

# CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME Matthew Koziarz COUNCIL DISTRICT 1

DATE March 1, 2010

ROCHESTER HILLS RESIDENT FOR 6 YEARS

OCCUPATION Intellectual Property Attorney

## BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/COMMITTEES ON WHICH YOU WANT TO SERVE (please check up to five applicable boxes)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Advisory Traffic & Safety                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Economic Development                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Planning Commission                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board of Review                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Elections Commission                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Police & Road Funding Technical Rev Cmte      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brownfield Redevelopment Authority          | <input type="checkbox"/> Green Space Advisory Board            | <input type="checkbox"/> Retiree Health Care Trust - Board of Trustees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building Authority                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Historic Districts Commission         | <input type="checkbox"/> Rochester Avon Recreation Authority           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canvassing Board                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Historic Districts Study Committee    | <input type="checkbox"/> Trailways Commission                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cemetery Citizen Advisory Technical Review  | <input type="checkbox"/> Human Resources Technical Review Cmte | <input type="checkbox"/> Water & Sewer Technical Review Committee      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Citizens Pathway Review Committee           | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Development Finance Authority   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Zoning / Sign Board of Appeals     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Media Network Representative      | <input type="checkbox"/> Noise Barrier/Sound Wall Committee    |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction/ Fire Prevention Bd of Appeals | <input type="checkbox"/> Older Persons Commission              | <input type="checkbox"/>   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Deer Management Advisory Committee          |  | <input type="checkbox"/>   |

## INTERESTS/REASONS/QUALIFICATIONS

I want to become more involved in my local community, and I think my legal background will be an asset to the Zoning/Sign Board. My qualifications include my legal background, which includes legal schooling in property matters, and committee experience with bar associations. I am also a recent founder of a local bar association.

## BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/COMMITTEES ON WHICH YOU HAVE SERVED (LIST MUNICIPALITIES AND DATES)

I have not served in a city position. I serve on the board of directors of a local bar association that I founded and I served on several attorney bar association committees.

## ELECTIVE OFFICES THAT YOU HAVE HELD

None.

## OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Oakland County Bar Association; State Bar of Michigan; Michigan Intellectual Property Law Association; Warrior Bar Association; Registered to practice before the United States Patent and Trademark Office, admitted to the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan and the U.S. Court of Appeals Federal Circuit.

## PERTINENT EDUCATION

B.S. Materials Science & Engineering, University of Michigan 1997; Juris Doctor, Wayne State University 2004. Worked as an engineer for 6 years while attending law school at night for 4 of those years before moving on to my present law firm.

## HOBBIES/INTERESTS

Ice hockey, digital media, sports statistics

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

There may be other candidates that have more city experience than I do. However, I think my background demonstrates that I have the ability to meet the needs of the Zoning/Sign Board of Appeals.

Please send completed form to City of Rochester Hills, Clerk's Office, 1000 Rochester Hills Drive, Rochester Hills, MI 48309 or fax to 248 656 4744

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