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Advisory Board & Committee Interest Form - Submission #258

| First Name* Last Name* | | ¢. | District | t # You Live In.* |
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| Rand | Lieber | | 1 | |
| Home Address* | City* | State* | | Zip Code* |
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| Owner or Renter * Owner | Number of years as o resident* | vote in Browa | | Education (highest degree / level) |
| | 4 | County?* Yes | × | J.D. |
| Occupation* | | Work Phone | | |
| Attorney | ey . | | (305) 439-8905 | |
| Business Name* | | | | |
| Valdespino & Associates | | | | |
| Business Address | City | State | | Zip Code |
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| Identify the board / comr | nittee(s) to which you re | quest appointment (F | lease rank in | n order of preference) |
| Selection (1)* | | Selection (2)* | | |
| Civil Service Board | | ✓ Marine Adviso | Marine Advisory Board | |
| Selection (3)* | Selection (4)* | | эл ал | |
| Parks, Recreation & Cultu | V None | | | |

Civil Service Board - Questions*

- 1. I currently work in a small law firm. In the past I have handled interviews, hiring choices and firings.
- 2. I have handled both of these functions in the past as a supervisor of nine employees.
- 3. Currently none but I have performed all of these functions in prior employment.
- 4. I am an attorney practicing family law.
- 5. I am a continuous resident and registered voter in Hollywood.

Please answer these five questions above. 1. Describe your involvement in the hiring process? 2. Describe your involvement disciplining employees including terminations? 3. Describe your involvement with establishing reviewing and interpreting policies and procedures? 4. Describe the work that you do and provide your job title. 5. Are you a continuous resident of and continuous registered elector in the City of Hollywood?

Marine Advisory Board - Questions*

- 1. I am a casual user.
- 2. I am environmentally conscious. I am interested in eco-friendly development.
- 3. Yes
- 4. I have not been involved in the marine industry.
- 5. I want the waterways to be safe, attractive and put to their best use for the citizens of Hollywood.

Please answer these five questions above 1. What is your involvement with the City of Hollywood's Waterways? 2. What will guide your decisions on this board? 3. Are you able to dedicate 2-3 hours a month to attend the meetings? Attendance is paramount to this Board being able to get things done. 4. Are you currently or have you been a boater, marine industry professional or involved in any other marine related industry? 5. What is your vision for the city of Hollywood's Waterway system?

Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Advisory Board - Questions*

1. Several.

- 2. Several.
- 3. Yes

4. I am most interested in the parks and recreation aspect. Making sure that they are best utilized and available to all.

- 5. None
- 6. They all add to a full and diverse quality of life.

Please answer these six questions above. 1. How many events have you attended in the past year at any of the parks and athletics facilities in the City? 2. How many City-sponsored special events have you attended for the past year? 3. Are you available to attend regular Board meetings? Regular meetings are on the 1st Thursday of the month for 8 months per calendar year. 4. What is your one area of highest interest related to the parks, recreation and cultural arts for the City? 5. What other relevant organizations, clubs, or associations were you previously. and/or currently are involved in? 6. How does parks, recreation and cultural arts contribute to quality of life?

| Are you interested in serving on more than one board/committee?* | If so, how many?* | How many commission/board meetings have you attended in the last 2 years?* | |
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| Have you ever served on | a city If yes, please de | scribe | |

If you are applying for a board / committee, which has specific requirements / categories, please detail how your background and/or experience meets the required criteria.*

I am an attorney. I spent six years as a prosecutor. I have worked in the public and private sectors.

Please describe your professional and/or volunteer experience or background, which best qualifies you for selection to the board / committee.*

I am interested in conservation. Through my work I provide free services where appropriate.

Are you presently employed by the City of Hollywood?*

If so, in what capacity?*

Attach Resume (only .doc and .pdf files)* RandLiebersResume.pdf

RAND S. LIEBER

- **CAREER SUMMARY:** For the past eighteen years I have been a successful trial attorney, first as a prosecutor for six years and then as a family law attorney. I have excelled in each of my positions making the firms profitable through my litigation skills, research abilities and efficiency.
- **EXPERIENCE:** Valdespino & Associates, P.A., April 2005 to present. Handle all aspects of family law cases from start to finish. Conduct client interviews. Develop case strategy. Prepare all pleadings. File and argue motions. Analyze and prepare discovery. Conduct depositions. Prepare trial exhibits. Conduct and participate in final hearings. Research and prepare legal memoranda.

Rand S. Lieber, P.A., July 2004 to April 2005. Sole practitioner specializing in family law. Handled all aspects of a family case from beginning to end, including prenuptial agreements, custody and support issues, and full dissolutions. Small percentage of business was criminal defense. General civil litigation including contract disputes.

Perez, Goran & Rodriguez, April 2003 to June 2004. Responsible for all aspects of an insurance defense case, specializing in workers' compensation. Conducted final hearings. Developed case strategy. Prepared all pleadings. Filed and argued motions. Deposed claimants, doctors and employers. Analyzed medical records. Communicated with adjusters. Attended mediations and negotiated settlements.

Maurice Jay Kutner & Associates, April 2001 to April 2003. Handled family law cases from start to finish. Conducted client interviews. Developed case strategy. Prepared all pleadings including petitions and answers. Filed and argued motions. Analyzed discovery. Took depositions. Prepared trial exhibits. Participated in final hearings. Wrote legal memoranda and appellate briefs.

Miami-Dade County State Attorney's Office, February 1998 to April 2001. <u>Assistant State Attorney</u>. Career Criminal/ Robbery Unit. Lead attorney on thirty felony jury trials. Responsible for all aspects of prosecuting violent criminals. Prepared witnesses for depositions in complex trial cases. Represented the State at defense depositions. Researched, wrote and argued motions. Seminole County State Attorney's Office, September 1995 to January 1998. Assistant State Attorney. Successfully prosecuted a high volume case load, including over one hundred bench trials and thirty jury trials. Lead trial attorney in the Juvenile Division. Assessed cases and negotiated pleas. Represented victims at restitution hearings.

Sidney A. Goldberg, P.A., Miami, Florida, December 1993 to March 1994. <u>Law</u> <u>Clerk</u>. Drafted civil pleadings including complaints, motions, and written interrogatories. Researched legal issues in personal injury law.

Attorney General, State of Florida, Summer 1993. <u>Legal Intern</u>. Developed research and writing skills preparing memoranda in Contract law, Environmental law and Administrative law. Prepared pleadings, summarized affidavits and compiled data for case files.

Universal Underwriters Insurance Company, Richardson, Texas, November 1988 to August 1992. <u>Regional Underwriting Coordinator</u>. Increased department efficiency as supervisor of twelve employees in rating and production. Advised company regarding governmental regulation of insurance policies. Managed all computer functions within the office.

EDUCATION: University of Miami School of Law, Coral Gables, Florida Juris Doctor degree, December 1994 **Honors and Activities:** Quarterfinalist in U.M. Law School Mock Trial Competition Semifinalist in U.M. First Year Moot Court Competition

University of London, University College, London, England Juris Doctor Program, Summer 1993

University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, Texas Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics, December 1988