



### Jim Walton Qualifications for Business Manager:

I have been a member of NCCC for 22 years during that time I have belonged to Corvette Indy, Bay Area and Boone Trail Corvette Clubs.

At the National Level I served 2 terms as Parliamentarian, at the region level I have served four terms as Region Executive and I served in various club positions at Corvette Indy, including President 4yrs, VP 4yrs, Governor .

I have maintained an Insurance agent license for 14 years; and understanding of insurance language and the do's and don'ts of insurance will be a very useful tool as the Business Manager. Insurance coverage is not getting simpler or cheaper, having an understanding of the business should prove to be beneficial when working with current and future insurance agencies.

My academic background is Business Administration, Accounting and Computer Science. Both of which seem to be appropriate for conducting ongoing business as well as addressing the challenges faced by NCCC.

I have been an active competitor: Winning the Indiana Region Champion twice and taking 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> multiple times, The Low Speed Chairperson for the 2002 Convention, Participating in Car Shows, Cruises & Charity events and as a resource to the Clubs of the Indiana & West Kentucky Region. People's choice Chairperson for the 2013 Convention

### WHY I THINK I'M THE BEST NOMINEE FOR THIS OFFICE?

NCCC is blessed with really great members and I'm sure that anyone else seeking this position would be more than qualified to do the job. Having Said that I believe my previous experience as a member of the NCCC Executive Board and my background puts me in a unique position to contribute to NCCC as we face the ever changing future.

Required Managerial skills: I have the ability to monitor and insure NCCC business meetings are conducted in compliance with NCCC By-Laws, Standing Rules, *Robert's Rules of order* and Common Sense using 3 key principles: 1. Doing business one thing at a time 2. Promote courtesy, justice, impartiality, and equality 3. The rule of the majority while protecting the rights of the individual, minority and absent members. I also have the ability to apply Patience without giving up control. While allowing folks to have their say, meetings should be conduct with a respect for everyone's time.

There has to be an element of control to make discussions stay focused and not to make it personal and move along. I'm experienced in running meetings and managing people's time: Thru out my career I have managed professional teams as large as 50 people, conduct and organized large national meetings and conferences.

People Skills: By profession I'm a Computer Software Salesman accustom to negotiating deals where you look for the Win-Win for everyone involved. I don't take business personally; if I disagree with someone, even with a heated discussion, it's just business and not taken personally. I would execute the office of Business Manager with this same attitude.

Thank you for your time in reading this and again allowing me the privilege and honor for serving and running for this office.

Jim Walton