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City Council Ukraine

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A letter of motivation

Over the past 13 years of working in local government in Ukraine and more than two years in the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities of the Council of Europe, I have once again realized that it is important to create favorable conditions for the development of local democracy, human rights and governance on the continent.

Undoubtedly, the past year and a half have been challenging for local governments in Ukraine and Europe, which have been forced to face the challenges of war and stand up for their citizens.

Today we continue to work for our common victory, helping soldiers and people who lost their homes because of the war.

With this letter, I would like to express my sincere desire to become a Vice President of the Chamber of Local Government at the Congressional elections in October 2023.

As Vice President of the Chamber of Local Government, I will continue to create and implement effective management practices, increase the sustainability of our municipalities, accumulating and applying best initiatives for the future of our community.

I would appreciate your support for my candidacy for the position of Vice President of the Chamber of Local Authorities of the Congress of the Council of Europe.

Thank you for attention to my letter!

Best regards,



Oksana DERKACH



CV

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

1982 – 1987 *Poltava State Pedagogical Institute named after V.G. Korolenko, Poltava city.*

Studied at the Poltava State Pedagogical Institute named after V.G. Korolenko and graduated with a highest education degree in «Ukrainian Language and Literature».

1998 -2001 *Kharkiv Branch of the Ukrainian Academy of Public Administration under the President of Ukraine, Kharkiv city.*

Studied at the Kharkiv branch of the Ukrainian Academy of Public Administration under the President of Ukraine and received a Master's degree in «Public Administration».

PERSONAL INFO

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WORK EXPERIENCE

1987-1995 **Teacher of Ukrainian language and literature**

1996-2005 **Consultant, Head of the Work with Local Governments Sector**
Poltava Regional State Administration, Poltava

2005-2010 **Consultant assistant to the Members of Parliament of Ukraine**
Kyiv

Nov 2010 - Sep 2018 **Deputy of the Poltava City Council**
Poltava City Council, Poltava

2010 -2018 **Secretary of the Poltava City Council**
Poltava City Council, Poltava

2018-2020 **Private entrepreneur**
Poltava

2021 – 2022 **Assistant to the City Mayor (patronage service)**
Poltava City Council, Poltava

2022 - today **Specialist in the International Projects Coordination and Investment Attraction Department**
Municipal organization «City Development Institute» of Poltava City Council, Poltava

PUBLIC WORK

Deputy of the City Council for three convocations, Head of the public organization "Unity 2018", Vice President of the public organization "Ukrainian Business Women" of Poltava branch. As the Secretary of the Poltava City Council, I have initiated and implemented a participatory budgeting program, and have launched a program for parks and squares reconstruction in Poltava. The project "Reviving the Dendropark Together" was successfully implemented. The city development strategy «Poltava-2030» was developed.

On February 10, 2021, by the Presidential Decree, I was appointed as a member of the Ukrainian delegation to the Congress of the Council of Europe.

In October 2021, I was elected as Vice-President of the Congress Chamber of Local Authorities. And became a member of the Bureau of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities of the Council of Europe.

Citizen of Ukraine. No criminal records.