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APPLICATION FORM FOR WOODBURY
COUNTY BOARD/COMMISSION

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Application For: Woodbury County Conservation Board
(Board/Commission)

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This form assists the Board of Supervisors in evaluating the qualifications of applicants for appointment to a board or commission. State law requires political subdivisions to make a good faith effort to balance most appointive boards, commissions, committees, and councils according to gender by January 1, 2013, and each year thereafter.

Female Male

Place of employment and position (and/or activities such as hobbies, volunteer work, etc. that you feel may qualify you for this position): Attorney/Partner at Vriezelaar, Tigges, Edgington, Bottaro, Boden and Ross, L.L. P. law firm in Sioux City, Iowa; Member : Woodbury County Bar Association (President 2013); Iowa Association for Justice (Workers' Compensation Core Group Member); Iowa Lawyers Trust Account Commission; State Judicial Nominating Commission. Iowa Department of Transportation Commissioner, 2000 to 2008 and Past Chair (2008); Master Gardener graduate.

The following questions will assist the Board of Supervisors in its selection.

•How much time will you be willing to devote in this position?

My schedule is usually flexible, if I know in advance of the meetings, commitments. I realize initially the learning curve will be high to familiarize myself to the Conservation Board functions.

•Interest in Appointment: Describe in detail why you are interested in serving on a county board or commission. Include information about your background that supports your interest.

My legal background would be helpful concerning analysis of statutory requirements and other matters. I have served on past boards and commissions which I feel benefit Iowa and my community. I developed a keen interest in conversation and the environment during my eight years on the Iowa Transportation Commission. My experience on the IDOT gave me an understanding of public funding. I also participated often in the decision making process regarding trails and roads. I enjoy gardening, I live on a small urban acreage and am attempting to convert this land to native habitat to foster conservation. I have been an avid bicyclist for many years and enjoy hiking. I have taken and

graduated from the Master Gardener course offered by Woodbury County Extension. I have a great appreciation for the parks of Woodbury County.

•Contributions you feel you can make to the Board/Commission:

Ability to analyze, lead, communicate, team player and strong interest in conservation and environmental issues.

Direction/role you perceive of this Board/Commission:

Promotion of Iowa in the areas of natural resources and recreation:

In addition to time above, do you have any comments to add that may assist the Board of Supervisors in its selection?

Please provide two references who may be contacted on your qualifications for this position.

Name	Address	Phone number	Email address	Relationship
Greg Grupp	4406 Cheyenne Blvd.,	Sioux City, Iowa 252-9956	pheasantgcg@aol.com	friend
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I certify that there is nothing that would prohibit me from serving on this board or commission.

Signature Greg E. Grupp Date Jan. 13, 2014

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