



## CITY COUNCIL APPOINTMENT APPLICATION FORM

Name: Jerry Westholder
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Telephone Numbers: Home 951-378-6659 Office 951-845-1366
If employed, where you work and position: Highland Springs Fellowship, Lead Pastor
Length of residence in Banning 13.5 yrs.
Are you a registered voter in Banning? Yes X No
The information requested below will be used to assist the City Council with their selection process.
1. Biographical sketch, including education, work experience, civic involvement and other background relevant to duties of the position you seek: (If preferred, resume may be attached.)
Please see attached resumé.
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2. How many City Council meetings have you attended or observed in the last year?  I have lived in the city and have been very active and involved for over 13 yrs. Whereby I have attended and participated in numerous city council meetings, 3. Please provide in the space below, your reasons for wanting to serve on the City Council.
I have been asked by several prominent citizens to run. I desire only to be a public. Servant and
help our city and its citizens. I plan to represent their needs and interests to the best of my ability.
4. Please identify 3-5 public issues facing the Council and explain how you feel they might be resolved: (use additional sheet of paper if necessary)
* Police Dept I see this as a major issue. I believe  That by working together, we can re-vamp and have a quality dept. I do have a plan that I would be happy to share with you.
* Parks and recreation - We are losing too many Children and too much money to our peighboring city. Our Master Plan must have a phase in place for immediate
implementation as money is made available. (over)
Please return your completed application to:  City Clerk's Office/ City of Banning 99 E. Ramsey Street P. O. Box 998 Banning, CA 92220
Application forms must be returned by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday Nov. 7, 2013.
Date: 10/23/13 Signed:

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4. \* Working with residents and businesses to bring about workable solutions for expanding our City and making us look attractive to outside investors.

### Jerry W. Westholder

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#### **QUALIFICATIONS**

My strengths lie in my communication skills and my ability to work with people. I am a great people person. I am a motivator of people and have the ability to assess a situation or person and come up with a workable solution. I believe in being a team player, and because of this I am able to follow directions well. I believe in the chain of command, so I can give direction as well as follow it.

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#### **EDUCATION**

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	Master Level Police Chaplain International Conference Police Chaplains
April 2005	Critical Incident Stress Management: Basic UMBC Professional Education & Training
	Baltimore, Maryland
April 2005	Advanced Critical Incident Stress Management, The Counseling Team International
March 2004	Certificate of Completion; Post Level II Riverside Sheriff's Academy
March 2003	Certificate of Attendance for Continuing Education for Police Chaplain; International
	Conference Police Chaplains
Sept. 2002	Certificate of Completion; Riverside County Sheriff's Dept.; Basic Chaplain Academy
Aug. 2001	Certificate of Completion; Level III, Pt. 2; Riverside Sheriff's Academy
Feb. 2001	Certificate of Completion; Level III, Pt. 1; Riverside Sheriff's Academy
1998-2000	AMA Classes - Human Resources and the Law
1991	Training in Crisis Response Team; L.A.P.D.
1989	Advance Police Chaplain School, L.A.P.D. Academy
1986-Present	Continued Education
	Glendale City College; Glendale, CA
	Global University; Springfield, MO
	Riverside Community College; Riverside, CA
1977-1980	Diploma in Pastoral Ministries; Christian Life School of the Bible; 5950 Spring Creek Road
•	Rockford, Illinois 61114

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

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2000-present Senior Pastor; Highland Springs Fellowship, formaly known as Banning First Assembly of God; 5297 W. Wilson; Banning, California 92220
 Responsible for preaching Sunday morning and evening services, Sunday school, Wednesday evening; Bible studies, discipleship, counseling. Staff of 5, congregation of 100. Wrote and implanted church policy; made sure ministries were compliant with Federal and State law

Rockford Junior Collage; Rockford, Illinois 61114

Completed Junior Executive Training Program through Edison Brothers Retail Company.

2009-present Chaplain for Beaumont Police Dept. 660 Orange Ave. Beaumont Ca. 92223; Wrote and implemented Chaplain program for said dept.; responsible for ministering to police officers and their families as well as other duties as assigned

2007-present Surrogate for Banning Unified School District; 161 Williams, Banning Ca. 92220.

