

General Information

Board/Commission and seat you are seeking:

Police Standards Council, Alaska Police Standards Council board member

Additional Boards/Commissions of interest:

None

State Boards/Commissions on which you have served:

None

First Name

Larry

Middle Name

Shane

Last Name

Nicholson

Military Service

none

Conflict of Interest

Full disclosure of personal financial data under AS 39.50.010 is required for certain boards and commissions. Are you willing to provide this information if required for the board or commission which you are applying?

Yes

Service in a public office is a public trust. The Ethics Act (AS 39.52.110) prohibits substantial and material conflicts of interest. Is it possible that you or any member of your family will benefit financially by decisions to be made by the board or commission for which you are applying? If you answer 'yes' to this question you MUST explain the potential financial benefit.

No

Please explain the potential financial benefit

Employment History

Employment work history including paid, unpaid, or voluntary.

2014-Present: Sergeant/Post Supervisor, Alaska Wildlife Troopers in Kodiak.

2010-2014: Sergeant/Post Supervisor, Alaska State Troopers in Glennallen

2007-2010: Sergeant/Deputy Commander, Department of Public Safety Training Academy in Sitka.

2006-2007: Corporal/Staff Instructor, Department of Public Safety Training Academy in Sitka.

2002-2006: Patrol Trooper, Alaska State Troopers in Ketchikan

1999-2002: Patrol Trooper/Investigator, Alaska State Troopers in Soldotna

1994-1999: Fisheries Technician, Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Soldotna

1991-1994: Commercial Fisherman, Kodiak

Education, Training, Experience & Qualifications

List both formal and informal education and training experiences:
DPS Training Academy ALET 22 -1999. University of the Alaska Fairbanks 1994-1998. Fisheries Research and Management, University of Northern Arizona (1992-1994), Kodiak High School 1988-1992.
Reid interviewing and Interrogation, Field Training Officer (FTO), Sexual Assault Response Team (SART), Taser Instructor, FLETC Defensive Tactics Instructor, Managing the Lost Person Incident, Street Survival, Methods of Instruction, First Aid/CPR, Cultural Diversity, Basic Swat, Advanced Tactical Operations, FLETC Marine Law Enforcement Training Program, Marine Safety Instructor, Sexual Assault Response Team Training, Patrol Investigative Techniques, Cyber Crimes, Law Enforcement response to WMD incidents, Advanced Law Enforcement Firearms Training, Precision Rifle Instructor, DNA Evidence Collection and Utilization, Colt Armorer, Glock Armorer, Remington Armorer, Cooper Institute Law Enforcement Fitness Specialist, Inland SAR Planning, Less Lethal/Chemical Agents/Noise Flash Diversion Device, First Line Supervisor Course, Avalanche Training, Lifeguard, DPS Firearms Instructor, AMSEA Instructor, Wilderness Survival Instructor.

List any professional licenses, certifications, or registrations and dates obtained that may be used as qualifying criteria:
Alaska Police Standards Council certified Law Enforcement Officer for 18 years.
Alaska Police Standards Council certified Law Enforcement Instructor for 14 years.

List any community service, municipal government, and state positions held, and any awards received.
Kodiak Island Sportsman Association Board Member (2017-present), Copper River Child Advocacy Center team member (2011-2014), Letter of Appreciation from Kodiak AWT Lt. (2015), 3 Letters of Appreciation from Kodiak AWT Lt. (2014), B Detachment Trooper of the Year (2013), B Detachment AST Top Shooter Award (2012), B Detachment AST Top Shooter Award (2011), Alaska State Trooper Commendation for Honorable Service (2009), 6 Letters of Appreciation from Alaska Marine Safety Education Association (2008-2009), Letter of Recognition for Performance from DPS Academy Lt. (2006 & 2007), DPS Training Academy Trooper of the Year (2006), Ketchikan PD; Police Unit Commendation (2005), Letter of Appreciation from Ketchikan Airport PD Chief (2005), Letter of Appreciation from the Director of Department of Corrections (2005), Letter of Appreciation from Ketchikan AST Sgt (2005), Letter of Appreciation from DPS Academy Corporal (2004), Letter of Appreciation from Ketchikan AST Sgt (2002), Letter of Recognition from Soldotna AST Sergeant (2001), Letter of Appreciation from Seward AST Sergeant (2000), Letter of Appreciation Soldotna AST Lt. (2000)

Conviction Record

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor within the past five years or a felony within the past ten years?

