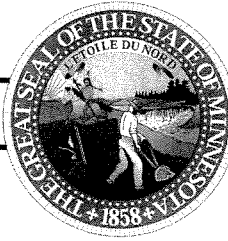


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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

BONNIE BLESKACHEK

3608 Clinton Avenue South
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55409
County of Hennepin
Congressional District Five

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Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment and ability, I have appointed and commissioned you to have and to hold the said office of: President of the Senate

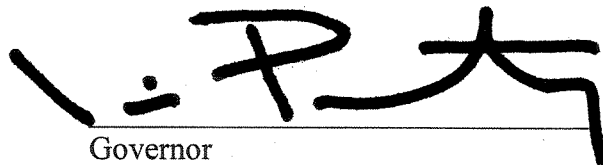
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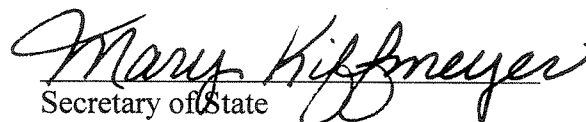
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Term Expires: January 7, 2008

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, March 4, 2004.



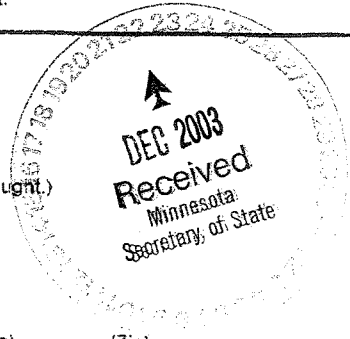

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Replacing: Michael Guthrie

STATE OF MINNESOTA
OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY

All information on this form is available to the public upon request.



Agency Name: * **Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board**
 (Name of board, council, commission or task force to which you are applying.)

Position Sought: **Active Fire Fighter Position**
 (Membership position sought or enter "member" if no specific requirements exist for position sought.)

Applicant Name: * **Bonnie Bleskachek**
 (First Name) (Last Name)

Applicant Address: * **3608 Clinton Ave S Minneapolis Minnesota 55409**
 (Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Day Phone: * (612) 670-2391 Evening Phone: (612) 670-2391

E-MAIL: *bonnie.bleskachek@ci.minneapolis.mn.us

County: Hennepin MN House of Rep District: 61 B U.S. House of Rep District: 5

* Indicates information that will appear on the Office of the Secretary of State web site: www.sos.state.mn.us

Did the Appointing Authority suggest you submit your application? YES _____ NO X

Any other information the Nominating Person feels would be helpful to the Appointing Authority:

I have been a member of the Minneapolis Fire Department for 15 years serving as a fire fighter, captain and now as a battalion chief. Emergency medical service constitutes 80% of the emergency service Minneapolis Fire provides to the citizens and as such is a critical component of our future. I have been participated in a number of committees within the department, the city, and on a national level looking at the future of the fire service and emergency medicine. I am very interested in participating on this board and feel I provide a solid base of committee participation as well as a fresh perspective.
 (Statement may continue on reverse or attached sheets)

I swear that, to the best of my knowledge, the above information is correct and that I satisfy all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

Bonnie Bleskachek 12-20-2003
 (Signature of Applicant)* (Date)

* If another person or group is nominating the applicant, the applicant's signature indicates consent to nomination

OPTIONAL STATISTICAL INFORMATION

The following information is optional and voluntary. Information is collected for, and compiled in, the annual report on the open appointments process pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* §15.0597.

Sex: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male	Political Party: <input type="checkbox"/> Democratic-Farmer-Labor <input type="checkbox"/> Green <input type="checkbox"/> Independence <input type="checkbox"/> Republican <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No party preference	Race*: <input type="checkbox"/> African American / Black <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian / Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Other Race _____
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National Origin: _____ (* Select as many as apply)
 (Country of Origin or Principle Tribe)

MAIL, FAX, OR SUBMIT APPLICATION IN PERSON, TO:

Office of the Secretary of State, Open Appointments
 180 State Office Building
 100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd
 St. Paul, MN 55155-1299

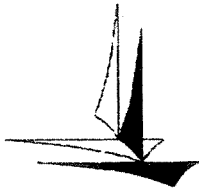
FAX: (651) 296-9073
 Phone: (651) 297-5845
 Email: open.appointments@state.mn.us

Applicants will not receive an acknowledgement of submitted applications; the appointing authority will notify you if an interview is desired. By request, this application will be made available in alternative format (for example, braille, large print, audio tape, or computer disk.)

FOR OFFICE USE: Sub by AA: _____ AA: governor Trans Date: 12-24-03

cc: EMSRB

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Rocco Forté
Fire Chief

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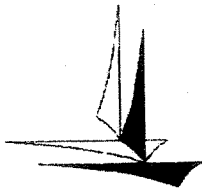
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Public Official Information

Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board

Name: Bleskachek, Bonnie
 Occupation: Fire Chief
 Business: Room 230
 Address: 350 S 5th ST
 Minneapolis, MN 55415

Employer Name: City of Minneapolis

Appointment Date: 03/09/04

Sources of Compensation

Applicable categories

Name of Source	Director	Officer	Owner	Member	Partner	Employer	Employee	Honorarium
City of Minneapolis							X	

Securities

Name of Securities

- Alliance Bernstein Growth Funds A & B
- Alliance Bernstein International Value Fund
- Alliance Bernstein New Europe Funds A & B
- Alliance Bernstein Technology Fund
- Dodge and Cox Fund
- Equitable Equivest Traditional IRA
- Equitable Roth IRA
- Fidelity Diversified International Fund
- Fidelity VIP Contrafund
- ING VP Index Plus Large Cap
- Janus Aspen Worldwide Portfolio
- Janus Twenty Fund
- SIF Common Stock
- Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Plus

Real Property

None Reported

Pari-Mutuel Horse Racing Interests

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