

— RESUME OF —  
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YOUNG EARLY RETIREMENT PROFESSIONAL / ADEPT AT CAREER CHANGES

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT / CUSTOMER RELATIONS EXPERTISE: proven and accomplished with —

- ◆ oral and written communications and presentations
- ◆ office management and organizational requirements
- ◆ business accounting and bookkeeping
- ◆ successful client (customer) relations
- ◆ time-management
- ◆ multi-tasking in a fast-moving work environment
- ◆ effective problem-solving
- ◆ people skills

SOFTWARE ENVIRONMENT: accomplished with —

- ◆ MS Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- ◆ Corel Office (WordPerfect, Quattro Pro, Presentations)
- ◆ graphics presentations, document-scanning software, and paperless environments
- ◆ comfortable with any Windows-based operating system and browser environment

COMMUNICATIONS CONSULTANT / ANALYST / EDITOR / WRITER / PUBLISHED AUTHOR / COMMENTATOR

- ◆ Consultant and advisor for all manner of, and all aspects of, written presentation and advocacy materials
- ◆ Published author; book on constitutional history one of five finalists in a national book award
- ◆ Numerous published articles and commentaries

ATTORNEY (LAKE OSWEGO): recognized specialties, and experience, of value to businesses —

- ◆ land use and real estate matters
- ◆ business law
- ◆ civil litigation
- ◆ creditors' rights
- ◆ effective and well-liked public persona: conducted almost 600 public land use hearings and published more than 500 written decisions as the final decision-maker for a host of local governments in Oregon and Washington

ATTORNEY IN MID-SIZE LAW FIRM (PORTLAND): recognized specialties, and experience, of value to businesses —

- ◆ business law
- ◆ civil litigation
- ◆ real estate and land use matters
- ◆ creditors' rights
- ◆ writing skills recognized: author of a number of law-related articles, book chapters, papers, and publications

WHAT IT TAKES TO DO THE ABOVE:

- ◆ a "people" person; *"He is very good with people and he understands the issues, writes clearly and is easily understood."* (Former) Clackamas County Board of Commissioners Chairwoman Judie Hammerstad
- ◆ integrity, credibility, reliability, and perseverance
- ◆ uncommon research, writing, analytical, and communicative abilities
- ◆ putting customers' / clients' needs foremost
- ◆ listening skills
- ◆ attention to detail
- ◆ organizational wherewithal
- ◆ grasp of the difference between the pertinent and the extraneous
- ◆ ability to nurture personal relationships
- ◆ accommodation of decision-making deadlines

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