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Length of Residency - please select one. * 1 to 5 years**Do you own or represent a business in Clearwater?** Yes No**If yes, where is the business located? Do you conduct business with the City?**

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

North Greenwood CRA Citizen Advisory Committee: Submitted

Dimmitt Automotive Group

Employer

Valet

Job Title

Occupation - If retired, enter former occupation.

Retired Firefighter/EMT

Have you served or do you serve on a board in Clearwater? Yes No**If yes, please list the name of the board.**

Why do you wish to serve on this board/committee? If seeking reappointment, state why you should be reappointed.

I love my community North Greenwood. Ive been a community man all my life. Serving with my churches, habitat for humanity, and american redcross. I feel I can add value to the City of Clearwater and I also have a political science degree. I think my knowledge and wisdom working for people as a retired firefighter/emt and community service made could add tremendous value.

What personal qualifications can you bring to this board or committee?

Retired Firefighter/EMT Political Science degree Board of directors or American Redcross Atlanta Chapter background.

List Community Activities

Volunteer for Habitat for humanity Refuge Clearwater Grace Family Church American Redcross

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Upload a Resume

Demographics

Some boards and commissions require membership to be racially, politically or geographically proportionate to the general public. The following information helps track our recruitment and diversity efforts. (Optional)

Ethnicity

African American

Gender

Male

10/31/1985

Date of Birth

The City of Clearwater strives to promote diversity and provide reasonable accommodations for individuals with disabilities. If you are requesting accommodation, please indicate below:

By clicking on "I Agree," below, I affirm that the information above is true and correct, and that I understand and agree to the responsibilities and commitment of time associated with an appointment to a Clearwater advisory board or committee.

I Agree

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**Director of Corporate Security & Executive Protection Specialist,
Clearwater, FL**

Extremely ambitious, motivated, and confident leader in public safety, corporate security, executive protection, and private chauffeur industry. Enthusiastic about my work and continually seek educational opportunities to ensure stellar protection and optimal service to my clients and principals. Exude positive attitude and energy which gains the confidence of my clients very quickly.

Accomplishments, Skills & Talents:

- Firefighter EMT
- EMT Experience (15+ years)
- Leadership (20+ years)
- Strong background in Corporate Security
- Highly trained in Executive Protection, Defensive & Evasive Driving
- Customer service (20+ years)
- Hospital Experience (15+ years)
- Critical and Creative Thinking
- Keen Situational Awareness
- Calm Demeanor
- Proactive Initiative
- Highly Organized
- Excellent Time Management Skills
- Flexibility and Adaptability within a team environment
- Trauma and Environmental Emergencies
- Computer literate; proficient in Microsoft Office Products
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Strong leadership skills and previous management experience
- Ability to multi tasks in a fast-paced work environment
- Critical infrastructure security operations and incident reporting system
- Alarm management experience
- Ability to travel internationally with US Passport

Work Experience:

January 2020 to Present (As needed basis)

Security Driver & Executive Protection Specialist, Tampa Florida

Owners of the San Francisco 49ers -DeBartolo Family

Private Chauffeur/Security Driver for DeBartolo Family members and the current Chief of the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office on an as needed basis for the last three years.

Achieve and maintain annual training and certification in the areas of medical and protective security operations. Expertise in protection concepts such as risk mitigation, risk assessments, contingency planning, surveillance detection and counter-surveillance. Self-motivated, ability to work without direct supervision, and understand security concepts and theories. Adept at identifying and managing vendors for operations.

Strong command of EP field related technology apps. Soft skills and strong understanding of the customer service side of private sector Executive Protection. Strong collaborative skills, with Estate and Corporate Principal staff Ability to build equity and earn trust with key stakeholders, and work collaboratively with cross-functional teams.

Demonstrated ability to promote a discrete operational coverage model that interfaces with Principals only as needed and understands the expectation to maintain clear professional boundaries. Subject Matter Expertise in Advance operations Tactical driving skills, applied with a chauffeur's approach.

