WHEREAS, RCW 72.09.300 requires each county in the state to establish a Law and Justice Council for certain purposes enumerated in the statute; and

WHEREAS, Benton County's Law and Justice Council was created by and through Resolution 00-427; and

WHEREAS, subsection g. of Resolution 00-427 requires that the Law and Justice Council have no fewer than three members who are not employed by Benton County or any Benton County municipality ("Citizen Members"); and

WHEREAS; after a nomination process the Law and Justice Council has recommended the appointment of the slate of Benton County citizens attached as Exhibit A pursuant to their qualifications as stated in the supporting documents and the recommendations of various members of the Council who have personal knowledge of the candidates; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the slate of proposed Citizen Members of the Benton County Law and Justice Council be appointed to serve in that capacity pursuant to Resolution 00-427 g. and RCW 72.09.300 for an unlimited term until the first of any such Member's resignation or further action by this Board terminating membership for any reason;

Dated this 19 day of May, 2015.

Chairman of the Board

[Signature]

Chairman Pro-Tem

JAMES BEAVER-ABSENT

Member
Constituting the Board of County
Commissioners, Benton County
Washington

Attest: *[Signature]*
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Clerk of the Board

EXHIBIT A
Slate of Proposed Citizen Members

(In alphabetical order by last name)

1. Fred Brink
2. Jefferson Coulter
3. Kevin Kennedy
4. Dr. Rusty Morris

Kevin Robert Kennedy

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5820 West Park Place

Pasco, WA 99301

I have a well around experience in many different fields. I have served as a high school to university instructor for three years. I have had the honor of serving as a NCAA college recruiter and coach. The have also worked in social service working with developmental disability people have successful and meaningful lives. Also had the honor of serving as an account executive/compliance officer for an Arena Football Team. I am currently working as account executive for The Entertainer News Publication. I am currently looking for positions of teaching, administration and marketing. I know I can be successful in those fields.

EXPERIENCE

Horn Rapids Motorsports Complex

Sponsorship Officer-**4/Apr/2014-Present**

Announcing the races, getting sponsorship and running the compliance office.

5150 to Recovery

President-**12/Oct/2012-Present**

Created and built a Non Profit from ground zero. Duties include: Grant writing, marketing and media relations.

The Entertainer

Account Executive - 13/Nov/2012 - Present

Develop sales leads and close the sale Working knowledge of social media and video experince in adverstising.

Agramacs

Laborer - 01/Jul/2010 - 01/Jan/2012

Pruning and picking. Burning weeds to ensure compliance with USDA rules

TCRS

Support Staff - 01/Sept/2007 - 31/Aug/2009

Residential care for individuals with special needs. Assisted in daily living duties such as; cooking, cleaning, and personal hygiene. Accompanied residents to medical appointments, shopping and social activities in the community. Recorded and reported to case manager and/or supervisor the daily progress of residents

Tri-City Fever Football

Account Executive/Compliance Officer - 01/Feb/2007 - 31/May/2007

As a compliance officer ensured the field players and game day operations were in compliance with Arena 2 Football League rules. Developing business to business sales

Ambitions

Support Staff - 01/May/2006 - 30/Mar/2007

Supported daily needs of developmentally disabled people, including personal hygiene, social interaction, modeled appropriate behavior, finances.

Manchester College, University of Mary, Tiffin University, Bethany College

Assistant Track Coach/Coordinator - 01/Aug/2001 - 31/May/2006

Promoted and recruited athletes for Bethany Track and Cross-Country through scouting activities, phone calls and home visits to students, staff, faculty, business people, and alumni. Participated in public speaking events to promote the team. Helped write game script for all home games and set up field promotions. Implemented quality workouts for mid and long distance runners.

Wenatchee/Richland School Districts

Marketing Teacher - 01/Aug/2000 - 01/Jun/2001

Written lesson plans and implemented instruction to students. Over seen work experience for students and ran the school store lab.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- I have a very well rounded educated person from a B.S. in Marketing Education to an MBA.
- I have served in high profile careers from a NCAA Track Coach to Compliance Officer in the Arena Two Football.
- I have had the honor of serving people with special needs.
- If you are looking for a person who is self-starter and knows how to relate to all walks of life. I am the person for you.
- I have taught diverse populations in the class room in marketing and business

education. I have a passion for teaching at risk youth.

EDUCATION

University of Mary

- Master's in Business Management

University of Idaho

- Bachelor of Science Marketing Education

SKILLS

- Recruiting ability
- Corporate Sponsorship Knowledge
- Self-Starter
- Knowledge of Marketing
- Well Rounded
- Certified Teacher
- Public Speaking
- Knowledge of Rules and Regulations
- Microsoft Office Computers
- Knowledge of Advertising
- Contract Negotiation
- Phone Negotiation

Eric Hsu

From: Kevin Kennedy <kevsterxc4083@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, May 04, 2015 4:06 PM
To: Eric Hsu
Subject: Re: Nomination to Law and Justice Council

I live at 531 west 38th ave
West richland

Sent from my iPhone

On May 4, 2015, at 4:05 PM, Eric Hsu <Eric.Hsu@co.benton.wa.us> wrote:

OK. Great news. You list a Pasco address on your resume, which is why this came up. In that case it looks like everyone is agreed that you should be nominated so I will do that next week.

