

May 21, 2024

I am honored today to submit my name as a candidate for the Annual Meeting Member vote on Saturday, May 25, 2024, for a position on the Board of Governors for the Black Point Beach Club Association.

My background, briefly:

Academically, I earned my BA at Merrimack College, my MALS degree at Wesleyan University, and my MBA at UCONN.

Professionally, I served for 7 years as a high school English teacher within the Glastonbury School System, then for 12 years a president of a marketing services firm based in Glastonbury, then for another 12 cumulative years as an SVP at Shawmut Bank, then Fleet Bank, and finally at Bank of America. I completed my career path with a final 12-year role as the Chief Marketing Officer at Saint Francis Hospital & Medical Center as its affiliate hospitals in Central Connecticut.

I have served on several past Boards: The Connecticut Forum, Camp Courant, and The Northside Institutions Neighborhood Alliance (NINA).

I have been a summer visitor in Black Point since 1984, and a full-time resident since 2020. My wife Anita has previously served on the Black Point Board as both a member and as Chair. Both of my daughters were Club attendees and eventually served as Camp Counselors. I am currently a member of the Men's Club and volunteer with the local Wrecking Crew.

If elected, I will seek to foster constructive communication and collaboration with Association members, and a renewed collegiality among Board Members. Local residents have agreed to nominate me and to second that nomination.

Thanks -- and if you need anything further, please do not hesitate to ask.

Jim Schepker

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