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I am seeking the office of FMCA National Treasurer.

I am a retired U.S. Marine and Vietnam veteran, retiring as a Master Gunnery Sergeant (E9) in 1989. Upon retirement, I continued working with the Department of the Navy, Naval Surface Warfare Center, Crane, Indiana, for the next 22 years. I served as a Project Test Officer testing weapons, ammunition, and various science and technology initiatives for the Department of Defense throughout the world.

My wife, Linda, and I have been married for 52 years. We have three daughters, seven grandchildren, and two great-granddaughters. Our daughters and families live in Jupiter, Florida; Hahira, Georgia; and Belfair, Washington. Linda and I retired in 2011 and started living the RV lifestyle. We have been living full time in our recreational vehicle since 2015 and loving it.

FMCA EXPERIENCE

Great Lakes Area President, 2020-2024
FMCA Policy and Procedure Committee, 2024 to present
FMCA Finance Committee, 2021-2023
FMCA Nominating Committee, 2019-2020
FMCA Convention Committee, 2019-2021
National Director, Tri-State Traveliers, 2014 to present
Great Lakes Area Regional VP, Ohio, 2016-2018
Great Lakes Area Regional VP, Indiana, 2018-2019
Great Lakes Area Senior Vice President, 2019 to 2020
Great Lakes Area Bylaws Committee Member, 2016 to present
Great Lakes Area Nominating Committee Member, 2019 to present

FMCA Chapters

California
Hoosier Cruisers
Military Veterans
Ohio Nomads
Ontario Rovers
Traveling Friends
Tri-State Traveliers

OTHER EXPERIENCES

FMCA International Convention Chief of Parking
2023 - Gillette
2023 - Perry
2022 - Lincoln
2022 - Tucson
2021 - Gillette
2019 – Minot
2018 – Gillette

FMCA International Convention Assistant Chief of Parking

2018 – Perry

2017 – Indianapolis

FMCA International Convention Parking Team Leader

2016 – West Springfield

2016 – Perry

2015 – Madison

2015 – Pomona

2014 – Redmond

2014 – Perry

Great Lakes Area Rally Chief of Parking, 2016 to 2020

Tri-State Travelers Bylaws Committee Chairman, 2018 to 2020

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Associate of Arts Degree, Palomar College, San Marcos, CA

AA – Surveying, 1995

AA – AutoCad Technical Drafting, 1996

AA – 3d Animation, 1997

INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

Linda and I enjoy travelling and visiting with family and friends located throughout the United States. I am active in bowling and annually participate in the United States Bowling Congress Open Tournament. We are active members of the Fairborn, Ohio, Moose Lodge and we are also members of the Elks and life members of the VFW.

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

During my Civil Service employment as a Project Test Officer, I was responsible for preparing and monitoring budgets for the evaluation of various DoD initiatives. These budgets identified personnel and equipment requirements to conduct operational testing in locations throughout the United States and abroad. Since joining FMCA in 2012, Linda and I have been actively involved in local FMCA groups and more recently heavily involved in FMCA committees and activities on a national level. I have served as a member of the FMCA Finance Committee from 2021 to 2023. I have a good understanding of the effort required to prepare a draft budget, process it through Committee and Executive Board reviews, and present it to the Governing Board for debate and acceptance. If elected, I look forward to supporting the Family RV Association as the National Treasurer and working to return the Association to financial stability and its position as the premier RVing organization.