

# APPLICATION FOR APPOINTIVE POSITION

<b>FOR OFFICE USE ONLY</b>	
Residence District No. <u>2</u>	
Date of Registration: <u>9/19/00</u>	
Verified by <u>eh</u>	



**OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK  
CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH**  
53300 Newport Boulevard  
Newport Beach, CA 92663  
City Clerk (949) 644-3005  
Fax (949) 644-3039

**DIRECTIONS:** Application should be filled out completely so that the City Council may fully evaluate your qualifications. **Original applications must be mailed or delivered to the above address prior to noon on Thursday, October 9, 2003.** Facsimile documents are not acceptable. This document is a public record and will be posted on the internet.

**NOTICE:** Section 401 of the City Charter states that no person shall be eligible to hold office as a member of the City Council unless he or she is, and shall have been for at least thirty (30) days immediately preceding nomination or appointment, a registered elector of the district from which he or she is nominated or appointed, and for at least thirty (30) days immediately preceding his or her election or appointment, a registered elector of the City.

POSITION: CITY COUNCIL MEMBER – DISTRICT NO. 2

Name: LAHEY (Last) DENNIS (First) PATRICK (Middle)

Residence Address (required): 4 LATITUDE COURT Zip Code 92663

How long have you lived in Newport Beach? 12 YEARS Home Phone 949-548-4408

Business Address: 351N. NEWPORT BLVD, #533 Business Phone 949-548-4408  
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92663 Email Address Laheymgmt@aol.com

Have you ever been convicted of any crime or violation of any law or statute other than minor traffic violations?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \* (If yes, please attach a separate sheet)

Name and Location of Colleges/ Universities Attended	Major	Degree	Last Year Attended
<u>UNIV. OF WISCONSIN</u>	<u>PSYCHOLOGY</u>	<u>BACH. SCIENCE</u>	<u>1965</u>

Prior or Current Civic Experience (Include membership in professional, charity or community organizations)	Office Held (if any)	Dates of Membership
<u>NEWPORT HARBOE HREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</u>	<u>BUSINESS DEVELOP</u>	<u>1998- NOW</u>
<u>AMERICAN LEGION POST 291</u>	<u>COMMANDER</u>	<u>1991- NOW</u>



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The City Council needs a working member who is prepared to effectively support the efforts and objectives of the present City Council. One who understands the needs of the residents, who understands business operations, and who is a proven supporter of the community. I meet all those requirements and I believe I am the best qualified to serve the City of Newport Beach as the Council Member from District 2.

I am a long time resident. My wife, Britt, and I have lived in the same house in District 2 for the past 11 years. We have lived in Newport Beach for 21 of the last 30 years. I met with many residents of other parts of the City when I ran for this same City Council seat in the last election. The various candidate forums gave me an opportunity to listen to resident concerns and for them to evaluate me as a candidate. I finished second in that election, receiving approximately twice as many votes as the candidate finishing third.

The City Council is charged with overseeing a large business operation with many employees, tight budgets and challenging expectations. I have the business experience to contribute in those areas. I have more than 15 years experience in the technology field with companies including IBM and Unisys. I had P&L responsibility for 17 employees and a \$5,000,000.00 budget when I was branch manager with Unisys. Our branch specialized in designing and installing information systems for local cities. As Commander of the 2,200 member American Legion Post 291, I managed a \$1,000,000.00 a year operation that included a restaurant and marina operation. I taught business problem solving and decision making techniques to Fortune 100 executives when I was with the renowned organization development firm, Kepner-Tregoe, Inc. My wife, a fashion designer, has owned a boutique in Lido Marina Village for more than ten years and has just opened up a design studio in the area.

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My community support and volunteer efforts have come primarily through the American Legion and the Newport Harbor Area Chamber of Commerce. I have contributed many thousands of hours to the various charity events. For the last five years I have been co-chairman of the Legion delegation to the annual Sail for the Visually Impaired. I continue as co-chairman of the annual Legion Law Enforcement Awards Dinner honoring Newport Beach Area safety personnel. I continue to work on the annual Old Glory 4<sup>th</sup> of July Boat Parade that is enjoyed by thousands of Newport Beach residents every year. At the Newport Harbor Area Chamber of Commerce I serve on the Business Development Council, and volunteer at other events like the Taste of Newport.

I have prepared myself to be an effective representative of District 2 and of the City of Newport Beach. I have demonstrated my dedication to our community through my many years of volunteer effort. I am ready to be a contributing team player on the City Council. I have run for this position before and I believe I deserve to be appointed to it now. Thank you for your consideration.

**AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT AND OATH OR  
AFFIRMATION OF ALLEGIANCE  
FOR APPOINTMENT TO FILL THE UNEXPIRED  
CITY COUNCIL TERM FOR DISTRICT 2**

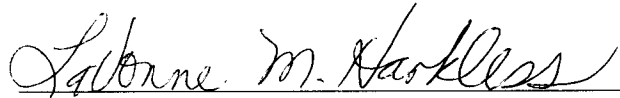
State of California        }  
                                      } ss.  
County of Orange         }

I, DENNIS P. LAHEY, being duly sworn says that he/she has been and will be a registered elector of District 2 for at least thirty (30) days immediately preceding appointment assuming appointment occurs between the date of this affidavit and midnight on October 29, 2003 and that if appointed I will accept the office of Council Member from District 2.

I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.

  
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Signature of Applicant

Subscribed and Sworn to Before Me on Oct. 9, 2003.

  
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Notary Public or City Clerk