

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

Board/Commission/Committee: Library Commission
Name: Stephen Morse Daytime Phone: [REDACTED]
Address: [REDACTED] Evening Phone: Spine
Email Address: [REDACTED] Fax Number: [REDACTED]
Length of Residence in Sitka: 36 yr Registered to vote in Sitka? ☒ Yes ☐ No
Employer: Retired

Organizations you belong to or participate in: SITKA Conservation Society,
Trail Works, Raven Radio, State Senior Ombudsman
for the Pioneer Home & SCH, NEA, SEA
Explain your main reason for applying:

I want to support the Library

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

23 years teaching in Sitka, current teaching
certificate in Speech/Lang.

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: 3-20-18 Signature: Stephen Morse

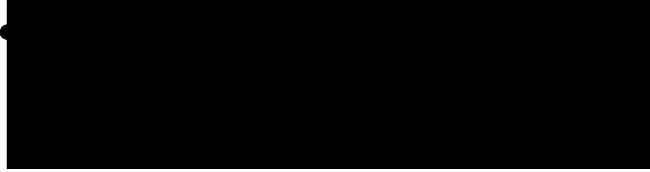
Your complete application and resume should be returned to the Municipal Clerk's Office by noon on the Wednesday prior to an advertised Assembly meeting.

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

- **Stephen D. Morse PHd.**



Education

1997 University of Alaska Southeast Juneau, Alaska Administrative Credential Completed

1984-88 Columbia Pacific University San Raphael, California PhD. In Speech Pathology

1975-77 Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, Mo. MA.Ed. in Speech Pathology, Psychology

1970-74 Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, Mo. B.S. in Speech Pathology, English

1977 American Speech-Language Hearing Association Certificate of Clinical Competency

Professional experience

*Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist, provides evaluation and quarterly direct services for 0-3, for **Community Connections** in Ketchikan and Craig Alaska Sept. 15 to present.*

Speech-Language Pathologist Provided speech-language services to Arctic Villages, private practice for Alaska Adaptations for Daily Living Sept. '10 to present for **NWABSD, Northwest Arctic School District** 314 Tilson St. Sitka, Alaska

Speech-Language Pathologist Provided speech-language services in private practice for Alaska Adaptations for Daily Living Sept. '11 to present for **Early Learning Program in Sitka 0-3yo**, Sitka, Alaska

Speech Language Pathologist Provided speech and language assessments and interventions based on IFSPs 0-3 year olds with special needs. **REACH Infant Learning Program Juneau Alaska**

Speech-Language Path Dec. 09 to Jun'10 Provided speech and language assessments and interventions with emphasis on Preschool and K-2 at **Baranof Elementary School** in Sitka, Ak. Sept.'08-May '09

Home-School Liaison Provided advocacy and support services to tribal families and their students at Sitka High School Jan. '07 to present **Sitka Tribe of Alaska** Education Department 465 Katlian St. Sitka, Alaska 99835

Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist Provided speech-language services in private practice. Alaska Adaptations for Daily Living Sept. '05 to June '06 Alaska Adaptations 314 Tilson St. Sitka, Alaska

Speech-Language Pathologist Provided assessments and inclusive speech services to Blatchley middle school, Sitka high school, and Pacific high school population for the **Sitka School District**. Sept. '04 to June '05 Keet Gooshi Heen Elementary Sitka, Alaska 99835

Speech-Language Pathologist Provided screening, assessment, parent training, and paraprofessional training, as well as direct speech services for school aged children. Sept. '02 to June '04 **Southeast Islands School District Thorne Bay**, Ak Speech-Language Pathologist Provided speech-language evaluations and services for children aged 2 ½ years of age through high school at nine remote locations by float plane

Oct '02 to June '03 Center for Community 700 Katlian St. Sitka, Alaska **Director, Infant Learning Program** Served as program administrator for the Infant Learning Program a state funded 0-3 program that served Sitka, Angoon, and Kake, Alaska.

8/00 to 12/01 SAIC, Science Applications International Corporation San Diego, California EDIS Clinic Spangdahlem, Germany Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist Provided speech-language services to 0-3 population at the **EDIS Clinic in Spangdahlem, Germany**.

8/98 to 9/00 Sitka School District Box 179 Sitka. Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist Provided speech-language services to preschool and Kindergarten aged students in **SSD's Early Development Program**.

8/97 to 5/98 Sitka School District, Baranof Elementary Special Education Teacher Provided special education services to **Kindergarten** aged children in an inclusion model.

Jan. 1987 to June 1997 Alaska Therapeutic Consulting Services Inc., private practice Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist Provided pediatric assessments and family oriented treatment plans for the **Infant Learning Program** (0-3yr) and regularly performed outpatient pediatric assessments for the Searhc Hospital.

9/80-9/97 **Developmental Learning Program, Sitka**, Alaska Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist Provided screening initial assessments for preschoolers, parent training and direct services for special needs preschoolers. Completed research on annual child find activities.

1/80-8/80 **Yarmouth Regional Hospital**, Yarmouth Nova Scotia CANADA Speech-Language Pathologist Provided inpatient and outpatient Speech-Language services for a wide array of special needs infants, toddlers, and preschoolers. 8/77-12/79 Mt. Eccles Elementary, Cordova Public Schools Cordova, Ak Speech-Language Pathologist District wide SLP services included child find activities, preschool assessments and interventions, as well as school age services in a small rural Alaskan community.

Professional memberships

Certificate of Clinical Competence in Speech by ASHA 1979 to present. Alaska State Teaching Certificate (Type A) in Speech-Language with

Special Education endorsement. P-12 Licensed Speech Pathologist State of Alaska (License # 15) Nov. 21, 2000 to present.

Interests and activities

Jogging, hiking, sailing, bike riding.

Publications

“The Effectiveness of the Brigance Preschool Screen with 3 and 4 year olds.” (Dissertation)



LIBRARY COMMISSION

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7 Members from Public 3-year terms

Established by Ordinance 72-50, Ord. 03-1730 added 2 more members

First Wednesday of the Month, 6:30 p.m. at the Sitka Public Library, 320 Harbor Drive

OATH OF OFFICE REQUIRED

Revised: March 27, 2018