Thanks

Eric

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From: Kevin Kennedy [<mailto:kevsterxc4083@yahoo.com>]
Sent: Monday, May 04, 2015 3:58 PM
To: Eric Hsu
Subject: Re: Nomination to Law and Justice Council

I live in west richland

Sent from my iPhone

On May 4, 2015, at 3:31 PM, Eric Hsu <Eric.Hsu@co.benton.wa.us> wrote:

Hi Kevin

I've forwarded your information to the Law and Justice Council and while everyone thinks very highly of you and thinks you would be a great addition to the Council, someone aptly pointed out that it appears that you are a resident of Franklin County. Is this correct? If so, unfortunately, I would be unable to nominate you to the Board for appointment since you would necessarily have to be a resident of Benton County to sit on this Council as a citizen representing the citizens of the county.

Please let me know if I am correct in my understanding of your county of residence.

Thanks!

Eric

Eric Hsu

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Dr. Morris, a retired Forensic Pathologist, has consulted with many agencies on forensic matters. Her specialties were domestic violence and child abuse. Her doctoral dissertation concerned the “ Physical Abuse of Women With Disabilities”. After having served five years on the Law & Justice Committee, she would like to continue to be of service on the committee.

Skills

Organization, Communication, and Analysis

Community Service:

Ben Franklin Transit Citizens Advisory Committee – five and half years
Kennewick Senior Council – three years
Law & Justice Committee - five years
Pasco Kiwanis – eleven years

Education:

Undergraduate: Mount Holyoke College in South Hadley Massachusetts, B.S.
Medical School: Columbia University School of Medicine in New York City
Graduate Studies: Colorado Christian University in Lakewood, Colorado, MBA
Post Graduate Studies: Union Institute and University in Cincinnati, Ohio Criminal Justice with an emphasis in Forensic Science, Ph.D.

She has lived in Kennewick for fifteen years. She is married and lives with her husband Buddy who works at the Hanford Site. She is actively involved in her community.

Jefferson Coulter, J.D.

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Legal Experience

Senior Attorney Northwest Justice Project, Pasco, WA 2014 – Present

- **Management**—Manage the delivery of legal services in Asotin, Benton, Columbia, Franklin, Garfield, and Walla Walla counties. Manage Pasco field office and Walla Walla Satellite office. Develop, implement, and monitor office workplans and staff performance plans.
- **Litigation**—Represent clients in civil court proceedings involving housing, domestic relations, education, income security, individual rights, and consumer protection matters. Represent clients in administrative proceedings in denial of benefits, termination of benefits, and barriers to employment matters.

Attorney Allen Brecke Law Offices, Kennewick, WA 2013 - 2014

- **Litigation**—Managed all phases of pre-trial discovery. Supervised attorneys and paralegals. Conducted depositions of defendants and medical experts. Prepared and argued discovery and summary judgment motions. Represented clients in superior and district courts, in mediation and arbitration. Prepared witnesses for trial. Negotiated settlements. Prepared trial materials, trial motions, and jury instructions.

Attorney Coulter Martin Smith PLLC, Seattle, WA 2008 - 2011

- **Litigation**—Represented clients in intellectual property, business and unfair competition matters in State and Federal courts. Track record of finding most cost-effective settlement or litigation strategy for each client. Successfully vacated patent injunctions, dismissed causes of action for trademark infringement, and obtained summary judgments in infringement, business tort, and predatory lending matters.
- **Discovery Management**—Worked with clients, colleagues and outside vendors to manage production, evaluation and use of discovery. Used technological solutions such as Concordance and CaseMap to evaluate discovery strengths, weaknesses, and omissions. Conducted discovery management conferences and discovery motions practice.

Attorney AXIOS Law Group PLLC, Seattle, WA 2004 - 2008

- **Litigation**—Provided representation in Washington and Federal courts. Represented clients in business, unfair competition, and consumer protection matters. Track record of finding most cost-effective settlement or litigation strategy for each client. Successfully argued before the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit in A G Design v. Trainman Lantern Company (Fed. Cir. 2007-1481).
- **Management**—Oversaw budgeting and accounting. Managed team of four associate attorneys, three paralegals, and four general and administrative staff members. Implemented uniform personnel, review, document management and retention policies.

