

Steve M. Lewis
Post Office Box 484
Vero Beach, FL 32961
813.205.2850

stevemlewis@msn.com www.smlinfo.net

Steve M. Lewis is an independent Records and Information Management Consultant with nearly 40 years experience at nearly every size and type of government agency. Clients range from small towns to major cities, counties, school boards, state agencies, universities, community colleges, utilities, transportation, law enforcement, court and regulatory agencies. Has held two vice-president positions in the corporate world. Client list generates extensive experience in the private sector to include the defense industry, manufacturing and service sectors - nationally and internationally. Has managed collections as large as two million cubic feet. Services cover a broad spectrum to include designing records management plans, designing systems, identifying records eligible for destruction, assisting with legal compliance, providing training and nearly any other records and information related service requirement.

# Work Experience

## 6-1-2004 to Present (129 MO)

PRESIDENT and CEO - SML, Inc., a Florida Corporation

Continued responsibilities described below together with corporate obligations necessitated by a rapidly expanding client base and associated demand for services. Scope and depth of services continues to develop.

## Partial list of Recent Florida clients:

Florida State University
City of Miami
Florida International University
Florida Atlantic University
University of South Florida
Lason, Inc.
Iron Mountain
University of Central Florida
Jackson Memorial Hospital, Miami
City of Key West
Martin County School Board
St. Johns River Water Management District

Haines City
City of Tavares
City of Bartow
City of Winter Springs
City of Coral Springs
Martin County Clerk of the Court
City of Fellsmere
Town of Longboat Key

Town of Longboat Key City of Sanibel

University of North Florida
Dixie County Clerk of the Court

Leon County Clerk of the Court

Florida Records Management Association St. Johns County Development Services

Monroe County School Board

Osceola County Board of County Commissioners Certified Records Management (CRM), Florida

City of Boynton Beach

City of Indian Rocks Beach City of Sanford

Florida Gulf Coast University

City of Midway Tampa Bay Water

Florida Association of Code Enforcement Miller Sellen Conner and Walsh, Civil Engineering Firm

Monroe County Attorney

City of Coral Gables

Town of Ponce Inlet

Town of Indian River Shores

Palm Beach Clerk of Courts

City of Oak Hill

City of Greensboro

Town of Haverhill

Town of Southwest Ranches

City of Palm Bay

City of Ocala

DRMP, Engineering Firm

City of Venice

Florida Tax Collector Association

Collier County School Board

Hillsborough County Tax Collector

Seminole County Board of County Commissioners

City of Titusville

City of Palm Beach Gardens

Citrus County Tax Collector

City of Altamonte Springs

Florida Department of Revenue

St. Lucie County Growth Management

Citrus County Property Appraiser

Florida Fire Chief's Association

Milton Construction Associates, Inc.

Alachua County Administrative Services

Palm Beach Tax Collector

City of Mount Dora

Santa Rosa County Clerk of the Court

Escambia County Attorney

Clay County District School Board

Nassau County BCC

Nassau County Supervisor of Elections Marion County Tax Collector City of Clermont City of Doral Town of Lake Hamilton City of Seminole **Escambia County BCC** City of Groveland Suwannee County Tax Collector Florida League of Cities, Inc. City of Winter Park Citrus County Clerk of the Circuit Court

City of North Lauderdale

**Brevard Property Appraiser** Martin County Board BCC City of Margate

Sarasota Bradenton International Airport Authority

Collier County Sheriff's Office

**Bay County BCC** City of Gulfport

City of St. Pete Beach

**Broward County BCC** Palm Beach Sheriff

Highlands County Clerk of the Courts

**Highlands County BCC** Charlotte County BCC Tampa Port Authority

Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority

City of Hallandale Beach

Alachua County Property Appraiser

Manatee County Tax Collector

Lake County Tax Collector City of Miami Beach

Walton County BCC

City of Naples Airport Authority

City of Madeira Beach

Haves Construction Group, Inc.

Sumter County Tax Collector Lake County Sheriff

Indian River Clerk of Court

Sarasota County Supervisor of Elections

Osceola County Supervisor of Elections

Manatee County Property Appraiser

Florida State College at Jacksonville

**Duval County Unified Courts** 

Town of Surfside City of DeBary

City of Coconut Creek

Polk County Board of County Commissioners Florida State Association of Supervisors of Election

3-11-99 to 5-31-2004 (62 MO)

SELF EMPLOYED, Sole Proprietor.

Independent Consultant, Information Management Analysis, Design, Planning and Training. Offer a nearly unlimited range of Information Management consulting services. Specialize in Florida Public Records; yet continue to service the Private Sector as well. Provide Lecture Series to State University System covering a wide range of Records Management and Public Record Law Issues.

1-1-98 to 3-10-99 (14.5 MO)

VICE - PRESIDENT - GOVERNMENT SECTOR. LASON, Inc.
Responsibilities same as below, acquired by LASON from FDB, Inc. with purchase.

