

**CITY OF HOLLYWOOD**  
**ADVISORY BOARD/COMMITTEE INTEREST FORM**  
(Must Attach a Resume or Brief Biography and print/type all information)  
Form must be filled out completely

Name: RICHARD KNIPPIN Date: 28 MAY 2018  
Home address: 510 S. 58<sup>TH</sup> CT., HOLLYWOOD, FL Zip Code: 33023  
Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: 954 646 7633 E-mail: RKNIPPIN@BELLSOUTH.NET  
Number of years City resident: 23 owner?  renter? \_\_\_\_\_ District # you live in: 6  
Occupation: MARINE SAFETY EQUIPMENT SALES  
Business name: AQUAVENTURES, INC.  
Business address: 510 S. 58<sup>TH</sup> CT., HOLLYWOOD, FL Zip Code: 33023  
Work phone: 954 646 7633 Fax: 954 894 7402  
Education (highest degree/level): BA Are you registered to vote in Broward County? (y/n) Y

Identify the board/committee(s) to which you request appointment (Please rank in order of preference):

- (1) MARINE ADVISORY BOARD
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in serving on more than one board/committee? (y/n) NO  
If so, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your professional and/or volunteer experience or background which best qualifies you for selection to the board/committee (attach additional documentation if desired): PROFESSIONAL MARINER, LOCAL BOATER.

If you are applying for a board/committee which has specific requirements/categories (see board/committee booklet), please detail how your background and/or experience meets the required criteria: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant must attend at least one board/committee meeting prior to consideration of application for every board applied. Please list board/committee meetings you attended in the last year? 19 APRIL, 17 MAY, 2018

Are you currently on a County or City board? If yes, please describe: NO

Please indicate if you are presently employed by the City of Hollywood? (y/n): NO  
If so, in what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: Richard Knippin

**Please return this application to:**  
By Mail: Office of the City Clerk, 2600 Hollywood Blvd, Room 221, Hollywood, Florida 33020,  
Fax: 954-921-3233 or email: [pcerny@hollywoodfl.org](mailto:pcerny@hollywoodfl.org) For more information, call 954-921-3211.



Richard Kniffin

Marine Advisory Board Questions

1. I am involved with the City of Hollywood's waterways as a recreational boater and kayaker.
2. My decisions will be guided by common sense, knowledge of the marine environment and what is in the best interests of the City of Hollywood and its residents.
3. Yes, I am able to attend monthly meetings. If there are any conflicts with my other professional activities I will notify the Board in advance if unable to attend a meeting.
4. Yes, all of these categories apply to me. I am currently a recreational boater, a marine industry professional and I am involved in a marine related industry. Besides being an active professional captain, my company, Aquaventures, Inc., provides safety equipment for mariners.
5. The City of Hollywood's Waterway system must continue to be kept in as pristine condition as possible. Any future development should make sense and be a positive for the waterfront community. Environmental impacts from pollution, derelict vessels, sewage, dumping and existing infrastructure should be monitored and controlled. Laws should be vigorously enforced both through appropriate law enforcement and through the established regulations of the City of Hollywood. The main goal is to have a beautiful and safe waterway system for the residents and visitors of the City of Hollywood to enjoy.