No

Conviction Circumstances

Certification of Accuracy & Completeness

By submitting this online application, I swear the information I have entered on this form is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if I deliberately conceal or enter false information on the form my application may be rejected, I may be removed from the list of eligible candidates, or I may be removed from the position. I agree that the Office of the Governor may contact present or former employees or other persons who know me to obtain an additional information about my skills and abilities. I understand that the information on this application is public information and may be released through a legal request for such information.

Type "I certify"
"I certify"

Resume Addendum:

Press Release Wording

Larry "Shane" Nicholson, age 43 of Kodiak, is a Sergeant with the Alaska Wildlife Troopers and is currently stationed in Kodiak. Sgt. Nicholson graduated from Kodiak High School in 1992. He attended the University of Alaska Fairbanks, majoring in Fisheries Research and Management. In 1999 Sgt. Nicholson attended the DPS Training Academy as an Alaska State Trooper Recruit. Throughout his career, Sgt. Nicholson has served as an Alaska State Trooper and as a Alaska Wildlife Trooper. He has been stationed in Soldotna, Ketchikan, Sitka, Glennallen and Kodiak.

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L. Shane Nicholson



SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

I have approximately eighteen and a half years of experience as an Alaska Police Standards Council (APSC) certified police officer with the Department of Public Safety and approximately fourteen years as an APSC certified instructor with the Department of Public Safety. Throughout my law enforcement career, I have demonstrated leadership and management abilities as an Alaska Wildlife Trooper Sergeant/Post Supervisor in Kodiak, an Alaska State Trooper Sergeant/Post Supervisor in Glennallen, and Sergeant/Deputy Commander at the DPS Academy in Sitka. I have been stationed in both urban and rural settings and have been an investigator with the General Investigations Unit (GIU) while stationed in Soldotna (E Detachment). I have been a Corporal/Staff Instructor at the Department of Public Safety Training Academy, and a member of both the Southern and Southcentral Special Emergency Reaction Teams (S.E.R.T.). I have participated on multiple DPS hiring boards and promotional boards. I have acted as a professional liaison for an after action review of an officer involved shooting.

Law Enforcement Assignments and Duty Stations

Kodiak AWT Post

March 2014 - Present

- Sergeant/Post Supervisor
- Oversee day to day operations of patrol
- Supervise five (5) Alaska Wildlife Troopers
- Write employee evaluations, letters of commendation/appreciation, letters of instruction and discipline memorandums.
- Review and approve reports written by Troopers in the DPS records management system
- Attend meetings throughout the patrol area as the representative of the Alaska Wildlife Troopers.
- Conduct training for both AST and AWT Troopers in Kodiak and throughout the State when requested.
- Enforce fish and wildlife statutes and regulations throughout Southwest Alaska
- Conduct traffic enforcement, respond to calls for service, conduct criminal investigations and traffic collisions
- Coordinate and conduct operations with Federal, State and Municipal agencies.

Glennallen AST Post

June 2010 - March 2014

- Sergeant/Post Supervisor
- Oversee day to day operations of patrol
- Supervise three (3) Alaska State Troopers four (4) Village Public Safety Officers and one (1) civilian employee
- Complete work and personal leave schedule for Troopers
- Write employee evaluations, letters of commendation/appreciation, letters of instruction and discipline memorandums
- Review and approve investigative reports written by Troopers in the DPS records management system
- Conduct traffic enforcement, respond to calls for service, conduct criminal investigations, traffic collisions, and serve court process.
- Attend meetings and conduct public appearances while representing the Alaska State Troopers
- Coordinate and conduct operations with Federal, State and Municipal agencies.

