

RESUME

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Born June 27, 1945. Married to Nikki, two children.

EDUCATION:

Graduated from South High School, Columbus – 1963
Attended Ohio State University
Graduated from Market Training Institute, Electronics – 1964
Completed four year apprenticeship training with the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers – 1969

EMPLOYMENT BACKGROUND:

February 1984 to present: Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Columbus/Central Ohio Building and Construction Trades Council
1978-1984: Business Representative for Electrical Workers Local 683, Columbus
1969-1978: Journeyman Electrician; foreman, superintendent, and steward on various jobs
1980 through 1991: Canal Winchester Village council member, elected position.
1988 through 1991, President of Council. Past Chairman of the Police Commission; past member and Chairman of the Planning and Zoning Commission. Served on Canal Winchester Board of Public Affairs before being elected to Council, reappointed in January 1992.
1992-1994: President of Board of Public Affairs.

ACTIVITIES:

Member of the Columbus-Franklin County AFL-CIO Executive Board- Trustee
Member of the Ohio State Building Trades Council Executive board; Vice President at Large; Finance Committee; Education Committee
Member of the Ohio Consumers' Council Governing Board, appointed by Attorney General and confirmed by the Ohio Legislature
Member of the Rickenbacker Port Authority Board of Directors; Personnel Committee Chair
Member of the Central Ohio Transit Authority Board
Member of the Community Services Committee, United Way of Franklin County
Member of the Private Industry Council Board of Directors

Member of the Workforce Investment Act board
Past member of the Columbus Urban League Advisory Committee
Past member of the Friends of the Homeless Board of Directors
Past member of the Governor's Labor Advisory Council
Past member of Governor's Human Resource Advisory Council
Past member of the Ohio Hunger Task Force board of Directors
Past member of the Ohio Parks and Recreation Council
Member of the Canal Winchester Sertoma; past president and secretary
Past member of the Canal Winchester Chamber of Commerce
Personal interests include restoring classic cars and gardening