

# STATE of MINNESOTA



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## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

President of the Senate

**JAMES KITTELSON**

572 First Avenue  
Wanamingo, Minnesota 55983  
County of Goodhue  
Congressional District One

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:

### **RESIDENTIAL PLUMBING CONTRACTOR MEMBER**


### **PLUMBING BOARD**


Effective: January 1, 2011  
Term Expires: December 31, 2013

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it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.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, December 20, 2010.



  
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Governor

  
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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, COUNCILS, COMMISSIONS or TASK FORCES

All information on this form is available to the public upon request.  
By request, this application will be made available in alternative format (for example, braille, large print, audio tape, or computer disk.)

Agency Name: Plumbing Board  
Position Sought: Residential Plumbing Contr.  
(Membership position sought or enter "member" if no specific requirements exist for position sought.)

Applicant Name: James Bittelson  
Preferred Mailing Address: 572 1st Ave Waukegan, MN 55987  
(City) (State) (Zip)

E-MAIL: BittelsonPH@sonotier.net  
Work Phone: (612) 756-1081  
Home Phone: (507) 824-3276

County: Goodhue U.S. House of Rep District: 1  
Have you ever been convicted of a felony: Yes     No X  
Did the Appointing Authority suggest you submit your application? Yes X No    

Part III: 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 MN Stat §15.0697

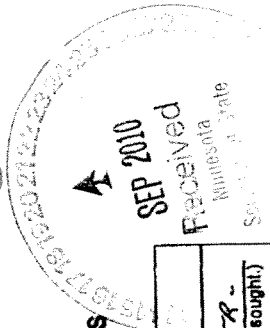
Sex: Female  Male   
Age: 60  
Disability: Yes  No   
Political Party: Democratic-Farmer-Labor   
Independence   
Republican   
No Party Preference   
Other   
Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin? Yes  No   
Race: White   
American Indian or Alaska Native   
Asian Indian   
Black, African Am., or Negro   
Chinese   
Guamanian or Chamorro   
Filipino   
Korean   
Japanese   
Native Hawaiian   
Samoan   
Vietnamese   
Other Asian   
Other Pacific Islander   
Other Race

Part IV: Signature and Submittal Instructions

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.  
Signature: [Signature] Date: Sept 19-2010

MAIL FAX, OR SUBMIT APPLICATION IN PERSON, TO:  
Office of the Secretary of State, Open Appointments  
160 State Office Building  
100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd  
St. Paul, MN 55155-1299  
FAX: (651) 296-9073  
Phone: (651) 556-0543  
Email: [open.appointments@state.mn.us](mailto:open.appointments@state.mn.us)  
Applicants will not receive an acknowledgment of submitted applications; the appointing authority will notify you if an interview is desired.

Governor  
09/22/2010



**James Kittelson**

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**Experience**

- 1991 to present. Owner - Kittelson Plumbing and Heating, Inc. Wanamingo, Minnesota
  - Install, repair, replace all aspects of plumbing, heating, and air conditioning in residential and small commercial buildings
  - Employed and supervised five employees
  - Trained and developed 2 journey men in plumbing
- 1976 to 1991. Manager/Technician - Plumbing and Heating Department Cenex, Wanamingo, Minnesota
  - Managed and installed all aspects of plumbing, heating, and air conditioning in residential and light commercial buildings
- 1975 to 1976. Technician - Hirsch's Well and Pump Service, Zumbrota, Minnesota
  - Installed plumbing for wells for residential buildings
- Licenses
  - Master Plumber. License #5369PM
  - Building Official Limited. #2720
  - Freon Recovery Type I,II, IV

**Education**

- Rochester Community College
- Jackson Area Vocational School - Plumbing and Heating Associates Degree

**Continuing Education**

- Highlights of Minnesota Building Codes
- Building Official Limited
- Prep Class for Plumbing Exam
- Wirsbo Aquapex Certification
- Gastite Qualified Installer
- Short Course Advanced Refrigeration
- 401A Freon Certification

*Organizations*

- Wanamingo Economic Development Association
  - President - 2000 to present
- Wanamingo Fire and Rescue
  - Chief - 1992-1994
  - First Responder - 1992 to present
- Minneola Lutheran Church Council
  - President 1997-2000
- Wanamingo Commercial Club
- Wanamingo Honor Guard
- VFW - lifetime member
- US Marine Corp. 1969-1971

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