

AREA COMMISSION APPOINTMENT FORM

The Department of Neighborhoods maintains the database for the Area Commission members in the City of Columbus. The information on this form is used to process the Mayor’s appointment and ensure timely and accurate distribution of meeting notices, training opportunities, and other City activities. **Please complete all sections of the form with information about your recently elected/appointed commissioner within seven (7) days of the election/appointment. After completing and signing this form, please return it, along with the appointees resume and/or biography to your Neighborhood Liaison via email.** Please contact your Neighborhood Liaison with any questions or comments.

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Area Commission Name	Near East Area Commission (NEAC)	
Please check appropriate box	New appointment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reappointment <input type="checkbox"/>	Are there changes to this information? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
First Name	Eric	
Last Name	Hutchison	
Title (i.e. officer / commissioner)	Commissioner	
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State	Ohio	
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District/Designation	District 1 B	
Term Start Date	7/1/2020	
Term Expiration	6/30/2023	
Seat Succession	Dana Moessner	

Area Commission Chair Signature Kathleen D. Bailey

*****ALL SECTIONS OF THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED*****

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ERIC F. HUTCHISON

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SENIOR LEVEL PRODUCT / OPERATIONS / DESIGN MANAGEMENT

Focused, dedicated and bottom-line driven leader supported by accomplished and progressive experience in high-volume manufacturing, technical, engineering and production environments.

Expertise driving **operational improvements** and **technology innovation** to consistently drive measurable results in **revenue improvements**, **cost management** and **workforce productivity** through expert strategic planning and operating management strengths. Highly skilled in all aspects of **organizational management**, **team building**, **multi-project management**, **continued process improvement**, **technical global sales support** and **quality control**.

Hold **Six Sigma Certification**; classically trained in **Electrical Engineering**. Easily assume control of multiple assignments while improving productivity during corporate change and operational restructuring efforts.

AREAS OF STRENGTH

- Client Management
- Lean Manufacturing
- JIT / MRP Strategies
- Project Management
- Organizational Dynamics
- Policies / Procedure Develop.
- Productivity Improvement
- Workflow Management
- Quality Control
- P&L Management
- Program Development
- Recruiting / Staffing

COMMUNITY SERVICE HISTORY

- Near East Area Commission** October 2018 to Present
attended most general body meetings as an interested citizen
- NEAC Zoning Committee** 2019 to Present
District 1 community member
- The Ohio State University and Otterbein University** 2019 to Present
Lead Grote Company Engineering mentoring programs
- New Life Presbyterian Church** 1993 to 2001
Led or supported various community outreach programs, including Thanksgiving meals, home repair, financial

CAREER HISTORY

GROTE COMPANY – Gahanna, OH 2019 to Present
\$50M central Ohio, family-owned food slicing and assembly equipment manufacturing organization. Started by and managed by the family that started and manages Donatos. Five operating locations (three in the US, one in the UK and one in India).

ENGINEERING MANAGER

Manage the R&D and design teams of seven direct personnel and an engineering partner

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LIQUI-BOX – Worthington, OH

1999 to 2019

\$200M manufacturing organization for consumables, equipment, and systems with Columbus Ohio family-owned roots. Has sales offices throughout the world and seven operating locations (five in the US, one in the UK and one in China). Olympus Partners acquired Liqui-Box in 2015 from Sterling Group, who acquired Liqui-Box from Dupont in 2011.

EQUIPMENT APPLICATIONS MANAGER (2015 to present)

Technical sales, product management, training, and support of marketing team for all filling equipment. Responsible for all "front end" activity for equipment. Report to Vice President of Equipment. Nearly 100% customer facing with consumables sales team at any opportunity that included equipment.

GLOBAL PRODUCT SUPPORT AND EQUIPMENT MANAGER (2009 to 2015)

Product management for all filling equipment focused on supporting marketing team. Charged with managing support and deployment of all equipment utilized to provide capacity for consumption of company's consumables at customer sites. Report to Vice President of Equipment and oversee product support and design teams, with three-member product support team providing additional support to service, parts, sales and design team; design team consists of one manager, three project engineers and one designer.

FILLER OPERATIONS MANAGER (2008 to 2009)

Accountable for maintaining commercial equipment and managing nine employees in a multi-functional team that added assemblers.

ENGINEERING MANAGER (2006 to 2008)

Managed all design projects for equipment and a team of seven multifunctional employees in electrical and mechanical activities.

ENGINEERING PROJECT MANAGER (2001 to 2006)

Managed diverse assigned projects with values ranging from \$20K to \$500K and served on teams charged with completing projects ranging up to \$1M.

DESIGNER (1999 to 2001)

Worked for Project Managers on diverse assigned projects with values ranging from \$20K to \$1M.

Early Career Progression

Eastern Engineering & Associates – Easton, Pennsylvania (1993 to 1999)

Contractor – Liqui-Box, Fuller Corporation, Brooks Corporation, Victaulic, Ingersoll Rand and Cooper Industries

EDUCATION

University of Phoenix – **Master of Business Administration: concentration in Marketing**

University of Phoenix - **Bachelor of Science in Management: emphasis in Engineering**

Ohio State University - **Electrical Engineering curriculum toward BS degree**

Lafayette College, Easton, PA - **Electrical Engineering curriculum toward BS degree**

Northampton Community College, Bethlehem, PA - **AS in Engineering**