

Jackson County Executive

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 13-03

TO: MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE

CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

FROM: MICHAEL D. SANDERS

JACKSON COUNTY EXECUTIVE

DATE: FEBRUARY 11, 2013

RE: APPOINTMENT TO THE MERIT COMMISSION

I hereby make the following appointment to the Jackson County Merit Commission:

Kenneth E. Johnson, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the expiration of the term of William J. Gnefkow, for a term to expire December 31, 2015. A copy of Mr. Johnson's resume is attached.

Michael D. Sanders, County Executive

Date: 2 7 2013

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Kenneth E. Johnson

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- Dynamic ability to connect with people and develop relationships.
- Breadth of contacts in a variety of industries.
- Resourcefulness to reach decision makers in potential organizations.

Experience

2012-Present Lampein Laboratories

Kansas City, MO

Director of Sales

Developing sales and distribution channels for Lampein's new product line

2010-2011 Builders Stone & Supply

Olathe, KS

Corporate Sales Manager

- Increased sales from \$1.6 million to \$3.3 million.
- Secured contracts with 14 new General Contractors in 10 months.
- Restructured process used for submittals to save time and money.

2008-2010 Lids Team Sports

Indianapolis, IN

National Sales Manager

- Launched specialized Nike program targeting NCAA Division I Athletic Programs, driving \$11.8 million in sales.
- Assisted with launch of Nike Swim division.
- Developed and trained sales reps on Nike Team sales programs.

2006-2008

Spartan Athletes

Independence, MO

Owner

- Designed, developed and managed an innovative online sales portal for Nike's leading team sales dealer, driving \$5.3 million in sales transactions in its first year.
- Developed exclusive fundraising card program with integrated online ordering application used by organizations across the country.
- Developed and managed WOWSportZ.com sales website featuring unique customized sports products.

1987-2006

Direct Messenger Service

Shawnee, KS

Director of Sales and Operations

- Grew annual sales from \$300,000 to \$5,000,000 during tenure.
- Managed 50 drivers and 5 office personnel.
- Established customer-focused business model, which included proactive direct contact with hundreds of customers.

Education

1984-1987	University of Missouri-Kansas City	Kansas City, MO
1986	Missouri Valley College	Marshall, MO
1983-1984	University of Missouri-Columbia	Columbia, MO