




CANDIDATE RESUME

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the High Court, membership of the High Court will be restricted to only one member from any family.¹

Office Sought: High Court Trustee			
SECTION A: PERSONAL PROFILE			
1. Full Legal Name: Wesley Paul Even			
2. Court Name/Number ^A : St. Mary Court 1099			
3. Membership Date ^B : 10/01/1980			
4. Are you a Catholic Order of Foresters member in good standing and a practicing Roman Catholic in union with Rome as defined in the Order's Constitution and Bylaws? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
5. Are you a citizen of the United States? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
6. Current Address: 3970 Arizona Ave			
7. Marital status: Single	7a. Spouse name:		
8. Have you ever been separated or divorced? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes", explain below.			
9. Email: wesleyeven@msn.com			
^A According to Section 13 of the <i>Constitution and Bylaws</i> , "No more than one High Court member may be a member of the same local court. No more than two High Court members may come from the same jurisdiction."			
^B According to Section 13 of the <i>Constitution and Bylaws</i> , "A High Court officer or trustee/director candidate must have been a member in good standing for two full years before nomination."			
SECTION B: EDUCATION, COURT EXPERIENCE			
School Name	City/State	Graduate	Degree/Certificate
1. High: Don Bosco Central Catholic High School, Gilbertville, IA		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Diploma
2. College: Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	M.S. & PhD
2a. If you received a college education, provide your field of study and major:	Field of study Physics	Major Physics	
3. Other: B.S. Physics, University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, IA		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
4. List prior Catholic Order of Foresters offices held, including all jurisdiction/state and/or local court titles and dates. Attach additional paper for more space.			
St. Mary Court 1099: Vice Chief Ranger (2002-2003), Trustee (2020-2022), Web Administrator (2018-present)			
Iowa Jurisdiction Court: Elected Trustee in 2024			

¹Family is defined as parent, child, grandchild, grandparent, sibling, and in-laws of any of the previous individuals.



SECTION C: PROFESSIONAL, OCCUPATIONAL AND BUSINESS AFFILIATIONS

1a. Provide name of your current employer and occupation.

1b. Provide a brief narrative of your current occupational role and responsibilities.

1c. List your employment history for the last five (5) years.

2. List all current professional, occupational and/or vocational licenses you hold.

3. Provide details of any affiliation or association you (or your spouse) have with another insurer or fraternal organization.

4. Briefly state why you are qualified for the position you seek. Why would you be an asset to the Order? Use additional paper for more space.



SECTION D: GENERAL KNOWLEDGE OF FRATERNAL BENEFIT SYSTEM OPERATIONS	
1. Do you possess a general knowledge of the Fraternal Benefit System?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
2. Do you possess a general knowledge of the Order's fraternal workings?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
3. Do you possess a general insurance management knowledge?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4. Do you possess a general investment management knowledge?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
5. Are you free to travel on the Order's business?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6. Do you have the time to devote to completing the orientation and educational training as required by the High Court?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
7. Do you understand that failure to comply with all orientation and educational training as required by the High Court within twelve (12) months of taking office will result in the forfeiture of your elected High Court position?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
8. Do you have a valid Driver's License?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
9. Are you prepared to devote the necessary time to fulfilling your responsibility as a High Court Trustee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
10. Are you familiar with COF's life insurance and products?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
11. Are you familiar with the core characteristics, key competencies, and desired experiences required by the High Court?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
12. Do you possess one (1) or more of the characteristics, key competencies, and desired experiences as set forth by the High Court?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
13. List all characteristics, key competencies, and desired experiences that you possess.	
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14. Are you familiar with COF's mission?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
15. Do you support COF's mission?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
16. Describe in narrative form how you support COF's mission.	
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SECTION E: AUTHORIZATION AND CERTIFICATION

I attest the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I voluntarily authorize Catholic Order of Foresters to verify any information deemed necessary and to contact any individuals, schools, organizations, or investigative agencies.

This resume and accompanying photograph may be reproduced and distributed to the Catholic Order of Foresters Nominating/Election Committee, High Court officers and accredited National Convention delegates.

I further understand that all candidates are permitted to prepare a video, not to extend longer than three (3) minutes in length, that will be posted online to the catholicforester.org website. The video, which must be submitted by the deadline, may be accessible for viewing by Catholic Order of Foresters members, High Court officers and accredited National Convention delegates, and other visitors to the website.

Full Legal Name:

Full Legal Signature

Wesley Even

Date

CANDIDATE VIDEO

You may create and submit an optional video of yourself, not to extend longer than 3 minutes in length, that will be posted to the catholicforester.org website.

Your video must be submitted by June 3, 2024, to be reviewed for compliance with the stated 3-minute time length.

All posted videos may be accessible for viewing by Catholic Order of Foresters members, High Court officers and accredited National Convention delegates, and other visitors to the Catholic Order of Foresters' website.

To submit your video, please visit and click the hyperlink at catholicforester.org/2024-convention-landing-page.

CANDIDATE PHOTO

Please attach or upload a 3 x 5-inch or 4 x 7-inch digital professional photos of yourself by June 3, 2024. Your submitted photo will be placed on the first page of the Candidate Resume and may be used on the Catholic Order of Foresters' website and other Convention and Order-related materials.

To submit your photo, attach it when submitting this application. To submit your photo at a later date, visit and click the hyperlink at catholicforester.org/2024-convention-landing-page.

NOMINATING/ELECTION COMMITTEE CANDIDATE APPROVAL

Signature

David E. Huber

Date

7/17/2024



SECTION F: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Use this space to provide additional information.



NOMINATION PETITION FOR OFFICE

Please print clearly.

I, _____, hereby file my nomination petition for the
Candidate's Full Legal Name

office of _____ with the Catholic Order of Foresters.
Office Name

A copy of my resume is attached.

CANDIDATE CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that all information contained in my Candidate Resume and Nomination Petition for Office form is true, complete, and to the best of my knowledge correct.

Candidate's Full Legal Signature

Date

Wesley Even