THE ROLE OF TREASURER

The treasurer submits recommended policies to the Board concerning financial planning and budgeting; approves all Board expenses for payment; serves as chair of NALA's Budget Committee, which develops a budget for each fiscal year; presents financial reports to the Board and membership; and sits on the Executive Committee. The treasurer is elected by the membership.

CANDIDATE FOR NALA TREASURER: VICKI KASPER, ACP



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Paralegal Since: 01/01/2009

NALA Member Since: 07/11/2009

Educational Background: B.S. Degree - Paralegal Studies from an ABA approved program.

Professional Certification/Awards: Certified Paralegal | Advanced Certified Paralegal - Business Organizations:

Incorporated Entities.

Volunteer Activities: Current NALA Treasurer | Past Area 3 Director | Past Continuing Education Counsel member | Past Ethics Chair of the Ethics Committee | Past Professional Development Committee member |

Author for Facts and Findings | Past volunteer for The Rocky Mountain Innocence Project | Past volunteer for Fargo-Moorhead Rape and Abuse Crisis Center

Membership in other Associations: Red River Valley Paralegal Association (RRVPA) - Past president and past member | Utah Valley Paralegal Association (UPA) - Past NALA Liaison and Current Secretary and Member.

Other Qualifications or Comments: I believe my current service on the NALA Board of Directors as Treasurer and my past service as NALA Area 3 Director, where I have served on the NALA Budget Committee and gained knowledge of NALA's financial planning and budgeting goals, my current service on the board of my local NALA affiliate, my past service on the board at my local church, and my work on the various NALA committees throughout my 16 years as a paralegal gives me the experience necessary to continue to be an effective NALA board member and officer. I am grateful to have served in the various roles for NALA and I am passionate about the paralegal profession. I hold myself accountable to see tasks to completion. I am organized and dependable. I have strong communication skills, both verbal and written, and my "can do" attitude will continue to be an asset to NALA and the NALA board.

To be a truly great board member requires having good character, a strong commitment to the paralegal profession, the gift of time, and a willingness to use personal and professional resources to advance NALA's mission. Tell us your "why." Why are you interested in serving on the NALA Board of Directors?

With 17 years of experience as a paralegal, I am dedicated to advancing our profession and ensuring its success. My service with NALA, including as Treasurer over the past year, has deepened my understanding of the responsibilities of serving on the Board and strengthened my passion for positively impacting the organization.

I am committed to NALA's mission of promoting the paralegal profession, advocating for education and ethics, and providing valuable resources to members. My combined experience as a paralegal and board member provides me with a unique perspective to contribute meaningfully to NALA's goals.

I am eager to continue supporting NALA and its members, giving back to the profession that has offered me so many opportunities. My "why" is simple: to serve, lead, and help shape the future of the paralegal profession while supporting my fellow professionals.

My prior and current leadership as a member of the budget and executive committees, has allowed me to work to ensure NALA's financial stability, enabling the organization to tackle future projects and remain a leader in the field.

Watch Vicki's candidate video here.