Primary duty is to serve as a surrogate parent for children who are wards of the state to make sure their educational needs are met.

2008-2010 Instructor for Global University Catalyst Program South Hills Community Church Corona Ca.

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- Human Resource Director; Road Ranger Enterprise; 333 E. State St.; Rockford Illinois 61104
  Responsible for all hiring of employees, background checks, writing policy manual and
  employee hand book, creating and enforcing a uniform policy, created a training program for
  managers and new employees, developed and instituted a 401K program, oversaw an
  insurance program, and unemployment claims. Made sure all stores were compliant with
  federal, state, and local employment laws. Created and instituted company newsletter; wrote
  job descriptions; conducted Sexual Harassment Investigations.
- 1992-1998 Senior Pastor, Metro Christian Center; 607 Walnut St. Rockford Illinois 61104
  Responsible for preaching Sunday morning and evening services, Sunday school, Wednesday evening Bible studies, discipleship, counseling. Men's Ministry, at inner city church, overseer of a soup kitchen staff of 3, Congregation of 150. Wrote and implemented church policy. Head of staff and made sure ministries were compliant with Federal and State laws.
- Vice-Principle/Bible Teacher; Pacific Christian High School; 625 Coleman Ave. Los Angeles, Ca 90042

  Responsible for discipline of students at junior/senior high school; taught 9th -12th grade Bible classes including New Testament Studies, Old Testament Studies, Church History, and Ethics; assisted in spring break mission trip to Mexico; taught weightlifting, conditioning, Asst. Coach football, (defense), girl's softball; Chauffeurs license to drive the bus.
- 1987 1990 Associate pastor at Calvary Chapel Assembly of God; 5375 Poplar Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90032; In this position I was responsible for the youth and young married couples. Primary duties were preaching and teaching.
- 1985-1992 Chaplain, Los Angeles Police Department
  Part-time position, responsible for ministering to policemen, trained in crisis intervention.
- 1982-1988 Executive Director of Christian Challenge Center; 121 N. Avenue 53. Los Angeles, CA 90042. As CEO, I was responsible for the administration and management of all personnel and programs encompassed in this organization. The primary duties were public speaking, counseling, budgeting, policy-making, management and operating a youth drop-in center.
- 1981-1982 Minister of youth at Twin Palms Assembly of God; 3535 Clayton Road, San Jose, CA 95116 As the Youth Minister, I was responsible for Bible studies, Sunday School, and the development of the youth program.
- 1979-1982 Assistant Manager for Edison Brothers Shoe Co.; 148 Eastridge Center, San Jose, CA 95122.

  As a Junior Executive, I was responsible for personnel, opening and closing the store, and selling shoes.
- 1978-1979 Laborer for Huber Palettes; 1607 Michigan Avenue, Rockford, IL 61102. My primary duty was constructing palettes.
- 1978-1979 Child Advocate for Illinois Department of Children and Family Services; 4302 N. Main Street, Rockford, IL 61103. My primary duty was to counsel troubled youth.
- 1974-1975 United States Marine Corps; Discharged General under Honorable Conditions when South Viet Nam surrendered. Worked as a radio operator for artillery. Executive officers driver, radio operator, and battery recorder.

#### Other

Dec 2005 Chief's Commendation; Chief Horton Banning Police Dept.

Dec 2005 Humanitarian Service Award, Chief Horton Banning Police Dept.

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# References

Sr. Investigator Jeff Perry, San Bernardino County, District Attorney 4295 Evergreen Lane Banning, CA 92220 (951)906-9245

Sr. Investigator Tony Ellis, San Bernardino County, District Attorney 13260 Central Ave. Chino, CA 91710 (909)477-1028

Rev. Daniel Wilderman Southern California District of the Assemblies of God 17951 Cowan Irvine, CA 92614 (949)252-8400

Dr. Richard Riesen 236 East Walnut Ave. Unit D Monrovia, CA 91016

Mr. Dan Arnold President R.E.O.P.C.O. / Ranger Enterprises 333 E. State St. Rockford Illinois 61104 (815)961-1700