



Town of Hinesburg, Vermont  
Application form for Town Commission, Board, and Committee Appointments

Please supply answers to the following. The Town will provide access to a computer and printer for any applicant for the purpose of completing this form.

Name of Applicant: Kyle Bostwick Date: 10/12/16

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Name of Commission, Board, or Committee: Recreation

Hinesburg Resident:  Y  N (circle one)

10 years in Feb '17

Hinesburg Resident for how long?      / NA

- 1) Review the Mission Statement of the Commission, Board, or Committee you are applying to serve on and explain how you will aid the group achieve said Mission. *As a resident, I see it of great importance for both athletic & instructional events to be a part of everyone's life. My background in planning & event mgmt will help*
- 2) Please share your thoughts about implementation of at least two of the Top Priority Goals and the goals of the Recommendations in the latest Town Plan (Section 9, page 75), as it relates to the Commission, Board, or Commission on which you are applying to serve. *I have extensive background knowledge of creation & up keep of recreation fields. I hope to bring this knowledge to the planning & maintenance phases of existing + future RC assets.*
- 3) Review the scheduled meeting day/time of the Commission, Board, or Committee along with the length of the term of the position. Will you be able to regularly make the meetings?:  Y  N Will you be able to serve for the term of the position?  Y  N
- 4) Please introduce yourself to the Selectboard by providing a short cover letter and/or a resume.

My name is Kyle Bostwick, almost, ten year resident of Hinesburg. A native Vermonter, I grew up in St. Albans and graduated from Lyndon State College. Over the past 23 years, I have been fortunate to work in the world of Minor League Baseball. Starting in 1994 as an intern, I was named General Manager of the Vermont Expos in 1996, the youngest GM in professional baseball. After proudly serving in this role for four seasons, I became the General Manager of the Ottawa Lynx, playing in the Triple A International League. While in Ottawa, I guided the ballclub to the first increases in attendance in franchise history, including a 30% increase during our first full season. I was proud to be a part of the United Way Ottawa Small Business of the Year in 2002, while also serving as an inaugural member of the Algonquin College Sports Management Advisory Board.

I was incredibly lucky to meet my wife Erin while in Ottawa, both our daughters were born in Ottawa, before moving south in 2007, to raise our family.

I rejoined the Vermont ballclub and have been the Vice President since returning, where our goal is to create lifetime memories for those in attendance each night we open the gates.

Outside of work, I have been a volunteer coach in the Hinesburg Recreation Basketball program for five seasons, coached softball in the Shelburne Little League, served as a member of the Burlington Business Association's Educational Committee, volunteered on the Bissonette Field Fundraising committee, and served as a Hinesburg Planning Commission member for 5 plus years.

We found a home in Hinesburg and have lived in Creekside since 2007. Both of our daughters attend Hinesburg Community School and we are proud to call Hinesburg our home.

I thank you for considering me to join the Recreation Commission. I was fortunate to be selected to join the Hinesburg Planning Commission in 2010, and served for 5 plus years. I promise to fulfill the same obligations as a Commission member if selected again as a member of the Recreation Commission.