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Municipal Clerk
Anchorage Assembly
632 West 6th Avenue
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

January 10, 2023

RE: Lodging Resume for Consideration

Madam Clerk:

I am filing for appointment to fill the soon-to-be-vacated District 2 Assembly Seat C. If you deem it appropriate, I would ask that you lodge my resume into the record for consideration by the assembly.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jason A. Thomas', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Associate Attorney

1/2022-Present

Levesque Law Group, LLC

- Represent municipalities and boroughs in civil litigation
- Provide advice to municipalities and boroughs on a wide group of issues, including:
 - Alaska native and federal Indian law
 - Employment and human resource issues.
 - Local code and ordinance changes and interpretations
 - Real estate transactions and contracts
 - Taxation

Assistant Public Defender

07/2019 - 04/2021

Alaska Public Defender Agency, Anchorage, AK

- Represented clients in factually and legally complex class A - C felony cases and probation violation cases.
- Litigated pretrial issues through motions and contested hearings.
- Represented clients in dispositive hearings and sentencing.

Deputy Prosecutor / Child Support Attorney

10/2015 - 07/2019

Nez Perce Tribe, Lapwai, ID

- Represented the Nez Perce Tribe in child support establishment and enforcement cases in tribal court and in political discussions with the federal government, other states and tribes.
- Independently prosecuted criminal and child protection cases as needed.
- As a stakeholder representing the Child Support Enforcement Program, I proposed and analyzed new code changes to the domestic and child protection code sections.
- Assisted the program director in official policy statements involving relationships with the federal government, other states, and other tribes.
- Attended conferences and meetings with other government agencies to discuss current issues in IV-D subject-matter and specifically the Nez Perce Tribal code and policy changes.

Solo Practitioner

05/2015 - 10/2015

Jason A. Thomas, Attorney at Law, Morganton, NC

Practice areas included:

- Criminal defense in felony, misdemeanor, probation violation, and postconviction relief cases
- Family law cases, including contested divorce, child support, custody, and property distribution
- Domestic violence protection order defense
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08/2014 - 05/2015

Daniel Law Firm, P.A., Morganton, NC

Practice areas included:

- Criminal defense in felony, misdemeanor, probation violation, and postconviction relief cases
- Domestic violence protection order defense
- Juvenile delinquency and child protection cases
- Social Security - Disability cases
- Veteran's benefits
- Real estate litigation included foreclosures, foreclosure defense, adverse possession, and prescriptive easements cases
- Wills, estates, and power of attorneys

Solo Practitioner

09/2013- 07/2014

Jason A. Thomas, Attorney at Law, Kings Mountain, NC

Practice areas included:

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PRESENTATIONS:

Data Security for Lawyers, Anchorage Bar Association, September 15, 2022

Current Litigation and the Future: Tribal Non-Profits' Sovereign Immunity and Property Taxes, Alaska Municipal Attorney's Association Conference, December 6, 2022

EDUCATION:

University of Idaho, College of Law

08/2010 - 05/2013

Juris Doctor

Furman University

08/2006 - 05/2010

Bachelor of Arts, History

BAR ADMISSIONS:

Alaska	#2005028	(Active)	Admission	2020
Idaho	#10578	(Inactive)	Admission	2018
North Carolina	#46449	(Inactive)	Admission	2013