

TO: The Cheshire County Shooting Sports Education Foundation Nominating Committee

FROM: Otto A Busher III

Please accept this letter as my application for candidacy to be elected as a Member of the CCSSEF Board of Directors at the 2023 CCSSEF Annual Members Meeting in October 2023. I am currently a “Member in Good Standing” of CCSSEF. I have been an active CCSSEF member for several years, and currently serve on both the CCSSEF Finance Committee and the Tax Abatement Committee. I am the current CCSSEF Chief Range Safety Officer and the Chairman of the Foundation’s Board of Directors.

I currently have certification and credentials as a National Rifle Association Chief Range Safety Officer, NRA Range Safety Officer, NRA Basic Rifle, NRA Basic Pistol, and NRA Basic Shotgun Instructor. I served as a commissioned officer in the US Army Corps of Engineers for over 30 years. I have also completed numerous US Government firearms training courses. I have been teaching Basic Rifle Marksmanship since 1978, and have over 30 years of experience teaching firearms operation / safety. I have been a US Department of Defense Range Safety Officer and Officer in Charge on over 100 ranges located on 4 continents, responsible for logistics, range operation, and range safety. I have been a coach / instructor at several NRA Women on Target, NRA Basic Pistol, NRA Basic Shotgun and NRA Basic Rifle Courses. I completed the USCCA “Concealed Carry & Home Defense” Instructors Course in December 2022

I have the knowledge of shooting education activities, amateur shooting sports competition, safe firearms range operations, and range management necessary to participate on the CCSSEF Board of Directors and contribute to future Foundation management.

I look forward to discussing my qualifications and plans for making CCSSEF a premier training, educational and recreational shooting facility at the next Cheshire County Shooting Sports Education Foundation Annual Members Meeting.

Very Respectfully,

Otto A Busher III