Department of Public Safety Training Academy Sitka

May 2007-June 2010

- Sergeant/Deputy Commander
- Oversee day to day training and operations of DPS academy
- Supervise six (6) Corporals
- Write employee evaluations, letters of commendation/appreciation, letters of instruction, and discipline memorandums
- Complete work schedule for Corporals
- Schedule training and coordinate guest instructors and TACs for ALET
- Oversee, conduct and develop training and scenarios to include use of Force training
- Approve training curriculum
- Assist with management of DPS Academy budget, including staff payroll and overtime, mandatory/general expenditures, training costs and discretionary purchases

Department of Public Safety Training Academy Sitka**March 2006 - May 2007**

- Promoted to Corporal
- Commissioned Staff Instructor
- Provide Instruction during Alaska Law Enforcement Training (ALET), VPSO training, DPS In-service, and APSC Officer Recertification courses
- Instruct Defensive Tactics, Taser, Firearms, Cold Water and Wilderness Survival, Active Shooter, OPM
- Supervise recruits attending training at Academy
- Squad Leader
- Write evaluations, letters of instruction, and discipline memorandums
- Oversee, conduct, and develop law enforcement training and scenarios including Use of Force Training

Ketchikan AST Post**June 2002 - March 2006**

- Completed Field Training and Evaluation Program
- Patrol Trooper
- General AST Patrol
- Traffic Enforcement
- Investigation of misdemeanor and felony crimes
- Investigation of motor vehicle collisions
- Search and Rescue Management

Soldotna AST Post**December 1999 - June 2002**

- General Investigations Unit
- Patrol Trooper
- S.E.R.T. Operator (Perimeter and Sniper)
- Traffic Enforcement
- Investigation of Misdemeanor and Felony Crimes
- Investigation of motor vehicle collisions
- Search and Rescue Management

Department of Public Safety Training Academy Sitka**August 1999 - December 1999**

- Alaska State Trooper Recruit
- Alaska Law Enforcement Training (ALET) Class 22
- DPS Transition (Trooper Basic) Class 10

Instructor Certificates and Training: Reid interviewing and Interrogation, Field Training Officer (FTO), Sexual Assault Response Team (SART), Taser Instructor, FLETC Defensive Tactics Instructor, Managing the Lost Person Incident, Street Survival, Methods of Instruction, First Aid/CPR, Cultural Diversity, Basic Swat, Advanced Tactical Operations, FLETC Marine Law Enforcement Training Program, Marine Safety Instructor, Sexual Assault Response Team Training, Patrol Investigative Techniques, Cyber Crimes, Law Enforcement response to WMD incidents, Advanced Law Enforcement Firearms Training, Precision Rifle Instructor, DNA Evidence Collection and Utilization, Colt Armorer, Glock Armorer, Remington Armorer, Cooper Institute Law Enforcement Fitness Specialist, Inland SAR Planning, Less Lethal/Chemical Agents/Noise Flash Diversion Device, First Line Supervisor Course, Avalanche Training, Lifeguard, DPS Firearms Instructor, AMSEA Instructor, Wilderness Survival Instructor.

Achievements/Awards/Recognition: Letter of Appreciation from Kodiak AWT Lt. (2015), 3 Letters of Appreciation from Kodiak AWT Lt. (2014), B Detachment Trooper of the Year (2013), B Detachment AST Top Shooter Award (2012), B Detachment AST Top Shooter Award (2011), Alaska State Trooper Commendation for Honorable Service (2009), 6 Letters of Appreciation from Alaska Marine Safety Education Association (2008-2009), Letter of Recognition for Performance from DPS Academy Lt. (2006 & 2007), DPS Training Academy Trooper of the Year (2006), Ketchikan PD; Police Unit Commendation (2005), Letter of Appreciation from Ketchikan Airport PD Chief (2005), Letter of Appreciation from the Director of Department of Corrections (2005), Letter of Appreciation from Ketchikan AST Sgt (2005), Letter of Appreciation from DPS Academy Corporal (2004), Letter of Appreciation from Ketchikan AST Sgt (2002), Letter of Recognition from Soldotna AST Sergeant (2001), Letter of Appreciation from Seward AST Sergeant (2000), Letter of Appreciation Soldotna AST Lt. (2000)