Oakdale Gun Club
Uniform Application for all Elected Board Positions

Name _____Bryan Strawser_____

Position applied for: _____Director, Safety & Security_____

Number of years you have been an Oakdale Gun Club member? ___3____

Do you currently have a computer with Internet, basic computer skills and a valid E-mail account? Yes

Are you able to attend all 24 meetings per year as required of this position? (both General and Board) Yes

Special Skills, interests or knowledge pertinent to the position you are seeking:

- NRA Instructor (Pistol, Shotgun, Rifle, Personal Protection Inside the Home, Personal Protection Outside the Home, Home Firearms Safety, Metallic Cartridge Reloading, Refuse to be a Victim, & Shotgun Shell Reloading)
- NRA Chief Range Safety Officer
- Oakdale Gun Club – Lead Range Officer
- Minnesota Permit to Carry Instructor – Minnesota Association of Defensive Firearms Instructors (MADFI)
- 20 Years – Security, Emergency Management, Risk, and Crisis Management Experience – including leadership of security teams, technology systems, compliance and training programs, and expense/capital planning
- Significant non-profit board experience (Committee Chair, Board Member, Financial Oversight)

Why are you seeking this position?

I believe strongly in the potential that Oakdale Gun Club has as a great private club and occasional public facility for the shooting sports. I'd like to be a part of a board of directors that brings our members together, operates transparently and with integrity, and collaboratively makes decisions for the betterment of our club.

Why do you think you would be the best candidate for this position?

I bring a unique combination of experience to this role. Having been a senior business and security leader for a Fortune 500 company, a board member and committee chair for a national non-profit organization, a NRA Chief Range Safety Officer, and as a NRA and MADFI Instructor, I believe I will be able to both serve the interests of our members by ensuring safe and secure range & business operations – and build a stronger, more transparent, and collaborative board of directors.

**********Board / Nominating Committee Notes or comments: (this space not for applicant use)**********