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EDUCATION:

Master of Public Administration Degree (M.P.A.) with an emphasis in Public Management, University of South Dakota, Vermillion SD 57069. Degree received in July of 1979 with a G.P.A. of 3.36.

Bachelor of Arts Degree (B.A.) with a Major in Political Science, University of Iowa, Iowa City IA 52242. Degree received in May of 1977 with a G.P.A. of 3.05. A minor was received in Economics.

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS:

University of South Dakota – Budgetary and Fiscal Management, Management and Accounting, Managerial Economics, Organization and Management, Public Personnel (Independent Study), Public Policy Analysis, Quantitative Analysis, Research Methods, and Seminar in Public Administration.

University of Iowa – Economics of the Public Sector, Financial Accounting, Financial Management, Municipal Administration, Municipal Government and Politics, and Public Administration.

MUNICIPAL EXPERIENCE:

September 2004 to April 2011 – City Administrator of Hibbing MN.

May 1999 to August 2004 – Town Manager of Syracuse, IN.

May 1997 to October 1998 – City Manager of Hoisington, KS.

September 1996 to March 1997 – Town Manager of Grand Lake, CO

August 1995 to May 1996 – City Administrator / Accountant of Oconto, WI.

February 1980 to October 1994 – City Clerk / Administrator of Waukee, IA.

Annexation Experience in Waukee IA
Budget Formulation Experience in all six communities
Fund Accounting Experience in all six communities
Mountain Community Experience – Grand Lake CO
Lake Community Experience – Syracuse IN
Police Experience in all but one of the communities (Grand County Sheriff’s Contract)
Fire Experience with both volunteer and full-time departments
Parks & Recreation Experience in all six communities
Union Negotiation Experience (AFSCME, IAFF, Police Federation, MAPE, & Teamsters)
Comprehensive Planning Experience and Infrastructure Development
Economic Development Experience
Grant Administration Experience
Electric Distribution and Generation Experience in Hoisington KS
Natural Gas Distribution Experience in Waukee IA
Sanitation and Recycling Experience in Hibbing MN and Hoisington KS
Water Distribution Experience in five of the six communities
Wastewater Experience in five of the six communities (Special District – Grand Lake)
Worked in a suburb of the metropolitan Des Moines area.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

Current member of the International City Management Association and former member of the Minnesota City/ County Management Association. I was also a member of the Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities and am an active participant in the Labor & Employee Relations Committee of the CGMC. I have experience with the Kansas Association of City / County Management as well as the League of Municipalities. I have previously been involved with the Iowa Municipal Finance Officers’ Association, Iowa Municipal Association of Utilities, Northern Municipal Distributors Group, American Waterworks Association, and American Public Gas Association. I previously worked with the Kansas Municipal Utilities, Kansas Municipal Gas Agency and the Kansas Municipal Energy Agency. I was also a member of the Kansas Rural Water Association.

I have completed Sessions I-III of the Municipal Clerk’s Institute at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa for a total credit of 10.2 C.E.U.’s.

In January of 1995, I completed the Dale Carnegie Training Course in West Des Moines. In June of 2005, I successfully completed a Chamber Leadership Course in Hibbing MN.

I have been a member of Rotary International from 1999 to 2011. Prior to that I was a member of Lions Club in Iowa and Kiwanis Club in Wisconsin and Kansas.

I am a Founding Member of the John C. Maxwell Certification Program since March 2011.