

Committee: **Greater London International Airport Authority**

Organization/Sector represented: **Defence & Manufacturing**

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Occupation: **Program Manager - International Programs - General Dynamics Land Systems-Canada**

Work experience: **I have worked at GM Electro-Motive/GDLS-C in London for over 32 years in various positions of increasing responsibility, including manufacturing, materials management & logistics, project management and facility start-ups in London and Mexico, Europe and program management of defence contracts in the Middle East.**

Education: **- Master of Business Administration - University of Western Ontario (Ivey). - Honours Bachelor of Arts - University of Western Ontario. - Industrial Management Certificate – Fanshawe College. - Human Resources Management Certificate – Fanshawe College.**

Skills: **- Excellent listening, oral and written communication skills. - Strong analytical skills for implementing solutions to complex problems. - Experience in preparations of budgets, forecasts and performance measurement matrices. - High level of customer focus and ability to determine customer needs - Bid and Proposal preparation. - Contract fact-finding and negotiations (Supplier and Government). - Numerous company training programs in various aspects of industry. - Experienced Director on numerous Boards**

Interest reason: **-I am a fifty-year resident who wishes to participate in the continued growth of London including airport services. -I genuinely give back to my community for the opportunities it has provided my family. - I know that the London Airport will continue to be a catalyst for more growth opportunities for the airport and surrounding areas. - I understand the need for commercial/industrial growth for our city and believe that Skyway Park is an essential component of that growth. - I believe that the continued success of the airport depends on the involvement of the Community and I will represent the City of London accordingly.**

Contributions: **- I have the interest and knowledge to contribute positively to continued success of the GLIAA and its role as a focal point in London and its surrounding area. - I have a strong work ethic and known for completing tasks on time and budget. - I am known to be a quick study on complex issues - I will bring unique ideas to the fiscal management and control of the GLIAA and Skyway Park. - As a person who has worked near and extensively used the airport for over 32 years, I wish to be part of any future growth of this facility.**

Past contributions: **- Member of Brescia College's Planning and Facilities Committee, involved in the addition of new offices and classrooms which opened in September 2003 and the Beryl Ivey Library in 2006. (2002-2007) - Past Member and Chairperson of St Mary Choir School Council. (1997-2006) - Director and Vice Chair of the Board of the Covent Garden Market (2003-2010) - Board member of the Non-profit charity Italian Seniors Project (2007-present)**

Interpersonal: **- As a Project Manager on several capital projects it was important to listen to various contrasting views and ensure that the team's decisions supported the goals of the projects. - I have had extensive experience in Canada, Mexico, U.S. and Norway and the Middle East in listening and arriving at consensus on various issues affecting our dealings with our partners in those countries, recognizing that decisions are arrived at differently depending on the culture. - I was chosen as my MBA class representative because of my ability to work on and complete projects with many of my colleagues. Part of this, is identifying others' strengths and then determining a method of using those strengths to the team's advantage**

Interview interest: **Yes**