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Employer

Of counsel

Job Title

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Town Counsel Screening Committee: Submitted

Are you a registered voter in the Town of Natick?☒ Yes ☐ No

Have you ever attended a Natick town meeting?☒ Yes ☐ No

Have you ever served on a board, committee, or commission in the Town of Natick?☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please list name(s) of board, committee or commissions, along with date(s) of service:

Planning board, town meeting

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission? Are there any changes you would like to see to these boards, committees and/or commissions?

I am a member of the Massachusetts bar.

Are you a graduate of the Natick Community Services Citizen's Leadership Academy?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Please list any skills or specialized knowledge you can bring to these boards, committees and/or commissions.

I am breathing and likely to attend meetings although I am retired and so hope to be traveling a lot.

Please list any professional affiliations.

Let us know what other specialized interests or hobbies you might have.

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Employer

Attorney

Job Title

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Committee Sawin House Committee (presently)

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission? Are there any changes you would like to see to these boards, committees and/or commissions?

Having served on a number of town boards, committees and commissions I have personal knowledge of the value of such civic engagement for the democratic health of our community, and as an example to our children of the need for service and the benefits of volunteerism.

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☐ Yes ☒ No

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During my service on the noted town boards, committees and commissions, which spans 17 years to the present, I was exposed to town counsel services/processes as a client and a tax payer. I suggest this perspective is important relative to service on the TC Screening Committee. Moreover, my entire career has been spent practicing in the field of public law - as town counsel for a major Boston firm, to special counsel to the MBTA, and currently in private practice representing clients in a variety of transactions and matters with local, state and federal agencies, authorities and departments.

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Bose Corporation

Employer

Assistant General Counsel

Job Title

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Town Meeting member - "retiring March 2019"

Interests & Experiences

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I do not have a specific “agenda” or concern and am volunteering because I understand there is a need for attorneys to serve as members for this committee. I will bring intellectual curiosity and an open mind to the process. I see this as a way to contribute in a positive way to the community that my family loves.

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As an in-house commercial lawyer, I am routinely asked to interview lawyers and business leaders, manage outside lawyers, negotiate conflicts, perform a deep level of analysis, and present information to others in a clear and concise manner. I also understand the role of being a representative, and that I am obligated to do my best to protect others' interests. I am also someone who can help with outreach to different stakeholders in town, especially those who are new to town government.

Please list any professional affiliations.

California and Mass bars, Boston Bar Association

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Top Skills

Complex Transactions

Leadership

Strategy

Certifications

Admitted to the California Bar in
2002 and Massachusetts Bar in
2009

Leah Phillips (Falzone)

Senior Attorney and Business Partner

Greater Boston Area

Summary

I'm known for being authentic, building strong relationships, and moving projects forward.

Experience includes: high-profile and complex transactions; general commercial matters; acquisition and licensing; e-commerce; marketing; technology and intellectual property-heavy transactions; product development; compliance; sourcing, manufacturing, and distribution; product safety; group purchasing organizations and healthcare procurement; government sales; pre-litigation disputes; negotiation with Fortune 100s; sale of goods and services; contract management systems; contracting policy and drafting; corporate training; and legal department best practices.

Accomplished problem-solver. I think outside the proverbial "legal box" – and will focus on the individual product and strategy behind each matter.

Demonstrated ability to proactively provide practical and sound legal advice, exercise good judgment, and advise senior management.

Team player who can be effective with multiple stakeholders and constituencies in fast-moving environments.

Diverse transactional experience from both law firm and in-house perspectives. I have a solid understanding of regulated environments, commercial transactions, the technology sector and intellectual property driven transactions, and can effectively leverage my experience in new settings.

Bar Admissions: California and Massachusetts.

Experience

Bose Corporation
Assistant General Counsel
July 2017 - Present
Greater Boston Area

Lead business lawyer for Bose's global Consumer Electronics Product Division, providing direct support to business leadership as well as management of internal and external resources.

Areas of focus include: technology, product development, privacy issues (related to products and vendors), product safety, licensing, research, product marketing, and strategic partnerships.

Staples
Senior Company Counsel
December 2008 - July 2017 (8 years 8 months)
Greater Boston Area

Primary legal adviser on general business and commercial law matters for the North American business-to-business division, Staples Business Advantage (\$6 billion revenue) as well as technology subsidiaries, PNI Digital Media (Vancouver) and MAKR (New York). Managed a team of attorneys. Supported acquisitions and divestitures.

Prior positions include: Director/Senior Counsel, Counsel.

Tyre Kamins
Attorney
2002 - 2007 (6 years)
Los Angeles (Century City)

Practice areas: commercial litigation, commercial transactions. Represented clients in fashion, entertainment, manufacturing and financial services.

Ideate
Director, Marketing
1997 - 1999 (3 years)
Greater Boston Area

Prior to law school, I worked for a strategic marketing firm serving clients in the manufacturing industry.

Education

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor
BA, English with Honors

Loyola Law School, Los Angeles
JD, Law

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Babson College

Employer

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Job Title

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Interests & Experiences

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I was asked and subject is of interest

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Finance Committee 12 years

Please list any professional affiliations.

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N/A

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Superintendent of Schools
Natick

Job Title

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This is a limited time commitment this Spring in a subject area that I have had over 25 years of experience.

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☐ Yes ☒ No

Please list any skills or specialized knowledge you can bring to these boards, committees and/or commissions.

Experience as a client of Town counsel services within the Natick Public Schools.

Please list any professional affiliations.

MetroWest Healthcare Foundation- Investment Committee

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Travel

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Jim Connolly

Retired

Greater Boston Area

Experience

Michael J Connolly and Sons Inc.

CEO

March 2008 - October 2014 (6 years 8 months)

Walpole MA

Natick Public Schools

Superintendent of Schools

January 2002 - December 2007 (6 years)

Natick MA

Education

Northeastern University

Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.) · (1975 - 1977)

Tufts University

Bachelor of Science (BS), Civil Engineering · (1970 - 1974)