March 2016 to Present

Director of Special Operations & Corporate Security, Domestic & International, Tampa Florida

Private International Company, assigned to the CEO in dual roles both corporate and personal as Executive Protection Specialist, Chauffeur and Personal Liaison to the CEO and their family members.

Gained valuable experience throughout the past 10+ years preventing and mitigating risks through thorough threat analysis serving diverse types of clientele such as Successful Companies, Private Corporations, Billionaires and their family members.

Provided protective escort to various ultra-high net worth individuals, CEOs, C- Suite Executives, Board of Directors, Senior Level Military Personnel, Celebrities, Grammy Award Winning Artists, Super Bowl and Stanley Cup Championship Athletes who reside in the Tampa Bay Area, Entertainers, Motivational Speakers and Prominent Church Pastors management teams have personally requested and contracted me for my close protection services.

Conducted protective advances both foreign and domestic. Conducted site advances (visit and review planned sites to establish arrival/departure points, safe rooms if needed, emergency egress and safety features. Conducted route advances, established primary and secondary vehicle route to include route to hospital for given locations. Pre-drive primary route time permitted and coordinate with principals and team.

Coordinated efforts with staff/administrative personnel regarding run of show, walking routes, etc. Established POC at given locations, with security if available, as well as with federal, state, and local law enforcement. Established POC at U.S. Embassies and Consulates, U.S. Dept of State and available federal law enforcement regarding foreign travel, at given locations.

Coordinated travel safety measures in regions to be visited regarding the protective advances, as well as establishing means of transportation. Prepared and provide/brief CSO and other members of Corp Security team as necessary regarding CEO travel. Assisted the broader corporate security team by providing solution-oriented advice and provide training, guidance, and leadership to team members.

Austin Joseph

Work Experience Continued:

Built and maintained lasting internal and external business relationships with executives and their administrative staff. Collaborated with safety and security partners at the local, state, and federal law enforcement levels. Conducted corporate security, travel arrangements, and route planning for C-Suite Executives. Worked closely with private and corporate aircraft pilots and flight crews at numerous FBOs.

Executed large-scale events with venue management, personnel, and meeting/event teams to ensure effective Executive Protection throughout various enterprises. Consistent record of continuous professional development in aviation, business, finance, economics, legal, and public safety. Continually seeking professional training in Executive Protection, Tactical and Weapons training and Martial Arts.

Ability to collaborate with other trusted Corporate and Executive Protection Specialists, Former FBI Special Agents, Former Secret Service Agents, Federal, State and Local Law Enforcement Agencies, and trusted security companies to tailor protection solutions to benefit each client.

Education:

- April 2021 - International Executive Protection LLC in Executive Protection and Gun Takeaway, Clearwater, Florida
- March 2017 - LaSorsa & Associates (Former Secret Service Agent Instructor) Executive Protection School, Miami Florida. Executive Protection & Defensive and Evasive Driving School
- May 2015 - B.A. in Political Science Georgia State University - Atlanta, GA

Certifications and Licenses

- EMT Certification
- CPR Certification
- Executive Protection and Evasive Driving Certifications
- Class D & G Security License
- Florida Driver's License
- Licensed to carry weapon

Groups Community Service and Accomplishments

- 25 years of community service experience serving the non-profit sector, as a representative with the American Red Cross
- Atlanta Police Athletic League
- Atlanta Habitat for Humanity
- Pinellas and West Pasco Habitat for Humanity
- Tampa Bay Harvest
- Ronald McDonald House Tampa
- Grace Family Church Tampa Bay
- The Refuge Church of Clearwater and the Public Safety Sector
- Served as a Coach and Volunteer for youth and fellow boxers for Fire, EMS, and Police Department
- PALs Guns and Hoses Annual Event for the Mayors Cup
- Ambassador/Spokesperson for Atlanta Habitat for Humanity - Volunteer and Annual Donor

Awards

Professional Awards

- Recipient of Region III Cares Award May 16, 2012, for successful resuscitation on a cardiac arrest patient
- Recipient of Region III Excellence in Trauma Care Award May 17, 2011, for successful resuscitation of a gunshot wound victim in serious traumatic arrest

References Provided Upon Request