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To: Hope Kennedy **Subject:** New Form Submission

Organization: North Tampa Bay Chamber

Form Name: Board of Directors Nominee Questionnaire-2023/2024

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| Field | User's Response |
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| Title | |
| First Name | Gilbert |
| Last Name | Bennett |
| Suffix | III |
| Company | My Easy Mortgage |
| Title | Mortgage Loan Originator / Partner |
| Yes | Yes/True |
| No | No/False |
| Why do you want to serve on the Chamber board? | I want the opportunity to serve the chamber that has connected me with so many of my own vendors and clients. And to further serve the community that have supported me in my career. |
| What skills or expertise can you bring to the Chamber board? | For the last 9 years I've been in the mortgage business, operating a team and literally watching and participating in this areas growth by financing residential real estate. My background prior to mortgage finance operations and technology management primarily responsible for reducing costs and improving operations for academic institutions. The skillset that I believe can benefit the chamber the most is my ability to understand and find solutions to a variety of problems through listening and synthesizing disparate sources of information. |
| Will other non-profit or professional commitments prevent you from fulfilling your commitment to the Chamber board? If yes, what are they? | No |

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| Board members are expected to serve on or chair a committee. In which area can you contribute your expertise or work? | Finance |
| What community organizations have you previously served? | Rotary Club of Wesley Chapel Noon |
| What aspect of board service appeals to you? | Getting tight with a group of people who really want to see this area grow and succeed. |
| What do you hope to gain from board service? | Deeper roots in this community, better connections with the members of the chamber, and improved visibility within the community. |
| Yes | Yes/True |
| No | No/False |
| Yes | Yes/True |
| No | No/False |
| Yes | Yes/True |
| No | No/False |
| Resume/CV | No/False |
| LinkedIn Profile | Yes/True |
| Other | No/False |
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