4-1-91 to 12-31-97 (81 MO)

VICE PRESIDENT - GOVERNMENT SECTOR. Florida Data Bank, Inc. Primary responsibilities include: provide a wide range of consulting services to include but not limited to writing Records Management Plans, writing procedures, writing records retention schedules, and writing vital records protection plans; identify records for destruction, manage Government accounts; develop new services and accounts; and maintain expertise in Florida Public Records Law and Florida Department of State requirements. Instruct classes for the Florida Institute of Government at Colleges and Universities throughout Florida in Public Records Law and Management.

2-15-91 to 3-30-91 (1.5 MO)

**Planner IV.** Bureau of Local Planning, Division of Resource Planning and Management, Florida Department of Community Affairs. Primary responsibilities included: management of public records relative to local comprehensive plan process.

5-31-89 to 2-14-91 (20.5 MO)

Records and Information Management Program Manager. Management Information, General Services, Administrative Services, Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services. Primary duties included: management of two million cubic feet of records statewide; supervise the programs of 12 district records managers; review pending legislation; and design and implement new records systems. Monitor each district on site, one week each year.

10-25-88 to 5-30-89 (7 MO)

**Planner II.** Bureau of Local Planning, Division of Resource Planning and Management, Florida Department of Community Affairs. Primary responsibility: design and implement records system to manage public records relative to local comprehensive plan process, Rule 9J-5, F.A.C.

1-23-84 to 10-24-88 (57 MO)

**Management Analyst II.** Bureau of Archives and Records Management, Division of Library and Information Services, Florida Department of State. Primary duties included: conduct regional seminars on Public Record Laws; provide consulting services to state and local governments; review pending legislation; design records systems; draft standards and procedures and general records schedules.

9-27-85 to 12-31-85 (3 MO)

**Information Management Consultant.** Florida Police Benevolent Association, Inc. Duty: design system and forms to manage *request for service* functions.

9-14-81 to 1-22-84 (28 MO)

Records Management Analyst I. Bureau of Records and Information Management, Division of Archives, History and Records Management, Florida Department of State. Duties very similar to Management Analyst II described above, yet on a smaller scale.

9-4-79 to 9-13-81 (24 MO)

Salvage and Exploration Field Supervisor. Bureau of Historic Sites and Properties, Division of Archives, History and Records Management, Florida Department of State. Primary duties included: supervise nine employees employed in underwater salvage of antiquities; act as Records Custodian; coordinate record disposition with Bureau of Records and Information Management.

12-78 to 9-79

Self employed while traveling on personal sailboat.

6-69 to 11-78 (61 MO *Total*)

Various positions throughout State government, primarily with the Department of State, all records related. Duties included entry-level micrographic position; records storage and retrieval functions; and various administrative positions related to records management.

**Three months beginning April 1976**, traveled from Tallahassee, Florida to San Diego, California by bicycle for fun.

#### **Professional Association Positions:**

Tallahassee Association of Records Managers and Administrators (ARMA)
Board of Directors, 3-83 to 10-85,
Tallahassee ARMA 1984 Chapter Member of the Year.
Tallahassee ARMA President, two terms, 10-1-85 to 7-1-88, and
Tallahassee ARMA Chairman of the Board, 7-1-88 to 7-1-89.

### Memberships:

#### Husband

<u>King's Baptist Church</u>, Adult Sunday School Teacher, Bible Study Teacher, Budget Committee Chairman, Finance Director, Revival Committee, Pastor Search Committee, Personnel Team, Trustee

The Gideons International, President Indian River Camp Gideon State Convention Chaplin Space Coast Area Director

### **Presentations:**

Over 5,000 hours of public speaking, to include many hundreds of records management lectures to a wide range of audiences - at regional conferences like the South Atlantic Archives and Records Conference, Florida Records Management Association and the National Association of Government Archives and Records Administrators; to special training functions like the Florida Association of Code Enforcement Officers, Florida Tax Collector and Property Appraiser Conferences, Government Career Development Institutes for Florida Municipal Clerks, Florida Department of Revenue for PA and TC and the Florida Clerk of the Courts Association. Regularly conduct a two day Certificate Program on Public Records Law and Public Records Management for the University System at FSU, UCF, FAU, FIU and Palm Beach Community College. Conducted a 32-hour lecture for newly elected Clerks of the Court under contract with FSU, together with a Digest. Recently venues are including international conferences for Sea Ports and Airports.

## **Publications:**

<u>Digest, Records Management for Florida Clerk's of the Court, Published by</u>
Florida State University.

Regular monthly columnist, during 2003 for *Records Management Technology* (RMT) an Industry Magazine.

**Draft Florida Statutes** 

**Draft Florida Administrative Codes** 

General Records Schedules for the Florida Department of State.

Spring 2014 Seaports Magazine