## **MISSOULA TBID APPLICATION**

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I am applying for appointment to:

Missoula Tourism Business Improvement District.

Please write a brief statement explaining why you would like to serve on the Board(s) named above.

I would like to serve on the Missoula TBID Board to help bring more hotel room nights to Missoula. I own the Days Inn & Suites at 744 E Broadway in Missoula. I believe any room nights the TBID brings to Missoula affects all Missoula hotels and businesses in a positive manner.

## Experience:

Organizations/Affiliations: Bozeman TBID. 11 years (Board Member, Vice Chair, Chairman) Helena TBID. 2 years MT Inn Keepers Assoc. 13 years (Board Member, Sec/Treasurer) American Hotel & Lodging Assoc. 7 years (Board Member) Bozeman / Belgrade Lodging Assoc. 3 years (President) Missoula Hotel & Lodging Assoc. 3 years Small and Independent Properties Advisory Council Member, 7 years (AH&LA) Glacial Lake Missoula Chapter President, currently, Ice Age Floods Institute, Missoula Chapter. 7 years.

<u>Education:</u> University of Montana- 1991 FT Lewis College- 1987-88 Haskell Indian Jr College- Assoc. of Arts 1985-1987

## Work Experience:

I've been involved in hotels, hotel management, operations and development in Montana since 1989. I've operated or owned the following hotels: Ruby's Inn & Convention Center- GM, 11 years Hampton Inn, Missoula- Owner/Developer, 1994 – 2001 Hampton Inn, Billings- Owner/Developer, 1999-2003 Hampton Inn, Great Falls- Owner/Developer, 2002-2004 Hampton Inn & Suites, Nampa, ID- Owner/Developer, 2003-2004 Mountain Valley Inn & Suites, Helena- Owner, 2005-2006 Mountain Valley Inn, Missoula- Owner, 2005-2006 Super 8, Bozeman- Owner, 2007-Present Super 8, Whitehall- Director of Operations- 2008-2015 Days Inn, Billings- Owner, 2011-2021 Heights Inn, Billings- Dir of Operations, 2013-2016 Hampton Inn & Suites, Whitefish, MT- Owner/Developer, 2014-Present Baymont by Wyndham, Helena- Owner, 2014-Present Super 8, Kalispell- Dir of Operations, 2016-Present Super 8, Belgrade- Owner, 2017-Present Days Inn & Suites, Missoula- 2021-Present Lambert Hotel Management Corp DBA: Lambert Hotels- Owner 2003-Present

I've also helped multiple hotel operators in Montana over the years on a short term, consulting basis. Those properties include: Holiday Inn, Helena: Holiday Inn, Great Falls: Best Western Kwa Tak Nuq, Polson: Hampton Inn, Bozeman.

<u>Community Service/Volunteer Experience:</u> Kiwanis, Missoula- 1994-2008 Sentinel DECA- 4 years Glacial Lake Missoula Chapter of the Ice Age Floods Institute- 1999-2006 Immanuel Lutheran Church- 2007-Present

## **References:**

Please provide the name, address, and phone number of two references:

- 1. Daryl Schliem (Chamber President)- Bozeman, MT. (406) 920-0448
- 2. Jhan Zeb (Hotel Owner)- Missoula, MT . (406) 203-2104

Occupation: Professional Hotelier