

Village of Poplar Grove

Village Board

200 N. Hill Street

Poplar Grove, IL 61065

July 26, 2023

Dear Village President and Trustees:

I would be humbled and honored to serve the community and the Village Board, should I be selected for appointment to the vacancy on the on the Planning and Zoning Commission. The strong analytical skills and common sense I have acquired through years of legal practice will provide a unique perspective to the Commission and add value to the recommendations made to the Board.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Austin Scott Davies

Enclosure:

Resume

Austin Scott Davies

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

OWNER & ATTORNEY, Midwest Legal Care: 6/04/20 to Present

- ♦ Midwest Legal Care concentrates its law practice in divorce, family law, and general civil and criminal litigation

ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY, Castlebrook Law, P.C.: 5/1/19 to 6/30/2020

- ♦ *Family and Criminal Law:* Practicing criminal law, family law, and serving as Guardian ad Litem

ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY, Pro Legal Care, LLC: 2/1/18 to 4/22/19

- ♦ *General Practice:* Representing clients in a variety of civil, criminal, juvenile, and administrative cases

ASSISTANT STATE'S ATTORNEY, Winnebago County State's Attorney's Office: 11/14/16 to 1/10/18

- ♦ *Juvenile Abuse and Neglect:* Prosecuting matters of child abuse and neglect, including custody hearings, adjudications, permanency hearings, terminations of parental rights, and ICWA matters
- ♦ *711 Licensed Practice (Prior to 11/14/16):* Prosecuting jury and bench trials, practicing civil and criminal matters, including assistance with murder trial and with civil matters involving the county

EDUCATION/LICENSES

ILLINOIS STATE BAR, Law License, ARDC No. 6323790, 11/10/16

JURIS DOCTOR, *Cum Laude*, 5/28/16

Northern Illinois University, College of Law, DeKalb, IL

BACHELOR OF ARTS, 12/16/07

Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL

Major: Political Science/Public Administration

ACCOLADES

Thomson Reuters's SuperLawyers
Illinois Rising Stars, 2023

What Rocks Community Choice
Award
Best traffic attorney, 2018

AFFILIATIONS

ISBA, member

WCBA, member

Federalist Society, member

BOARDS & COMMITTEES

BCRCC

Appointed Precinct
Committeeman, 1/23/23 to Present

WCRCC

Precinct Committeeman &
Executive Committee, member
3/30/16 to 5/23/22

IL Republican State Convention

Delegate, 5/21/16
Delegate, 6/13/20