



Municipal Board of Ethics

#: 2023-05

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Meeting Date: _____

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Municipal Clerk: Jamie Heinz

CONFIDENTIAL Request for an Advisory Opinion CONFIDENTIAL

Anchorage Municipal Code: Chapter 1.15 CODE OF ETHICS, AMC 1.15.150 Advisory Opinions.

- A. Current, former, or potential **public servant** may request an advisory opinion regarding the applicability and interpretation of this chapter related to actions, rights, or conflict personal to the inquirer.
- B. The municipal clerk, the municipal ombudsman, and the municipal attorney may request an advisory opinion from the board of ethics regarding the applicability and interpretation of this chapter.
- C. 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.
- D. **A request for advice is confidential** unless confidentiality is waived by the person requesting an advisory opinion.

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<input type="radio"/> Former	<input type="radio"/> Member	<input type="radio"/> Municipal Attorney
<input type="radio"/> Potential	<input type="radio"/> Elected Official	<input type="radio"/> Municipal Ombudsman

AMC 1.15.030D. **Public Servants** - all persons within the scope of this code, including employees, board members, and elected

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

Please describe your request:

(Attach separate sheets as necessary.)

<input type="radio"/> Waive Confidentiality	<input type="radio"/> I Request Confidentiality
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I understand that advisory opinions are required to be posted on the Municipal Website. The Board shall make sufficient deletions to prevent disclosure of the persons who have requested anonymity. AMC 1.15.150F. **I affirm to the best of my knowledge that my statement is true, correct, and complete.**

View [Board Policy Memo](#) for more information regarding Board of Ethics policy on Request for Advisory Opinion.

Signature of Requestor: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____ Phone Number: () - _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

From: [Marcus](#)
To: [Armstrong, James R.](#)
Cc: [Max](#); [Agnes Lee](#)
Subject: RE: Invitation to Present at the Water Korea Show 2024 and PPI Plant Tour
Date: Wednesday, September 13, 2023 11:38:51 AM

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Dear James,

I do hope you have been well. I know Max is working on getting in contact with the list you gave us.

We here at PPI America, Inc are cordially inviting you to be our honored guest and speaker at the Water Korea Show 2024 held on March 20-22, 2024.

Water Korea is the largest exhibition specializing in the water industry for South Korea. The show connects human networks and technologies from government agencies, academia, and related companies.

As a proud sponsor of the event, PPI would like to ask you to present at this event. Topics would be on what US water agencies are currently doing to improve the quality of your respective water systems.

This invitation also includes a tour our manufacturing facilities in South Korea, where we produce the newly designed seismic resistant iPVC Water Pipe and Fittings.

The whole trip event will be from March 15-22, 2024. Please review the series of hosted events as follows:

March 18: PPI Plant Tour (Confirmed)

A tour our plant and meet all our people who work behind the scenes to produce our iPVC Pipe and now iPVC Water Fittings.

Live testing will be performed.

March 19: City Tour of Seoul (Confirmed)

A guided tour of the city of Seoul.

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March 20-21: Water Korea Show 2024

The Water Korea Show is the Korean Version of the annual AWWA ACE show. Here there will be many Korean companies showcasing the latest innovations in Water Technologies. Also, we will be hosting presentations from some of our distinguished guests to present on "Water Systems in the US: Current and Future Plans."

Other currently invited speakers are (Subject titles may change):

- Dr. Brad Wham – Standards in Testing & Evaluating Pipeline Systems (S.T.E.P.S.)
- Dr. Craig Davis – Experiences and Lessons from LADWP
- Nasrin Kashefi – New NSF Testing Capabilities

If allowable, PPI PIPE will cover air travel, hotel accommodations, meals for all the event days, and transportation to and from airport and events only.

Please let us know if you will be able to join us.

If you have any questions pertaining to this event, please feel free to contact me at your earliest convenience.

Thank you for your time and efforts in advance and looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Best regards,

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