

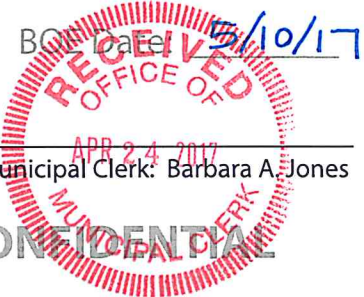


# Municipal Board of Ethics

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## CONFIDENTIAL Request for Advisory Opinion CONFIDENTIAL

Anchorage Municipal Code: Chapter 1.15 **CODE OF ETHICS**, AMC 1.15.080 *Advisory Opinions*

(A) A current or former employee, current or former appointed member of any municipal authority, current or former elected official, or current candidate for municipal office or employment may request written advice regarding the applicability and interpretation of this chapter in a particular situation involving the inquirer.

1. In any later proceeding involving the inquirer, the inquirer is entitled to rely on the advice of the board, and may not be sanctioned for acting in compliance with the board's advice, so long as the facts remain substantially unchanged from those represented to the board in the inquiry.
2. **A request for advice under 1.15.080A is confidential, unless confidentiality is waived by the person requesting an advisory opinion.**

(B) The board may also accept a request for an advisory opinion on a matter referred to the board by the municipal clerk, the municipal ombudsman, or the municipal attorney.

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In accordance with AMC 1.15, I am requesting interpretation and applicability of the following section of the Municipal Code of Ethics: 1.15.020

The situation is:

*I was asked if I would register as an advisor with a company named "Guidepoint Global Advisors" because of my experience as a marine port executive. As a government employee, however, I need permission to do so. Also, there is compensation that I am free to refuse, accept, or direct to be donated to a 501(c)(3). I'd like to know my options here as well. Part of the application process involved taking their conflict of interest primer. Do I have an unmanageable conflict of interest?*

I affirm to the best of my knowledge that my statement is true, correct, and complete. I understand Board of Ethics Advisory Opinions are required to be posted on the Municipal website (AMC 1.15.080C.)

<input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>Waive Confidentiality</b>	<input type="radio"/> <b>I Request Confidentiality</b>
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