

RESOLUTION NO. 2699

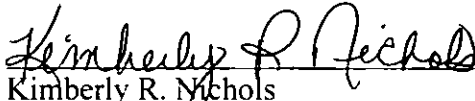
BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of Salisbury, Maryland that the following individual is reappointed to the Board of Zoning Appeals, for the term ending as indicated.

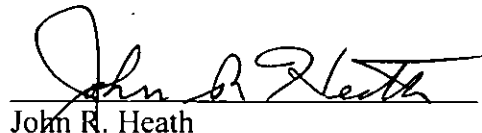
Name
Brian Soper

Term Ending
November 2019

THE ABOVE RESOLUTION was introduced and duly passed at a meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland held on November 28, 2016.

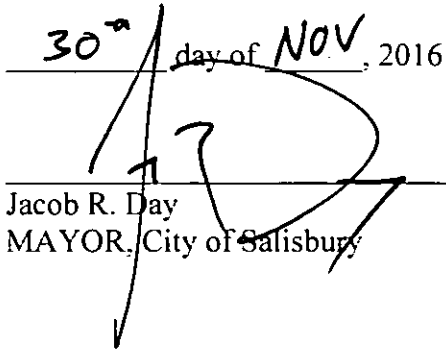
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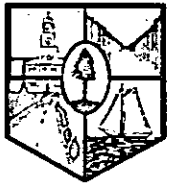

Kimberly R. Nichols
CITY CLERK


John R. Heath
PRESIDENT, City Council

APPROVED BY ME THIS

30th day of NOV, 2016


Jacob R. Day
MAYOR, City of Salisbury



City of
Salisbury
Jacob R. Day, Mayor

MEMORANDUM

To: Tom Stevenson, City Administrator
From: Julia Glanz, Assistant City Administrator
Subject: Appointment to the Board of Zoning Appeals
Date: November 4, 2016

Mayor Day would like to appoint the following person to the Board of Zoning Appeals for the term ending as indicated.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Term Ending</u>
Brian Soper	November 2019

Attached you will find information from Brian Soper and the Resolution necessary for his appointment. Please forward this information to the City Council so it may be placed on their agenda for the next Council meeting. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Attachment

cc: Mayor Day

Brian Soper
513 Buena Vista Ave
Salisbury, MD 21804

November 2, 2016

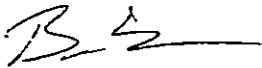
Ms. Julia Glanz
Assistant City Administrator
City of Salisbury
125 North Division St
Salisbury, MD 21801

Dear Ms. Glanz,

I am contacting you regarding my interest in vacancies that are available on the Boards and Commissions for the City of Salisbury. I have attached my resume and would like to be considered for any vacancy that the City feels will best suit my experience.

I look forward to hearing from the City and welcome the opportunity to serve the public.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'BS', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Brian Soper

Brian M. Soper

Mobile: 443.235.6587 513 Buena Vista Ave, Salisbury, MD 21804 Email:bsoper2219@gmail.com

Experience:

Dorchester County Planning and Zoning

Cambridge, MD

Environmental Planner

June 2015-Present

- To assist in plan and permit review of projects in the Critical Area. Involves meeting with applicants, research, preparation of staff reports and Planning Commission "findings of fact", notifying agencies, attending hearings, as well as providing technical information to supervisors and the public.
- Preparation of text amendments and ordinances.
- Responsible for Critical Area Reports, activities include assistance in writing the grant, determination of budget, preparing quarterly reports, processing growth allocation requests, and conducting Critical Area site inspections as required by Critical Area law.
- Maintain records for Forest Replacement Fund, this includes payments received and expenditures as well as updates to Critical Area Commission staff
- Assist forester with records for buffer mitigation, buffer exemption area approvals, and planting agreements related to afforestation and reforestation requirements.
- Investigate buffer violations and conduct site inspections.
- Serve as point of contact for Critical Area Commission staff and as member of the local Chesapeake Bay TMDL group.

Queen Anne's County Soil Conservation District

Centreville, MD

Soil Conservation Specialist

Nov. 2012-June 2015

- Performed site evaluations and targeted outreach with cooperator/landowners to address soil and water conservation needs of Agricultural Lands, as well as collection of site data necessary to develop engineering designs.
- Developed or revised conservation plans for cooperator/landowners that meet their farming operation needs, while promoting wise use of natural resources.
- Supported implementation of conservation and water quality programs by determining Best Management Practice eligibility for Maryland Agricultural Cost Share funding and/or co-cost sharing the abatement of non-point source pollution by agricultural sources.

Maryland Department of Environment

Baltimore, MD

Natural Resources Planner III

Dec. 2009-Nov. 2012

- Assisted with coordinating and planning public hearings, workshops, outreach and education for projects related to TMDL development, as required by the Federal Clean Water Act and implementing regulations.
- Assisted with the preparation, review, and final edits of watershed management plans, including TMDL public information and support documentation used for public notification and comment.

Woodmont Country Club

Rockville, MD

Assistant Outside Operations Manager

May 2006-Dec. 2009

- Managed and supervised 45 employees for task completion and quality control.
- Established and administered college internship program.
- Provided project management support for capital improvements including facilities, environmental design enhancement, and information technology development and implementation.

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Education:

Towson University

Towson, MD

Masters of Arts in Geography and Environmental Planning

Present

- Relevant course topics: Planning for a Sustainable Region, Land Use Planning, Transportation Planning

University of Maryland

College Park, MD

Bachelors of Science in Natural Resource Management

2006

Bachelors of Arts in History

2006

Skills, Certifications, and Awards:

- Proficient in all aspects of Microsoft Office / Working knowledge of ArcGIS
- Semi-Finalist, Sustainable Growth Challenge, sponsored by the Maryland Department of Natural Resources and administered by the Education Workgroup of the Sustainable Growth Commission
- Successfully completed Managing Floodplain Development through the NFIP course at the Emergency Management Institute, March 7-10, 2016