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Sent:	Thursday, May 25, 2017 1:50 PM
То:	Human Resources
Cc:	Kim Zimmerman
Subject:	Interested in the City of Sitka Administrator Position
Attachments:	Kim D Zimmerman Resume for Sitka, AK.docx

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Hello, I am very much interested in this position; please find attached my resume and cover letter. Please contact me if you have any questions. Thank you!

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# **Professional Experience:**

#### **Gunsmithing Student, TSJC**

JAN 2016 to Present

600 Prospect Ave Trinidad, Colorado 80182

Full time gunsmithing student seeking an Associate's Degree in the fine art of gunmaking, repair, restoration, stocking, checkering, coating, and bluing of all manner of firearms. Currently maintaining a GPA of 3.3 with 67 of 73 credits completed toward the degree. Just completed the third of four semesters.

#### Borough of Ridgway City Manager

OCT 2013 to JAN 2016

108 Main Street Ridgway, PA 15853

Served as the chief administrator of a town of 4,100 citizens consisting of 1,700 homes, a full time staff of 26, and part time staff of 50 though-out the year. Directly responsible for town's water treatment plant, waste water treatment plant, refuse department, public works department, and the annual \$6M dollar budget and investment portfolio. Provided the direct link between the citizens and the Council through the coordination of all committee and council meetings. Worked directly with county and state agencies on a daily basis.

### Director of Government Contracts and Sales AUG 2012 to SEP 2013

Patriot Outfitters, LLC Saint Marys, Kansas 66536

Directly responsible for building, training, and developing the company's government contracting section and for pursuing major Federal and State Government contracts valued from \$750,000 to \$5,700,000,000. Provided direct input and professional advice to company executives on Special Operations and Military Equipment and all Armed Forces matters.

### United States Army Logistics Officer

### FEB 1989 to SEP 2012

Served at all levels of leadership positions of the Army Officer Logistics Corps, from Platoon Leader to Deputy Brigade Commander throughout my 23+ year career. Specialized in logistics and sustainment operations, to include government contracts,

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fiscal management, maintenance operations, personnel management, engineer operations, base / garrison management, combat operations, and training.

- Served as a Logistics Sustainment Chief for Army's Mission Command Training Program providing professional training to Army Corps and Division Headquarters Commands deploying into combat operations
- Served as the Deputy Commander of 3,000 combat Soldiers for two years in Alaska
- Managed the operations, maintenance, and property accountability for 49,972 pieces of property valued in excess of \$141,000,000
- Rated #1 of his 4 Deputy Brigade Commanders by the Commanding General
- Rated as #6 of his 42 Lieutenant Colonels in his Command
- Served as the Chief Logistics Officer / Mayor / Garrison Commander of a 455 acre Forward Operation Base in Baghdad, Iraq for 15 months, supporting 12,000 Soldiers; directly responsible for the expenditure and accountability of \$220,000 cash and \$80,000,000 worth of contracts
- Selected over 23 Majors to serve as the Deputy Commander of a Brigade Support Battalion responsible for all logistics and sustainment operations for an Infantry Brigade of 5,000 combat Soldiers
- Maintained 100% accountability for all assigned equipment valued in excess of \$42M
- Rated #1 of 23 Majors in the Brigade by the Brigade Commander
- Managed a \$34,000,000 budget to within .1% of use; closest of all units on Fort Riley
- Served as Chief Logistics / Sustainment officer supporting the 2<sup>nd</sup> Infantry Div in Korea

#### **Military Education**

- Quartermaster Officer Basic Course
- Airborne
- Aerial Delivery / Rigger School
- Captains' Career Course
- Command Armed Services Staff School
- Command and General Staff College

### **Civilian Education**

- Bachelor of Science Degree (Biology), Clarion University of Pennsylvania 1988
- Masters of Science Degree (Geography and Regional Planning), California University of Pennsylvania 2000

### **References:**

Additional information and / or references upon request

25 May 2017

Reference: Sitka, Alaska City Administrator Interim Position

To Whom It May Concern:

I believe I am fully qualified for this position. My management and leadership skills have been continually developed and honed for the past 29 years as an active duty logistics officer in the United States Army, in the private sector, and as a City Manager in Pennsylvania. Countless times I have been involved in the leadership, management, stewardship, fiscal supervision, and planning of real property accountability, construction, maintenance, zoning, destruction, and their use around the world and in the local community.

In Baghdad, Iraq (2007-2008) I was the Mayor of Forward Operating Base FALCON, a 455 acre combat base which was home for 12,000 Soldiers / Sailors / Airmen / Marines. I was directly in charge and responsible for the smooth, effective, and continuous operation of this "city" and its infrastructure, including my direct relationship with the Kellogg, Brown, and Root Site Manager and his 500 civilian employees. With a \$70M budget, I had direct control over all housing, buildings, food service operations, security, and construction contracts and tasks during heavy combat operations.

I also served as the City Manager for Ridgway, Pennsylvania from October 2013 until January 2016. In this capacity I served at the behest of the City Council for the smooth operations and supervision of the town's water treatment plant, waste water treatment plant, refuse department, public works department, and the annual \$6,000,000 budget and investment portfolio.

My undergraduate degree is in Biology, however, my graduate degree is in Geography and Regional Planning. Coupled with my vast amount of experience with managing and directing budgets, managing personnel, maintenance operations, infrastructure management, and working with other agencies, I feel I am ready and distinctly qualified to assist in leading Sitka into the future.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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