



City of Haines City Advisory Board Application

Thank you for your interest in serving the City of Haines City as a member of one of the City's advisory boards. If you have questions concerning the duties and responsibilities of any of the advisory boards, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 863-421-9921. Please rank the top three choices, using 1, 2, and 3, with one being the first choice.

Board of Adjustment _____

Charter Review Committee _____

Community Redevelopment Agency _____

Canvassing Board _____

Emerging Youth Advisory Council _____

Firefighters Pension Board of Trustees _____

General Employees' Pension Board of Trustees 3

Lakes Advisory Board _____

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board _____

Planning Commission _____

Police Pension Board of Trustees 1

Public Safety Advisory Board 2

Personal Information

Haines City Resident: Yes ☒

No ☐

Name: STEVEN JOHN EVANS

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Employment Information – Please attach resume with submission

Employer: Haines City Police Dept.

Position Title: Police Officer/COP's unit

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Signature: _____

Date: 6/16/2025



STEVEN JOHN EVANS

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Dedicated Law Enforcement professional with over four years in law enforcement with extensive experience in providing community safety, enforcing the laws, maintaining the peace, decreasing crime rates, investigating accidents and conducting routine patrols. Demonstrated proficiency in emergency procedures related to control, detained, and containment of suspects as a former State Correctional Officer. Excellent written and language skills in French, Creole, Spanish, and basic Portuguese. Ability to analyze situations and adopt quick, effective, and reasonable courses of action with due regard to surrounding and circumstances. Able to deal effectively with people having diverse social and economic backgrounds.

SKILLS

- Interrogation techniques
- Search and seizure procedures
- Crisis intervention and de-escalation techniques
- Criminal Investigations
- Court testimony
- Community-oriented policing
- Fluent in French
- Fluent in Creole
- Fluent in Spanish
- Background investigations

WORK HISTORY

POLICE OFFICER

10/2017 to CURRENT

HAINES CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT | Haines City, FL

- Actively patrolled assigned areas to prevent and detect roadway crimes.
- Assisted in special investigations and crime prevention programs.
- Enforced traffic laws and ordinances through visual observation and radar speed detection.
- Led shift briefings occasionally to inform officers of important considerations such as properties to check and individuals of note in local areas.
- Talked regularly (special events) with citizens to establish rapport and become familiar presence in area.
- Investigated crimes and accidents while administering first aid.

CORRECTIONAL OFFICER

11/2016 to 10/2017

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS | Avon Park, FL

- Made rounds at specified intervals and conducted head counts and roll calls.
- Searched building and grounds, living quarters and work areas for contraband.
- Observed and supervised inmates throughout visits, meal time, recreation, phone calls and showers.
- Escorted inmates to and from cells, court, hospitals and medical appointments.
- Received and accounted for inmates personal possessions.
- Verified facility security by inspecting plumbing, outside areas, locks and cells for potential hazards.
- Maintained custody and control of 36 inmates housed in 3 security unit.

- Received and inspected mail, property and funds from visitors on behalf of designated inmates.

SECURITY SUPERVISOR

01/2007 to 01/2017

FLORIDA HOSPITAL EAST-ORLANDO | Orlando, FL.

- Delivered accurate verbal and written reports to company personnel.
- Scheduling and post assignment.
- Conducted security audits per month to identify potential problems related to physical security, and staff safety.
- Monitored and evaluated unit performance on key security issues, recommending corrective action programs.
- Oversaw team of up to 6 security officers and managed administrative duties, including scheduling and performance evaluations.
- Moved around different security stations and vital areas to check on officers and adjust workflow to cover changing needs.

ASSISTANT LEAD SCREENER

01/2003 to 01/2007

Orange County Court House | Orlando, FL.

- Checked all baggage using X-ray machines, metal detectors and Garrett wands.
- Performed deep searches and pat-downs to look for unauthorized materials and items such as weapons.
- Searched baggage containing potentially prohibited items by hand, demonstrating caution for level of suspected risk.
- Oversaw team of up to 12 security officers and managed administrative duties, including scheduling.
- Moved around different security stations and vital areas to check on officers and adjust workflow to cover changing needs.
- Scheduling and post assignment.
- Trained new security officers in deep searches of baggage, Simulation of test along side with Orange County Sheriff's Office

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts | Legal Studies And Criminology Keiser University, Orlando, FL

05/2013

- Majored in Legal Studies and minored in Criminology
- Member of Alpha Phi Sigma, Honor's Society, Orlando chapter
- Dean's List 2012
- Member of Student Government Association
- Graduated with 3.69 GPA

Associate of Arts | Criminal Justice Keiser Career College, Orlando, FL

06/2011

- Majored in Criminal Justice
- Student Attendance Award 2012
- Member of National Criminal Justice Honor Society
- Graduated with 3.29 GPA

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Served on Community Oriented Police and Street Crimes Unit for
- Collaborated with Texas CID of US Army murder case.
- Earned 16 accomplishment report over 12 months period.
- Issued 620 traffic citations over 12 months.

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Crisis intervention training (CIT) - Breath Test Alcohol Operator (BTO) Field Training Officer (FTO)