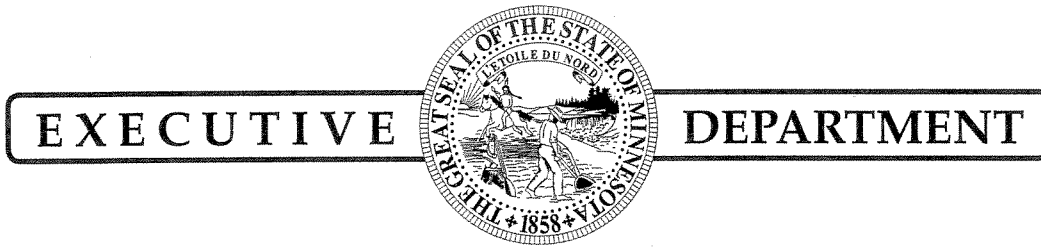


STATE of MINNESOTA



TIM PAWLENTY
GOVERNOR

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

MARY IVES

973 Northeast 4th Street
Grand Rapids, Minnesota 55744
County of Itasca
Congressional District Eight

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:

Member

**MINNESOTA HIGHER EDUCATION FACILITIES
AUTHORITY**

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Effective: May 13, 2008
Term Expires: January 2, 2012

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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it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.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, May 8, 2008.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tim Pawlenty', written over a horizontal line.

Governor

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark Ritchie', written over a horizontal line.

Secretary of State

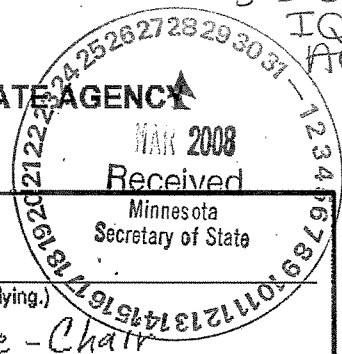
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STATE OF MINNESOTA
OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY

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



Agency Name: * MN Higher Education Facilities Authority
 (Name of board, council, commission or task force to which you are applying.)

Position Sought: Member Renewal - Currently Vice-Chair
 (Membership position sought or enter "member" if no specific requirements exist for position sought.)

Applicant Name: * MARY F IVES
 (First Name) (Last Name)

Preferred Mailing Address: * 973 NE 4th Street GRAND RAPIDS MN 55744
 (Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Work Phone: * (218) 326-6098 Home Phone: (218) 326-8750

E-MAIL: * mary.mirealty@mehsi.com

County: ITASCA MN House of Rep District: 3B U.S. House of Rep District: 8
 * Indicates information that will appear on the Office of the Secretary of State web site: www.sos.state.mn.us

Have you ever been convicted of a felony: Yes No

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

Please attach a current resume or a biographical statement containing work history, education, community activities, etc., and any other information the Applicant or Nominating Person feels would be helpful to the Appointing Authority.

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: Female Male
 Political Party: Democratic-Farmer-Labor Independence Republican Other _____
 Disability: Yes No No party preference _____

Race*: African American / Black
 American Indian / Alaska Native
 Asian
 Hispanic
 Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander
 White
 Other Race _____

National Origin: _____ (* Select as many as apply)
 (Country of Origin or Principle Tribe)

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.

Mary F Ives March 3, 2008
 (Signature of Applicant) (Date)

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

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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

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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: 3-5-08

Mary F. Ives
973 NE 4th Street, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
Office (218) 326 - 6098 mary.mirealty@mchsi.com

Personal Information

Mary F. Ives is a self-employed business woman working in the housing, commercial development and lodging industry. She is dedicated to healthy communities and is involved in leadership positions with many professional, civic and community organizations. She is a registered nurse, a real estate agent, and a graduate of advanced training with the Blandin Foundation Leadership Program. She has held elected positions on District 47 School Board and the Itasca County Board of Commissioners. She and her husband, Michael, live in Grand Rapids. They have two married children, Michelle and Mike Jr., who have blessed them with three grandchildren.

Work Related Responsibilities, Skills and Capabilities

- * Analyze and recommend staff re-organizations
- * Manage the recruitment, hiring and training plans for key managers
- * Coordinate the continuing education for leadership teams
- * Develop procedure and personnel manuals with supporting forms
- * Provide counsel on regulatory enforcement and collection strategies
- * Establish and maintain financial controls and growth projections
- * Coordinate planning for annual and long-range goals and objectives
- * Recommend, update and monitor marketing materials

Management Experience

- * Operate manufactured housing communities which currently lease land to 2000 residents in the St of MN, manage the 60 maintenance, sales and office personnel, and maintain the accounting office which handles payroll, accounts payable and budget management functions (1965 to present)
- * Design, build and furnish multiple lodging facilities in a four state region. Provide consulting services for FFE purchasing, training services for management teams, and direct supervision for two facilities (1990 to present)
- * Owned and managed AM & FM Radio Stations, a Quick Print Center, a Housing Sales Center, and a Transport Business (1978- 1988)
- * Development Department Director at St. Cloud Hospital – responsible for fund raising, volunteer programs, Coffee and Gift Shop, Information Desk, Meals on Wheels, Reach to Recovery Program, Same Day Surgery Staffing and Continuing Education Services for Nursing Staff (1968-1978)

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Education/ Training

- * Graduate of St. Joseph Academy and St. John's Mercy Medical Center School of Nursing, St. Louis, MO
- * Current Real Estate license with St of MN
- * Blandin Leadership Program Alumna
- * Student at College of St. Scholastica in Management Degree Program

Current Volunteer Leadership and Boardmanship Experience

- * Board of Trustees for the College of St. Scholastic
- * Chair of the Grand Village Nursing Home Board of Directors
- * Chair of the North Homes Inc. Board of Directors
- * Chair of the Design Committee for St. Joseph School new facility
- * Secretary of the MN Higher Education Facilities Authority Board
- * Member of the MN State Board of Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, Landscape Architecture, Geosciences, and Interior Design
- * Member of the Grand Rapids Library Foundation Board
- * Member of the Reif Performing Arts Center Board of Directors
- * Member & Past Chair of the Centennial Rotary Board
- * Member & Past Chair of the MN Manufactured Housing Association
- * Member of the Advisory Committee for New Spirit Women's clinic
- * Member of the Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce
- * Member of the Itasca Historical Society
- * Member of the Itasca County Housing Coalition and IEDC Housing Task Force

Former Leadership Involvements

- Chair of South Central Itasca County Intergovernmental Planning Board
- Chair of Health and Human Service Board for Itasca County
- Chair of the Focus 96 Council for Community Action for Education
- Co-Chair of the United Way of 1000 Lakes Community Campaign
- Director on the Itasca Development Corporation Board
- Director on the Northland Foundation Board
- Director on the NE Minnesota Entrepreneur Fund Board
- Director on the Itasca Medical Center Foundation Board
- Past Chair of the Itasca Community Television Board of Directors
- Co-Chair of the Association of MN Counties Affordable Housing Task Force
- Member of the Itasca Community College Advisory Council
- Chairperson of the Judy Garland Festival Parade

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Hobbies and Interests:

Fishing, Snowmobiling, Interior Design, Gardening and Working with People