

NCCC SW Office I'm running for is the Region Executive

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Prior Offices held and years in each office.

<u>National</u>: None <u>Regional</u>: None

Local: President of the Longhorn Corvette club for 2 years, Governor of the Longhorn Corvette Club for 1 year.

My qualifications for this office.

I'm current employed as a senior manager in business operation for a fortune 500 company. I'm responsible for approximately \$300 million dollars of revenue on an annual basis. My primary function is to find solutions to customer's high value problems, while ensuring profitability for the organization during the order fulfillment process. I interact with cross functional teams on a regular basis to make this happen. The disciplines on these cross functional include, finance, sales, manufacturing, Field support, logistics, and global trade, in regions around the globe. I interact with a diverse, multi-nation, multi-cultural work force on a daily basis and lead these team to solutions.

I'm currently in a graduate program pursuing a Master in Business Administration with a focus in project management. With about 70% completion, I current have a 3.96 / 4.00 GPA.

I have organized a small non-profit organization from the ground up to include obtaining corporate status. I was the president of that organization for 4 years.

While in the military I attended several leadership schools and always graduated with honors.

Why do I think I'm the best nominee for the office of SW Region Executive?

First and foremost, I understand that this office is not about me and what I want, but is about the region. Being able to set aside how I personally feel about a topic and fight for what the region wants is something that I can do and do every day in my job.

My skills at working with diverse, global teams will enable me to work with the diverse group of governors that makes up the southwest region and represent us at a national level.

I believe that we need to find a way to grow participation in the region. While I currently do not know what that looks like, I believe that I can work with the governors to discover that answer. My skills in finding solutions for my company's customers would be well applied here.