Associate Chaires & Associates, Washington, DC 2001 - 2002

- **Intellectual Property**—Advised clients on mark usage and selection. Prepared and prosecuted trademark and copyright applications and assignments. Responded to USPTO action letters and participated in Trademark Trial and Appeal Board proceedings. Managed post-registration matters.
- **Contracts/Transactional**—Negotiated, structured, drafted and reviewed agreements, letter agreements and memoranda of understanding on behalf of clients in domain name transfers, domain name escrow, trademark co-existence, and copyright and trademark licensing.

FREDERICK T. BRINK

Mr. Brink, a retired Special Agent in Charge of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), currently serves as the manager of the Pacific Northwest Field Office (PNFO), the Department of Energy's counterintelligence office located at the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL).

After graduating from the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland, Mr. Brink began his service to our nation in the United States Navy with a three-year assignment as a shipboard surface warfare officer. After a subsequent three-year tour of duty as a military instructor at the Naval Academy, Mr. Brink resigned from active military duty in 1985 upon receiving his Special Agent appointment to the FBI.

After completing his initial FBI training at Quantico, Virginia, Mr. Brink's early Bureau assignments included Orlando, Florida; Honolulu, Hawaii; and two assignments to New York City, first as a Special Agent and later as an Assistant Special Agent in Charge. In addition, Mr. Brink also served as a Supervisory Special Agent and then as the Chief of the Technical Programs Unit at the FBI's Operational Technology Division, located at Quantico, Virginia. During each of these assignments, Mr. Brink acquired extensive experience in foreign counterintelligence and terrorism investigations, a wide range of criminal and undercover investigations, international operations, physical and electronic surveillance, information technology, and the application of special technologies to law enforcement investigations.

In 2004, FBI Director Robert S. Mueller, III, announced Mr. Brink's appointment to the rank of federal Senior Executive Service. Following this promotion, Mr. Brink then served in three field command assignments - first as the FBI's Legal Attaché to the United States Embassy in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, from 2004 to 2005; next as the Special Agent in Charge of the Special Operations Division in the New York Office from 2005 to 2007; and then as the Special Agent in Charge of the Jackson Division in Jackson, Mississippi, from 2007 until his retirement from the FBI in 2009. During his 24 years of distinguished service with the FBI, Mr. Brink's career was marked by numerous awards and commendations.

Joining PNNL in August 2009 as the manager of the PNFO, Mr. Brink leads the laboratory's counterintelligence office, the purpose of which is to protect PNNL and Department of Energy personnel, information, and assets from all foreign intelligence and international terrorist threats. In addition to the PNNL, the PNFO also provides counterintelligence support and services to all Hanford Site prime contractors and subcontractors, and to the National Energy Technology Laboratory in Albany, Oregon.

Currently residing in West Richland, Mr. Brink and his wife, Monika, are the proud parents of two sons, Frederick and Matthew.

Counsel Commerce One Global Services, Arlington, VA 2000 - 2001

- **Intellectual Property**—Advised on registration of copyrights, trademarks and protection of trade secrets. Educated clients on acquisition, use and protection of intellectual property through counseling, "brown bags" and writing articles for distribution. Managed intellectual property portfolio. Counseled management in areas of mark usage, registration, copyright protection, liability, acceptance, warranty, pricing and general business matters.
- **Corporate/Transactional**—Negotiated, structured and drafted e-commerce and technology agreements with clients. Advised project managers and executive management on contract interpretation. Participated in negotiations with new business development team to structure relationships with customers and co-marketing partners.

Staff Attorney National Wildlife Federation, Reston, VA 1999 - 2000

- Responsible for all areas of licensing, trademarks and copyright.
- Advised in areas of record retention, e-commerce and digital record storage.
- Drafted construction contracts. Negotiated real estate, licensing and entertainment agreements.

Regulatory Experience

PAI Consulting, Alexandria, Virginia

Senior Regulatory Analyst 2011 – 2013

Regulatory Analyst 2002 – 2004

- **International Treaty Compliance** — Worked on a multi-year project to draft civil aviation regulations for a foreign government.
- **Regulatory Drafting/Rulemaking** — Supported the Federal government by overseeing rulemaking projects enacting safety and training statutes. Provided regulatory analysis and drafting services to U.S. Government Agencies. Developed training materials to assist the public with understanding and complying with regulations.
- **Project Management** — Drafted and produced proposals for private sector and government contracts. Served as primary point of contact on a number of large, multi-year contracts. Interacted with internal and external clients to facilitate ontime completion and efficient use of resources.

Education

J.D. 1998, Gonzaga University School of Law, Spokane, WA

B.A. 1996, West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV

Bar Admissions (Washington State)

Eastern and Western Districts of Washington

Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals

Federal Circuit Court of Appeals

Teaching

Guest Lecturer George Mason University, Fairfax, VA 2012

Environmental Law and Policy

Adjunct Professor DigiPen Institute of Technology, Redmond, WA 2007 - 2009

Intellectual Property, Business Entities and Contracts