

## Application For Board Membership of Long Bay Hills Property Owners Association

I would like to formally put my name forward for a position on the Board of Directors of the LBHPOA ("the Association"). While I am a United States citizen, I have made Long Bay my home and have obtained permanent resident status here. I currently reside on-island for more than half the year and, if I happen to be off-island, am prepared to come to Providenciales for Board meetings at any time.

To me, the most important attributes for a director of the Association are a sincere interest in guiding the development of the Long Bay Subdivision so it becomes an attractive, safe residential community and to be willing to put in the time and resources to that end. I first came to Turks & Caicos with my family 10 years ago. Having rented villas in various parts of Providenciales for a few years, I decided I wanted to retire in the Long Bay Area. In 2011, we purchased a home on Long Bay Beach Drive which we extensively renovated over the next year and a half. In 2013, we purchased the adjacent property and built a new structure on that lot architecturally consistent with our initial property. This simply is to say that, over the last seven years, we have invested a great deal of ourselves in the area and are fully committed to the positive development of Long Bay.

Over the last year or so, I have been informally involved in trying to assist the Board of the Association with a number of development issues that have arisen for the Subdivision. In addition, I have actively been involved in developing approaches to improve safety and security along Long Bay Beach Drive.

Before retiring in 2012, I served as an Officer (Executive Vice President and General Counsel) and Director of two multinational, Fortune 50 Companies (Mobil Oil Corporation and Unocal Corporation). I have also served as a non-executive director of a U.K. company. In 2005, I founded Cobalt International Energy, raising \$1.6 billion in private equity funding before taking the company public on the New York Stock Exchange in 2009. While serving in these positions, I personally negotiated agreements with 19 different governments. I believe the experience of having negotiated with a broad range of government entities and having to bring diverse constituencies together would serve me well as a director of the Association.

Like many of you in our community, I believe we are on the verge of potential development and growth in Long Bay. The successful management and encouragement of that growth is the key to the future of the Long Bay community.

Thank you for considering my application.

Sam Gillespie