



City of Rochester Hills

CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME Joseph (Joe) Bruce COUNCIL DISTRICT #2

DATE November 15, 2018 ROCHESTER HILLS RESIDENT FOR 22 YEARS

OCCUPATION Retired. Previously Business Management. See attached Resume.

INTERESTS/REASONS/QUALIFICATIONS

Having recently retired I now have time to apply my skills to activities that can help the community. My undergraduate studies and first jobs after graduation involved natural resources. It is an area I still love. As a member of the Green Space Advisory Board I could apply past skills and interests while working with people having similar interests. Rochester's decision to preserve land in its natural state is very innovative and I would like to help maintain this for the communities long term benefit.

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

N/A

ELECTIVE OFFICES THAT YOU HAVE HELD

N/A

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Trout Unlimited - Vanguard Chapter with it's "home water" being Paint Creek.
"Creek Fleet" small sailboat club which sails at Stoney Creek Lake

PERTINENT EDUCATION

See attached resume

HOBBIES/INTERESTS

Fly Fishing, Small Boat Sailing

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Joseph G. Bruce

EXPERIENCE

Guardian Industries Corp., Vice President - Supply Chain (Ret.), Auburn Hills, MI. 1985 – 2017

Privately owned Guardian Industries is one of the world's largest architectural glass manufacturers. In a decentralized management environment, I was responsible for all direct, indirect, and logistics spend globally.

- Hired as the Purchasing/Accounts Payable Computer Systems Analyst. Transferred to the Purchasing team as a Buyer in 1987. After several promotions named Global Vice President - Purchasing in 1995.
- Expanded the department's capabilities to include Logistics.
- For several years I also led the Continuous Improvement and Quality capabilities.
- Retired after 31 years

Andersen Consulting Detroit, MI. 1983 - 1985
Senior Consultant

Designed and programmed portions of the Michigan Employment Security Commission's statewide unemployment tracking and payment issuing system.

Golden Eye Seafood New Bedford, MA. 1982 - 1983
Production Manager

Complete manufacturing responsibility in a highly automated fresh and frozen seafood factory.

US Fish and Wildlife Service Ann Arbor, MI. 1979 - 1980
Participated in various environmental studies on several of the Great Lakes.

National Marine Fisheries Service San Diego, CA. 1978 - 1979
Worked aboard commercial tuna boats in the Pacific as a US Government "Tuna Porpoise Observer". On trips lasting an average of 75 days at sea, I was responsible for making sure that proper methods were used to protect porpoise during the process of catching tuna.

EDUCATION

Ross School of Business, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI May 1982
Master of Business Administration - Marketing

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY May 1977
Bachelor of Science in Natural Resources - Fishery Science / Ecology

ADDITIONAL

- Guardian Employee of the Year – 1996
- Guest lecturer, Johnson Business School MBA Program– Cornell University
- Dale Carnegie Leadership and Communication class
- Eagle Scout, fly fishing, small boat sailor