

## **POSSIBLE MOTION**

**I MOVE TO** reappoint Jere Christner to a three-year term on the Investment Committee.



**Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees, and Commissions  
City and Borough of Sitka**

Board/Commission/Committee: Sitka Investment Committee  
Name: Jere Christner Daytime Phone: 907.738.4053  
Address: 1201 Georgeson Evening Phone: 907.738.7761  
Email Address: Loss@ak.net Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Length of Residence in Sitka: 31 years Registered to vote in Sitka?  Yes \_\_\_ No  
Employer: retired, self-employed

Organizations you belong to or participate in:  
Sitka Rotary Club  
Grace Harbor Church

Explain your main reason for applying:  
see attachment

What background, experience or credentials will you bring to the board, commission, or committee membership?  
see attachment

Please disclose any potential conflicts of interest that may arise from your appointment. These may include but are not limited to:

- A substantial financial interest of \$1000 annually that could be influenced by your appointment.
- An immediate family member employed within the scope of this appointment.

Please attach a letter of interest, outline, or resume which includes your education, work, and volunteer experience that will enhance your membership.

→ (To be considered, your application must be complete AND be accompanied by one of the above supporting documents.)

Date: December 19, 2016 Signature: Jere Christner

Your complete application and resume should be returned to the Municipal Clerk's Office by noon on the Wednesday prior to an advertised Assembly meeting.

Please note: all information submitted will be made public and published online. Appointments are normally made during open session of an Assembly meeting, however, Assembly members may vote to discuss applicant(s) in closed executive session. In this case, do you wish to be present when your application is discussed? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

Return to:  
Melissa Henshaw, Deputy Clerk/Records Specialist, 100 Lincoln Street  
Fax: 907-747-7403 Email: melissa.henshaw@cityofsitka.org

Jere Christner  
1201 Georgeson Loop  
Sitka AK 99835  
January 2, 2017

Sitka Assembly  
City and Borough of Sitka  
100 Lincoln St.  
Sitka, AK 99835

Dear Assembly Members:

I wish to reapply for another term on the Sitka Investment Committee. While serving on the committee since January 2014, I've gained knowledge of and an appreciation for the short and longer term financial challenges of concern to our community. My experiences in dealing with financial management in my personal life, in work settings, and as a volunteer with a variety of groups will help me contribute on the committee.

I hold a BS in forestry and a MS in hydrology. While working for the US Forest Service in other States and finally in Alaska, my principle activities involved supervision of a number of individuals in several natural resource related disciplines. Over the course of my Forest Service career in such positions I also spent a considerable amount of time in planning and budgeting to assure that work was accomplished in fiscally sound ways. After my retirement from the Forest Service, my wife and I operated a small business related to education and hospitality. That involved both catering in Sitka and providing educational activities for visitors to areas around Alaska.

A sheet with my current and past involvement with committees and groups is enclosed.

Again, I am again willing to volunteer to help the City and Borough and our citizens by continuing on the Investment Committee. Thank you for considering me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jere Christner". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Jere Christner

Encl:

January 2, 2017

**Current and Prior involvement in Sitka -- JERE CHRISTNER**

**Rotary Club – Member currently**

**Grace Harbor Church – Member and Deacon currently**

**City & Borough of Sitka (CBS) Investment Committee – Member currently**

CBS Centennial Hall Renovation Planning Committee -- 2014

ALPS Federal Credit Union Board of Directors – 2001-2012

Sitka Historical Society Board of Directors – 2000-2010

Sitka Young Life Committee – 1997-2007

CBS Port & Harbors Commission – 1995-1997

Sitka Convention & Visitors Bureau Board of Directors – 1986-1997

CBS Air & Water Quality Committee – 1985-1986



## INVESTMENT COMMITTEE

NAME	CONTACT NUMBERS	TERM STARTS	EXPIRES	CATEGORY
MICHAEL REIF PO Box 2346	738-6016 reifmike55@gmail.com	10/14/14	11/26/16 11/22/19	CHAIR
JERE CHRISTNER 1201 Georgeson Loop	738-4053 toss@ak.net	1/14/14	1/14/17	VICE-CHAIR
BERT STEDMAN 1806 Sawmill Creek Rd.	747-8393 w 747-8905 h 747-8620 fax In Juneau: 907-465-3873 h 907-465-3922 business Bstedman@gci.net	6/10/03 6/14/05 6/24/08 6/28/11 6/24/14	6/10/05 6/14/08 6/24/11 6/28/14 6/24/17	
Jay Sweeney 100 Lincoln Street	747-1836 w jay.sweeney@cityofsitka.org			Finance Director/ Secretary
Mark Gorman 100 Lincoln Street	747-1808 w mark.gorman@cityofsitka.org			Municipal Administrator – Ex Officio
Tristan Guevin PO Box 6235	738-5415 assemblyguevin@cityofsitka.org			Assembly Liaison

Four members from public one serving as an alternate voting member for three-year terms.

Established by Ordinance 01-1651

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