

Kim R. Widup

QUALIFICATIONS PROFILE

Seasoned Law Enforcement Executive with solid and progressive experience in all facets of law enforcement and security management. Highly skilled in conducting investigations at all levels of an organization including those pertaining to senior executives. Routinely handled large and complex caseloads. Supervised and conducted some of the most complex investigations in the United States. Earned a national reputation for bringing complex investigative matters to conclusion in as short of time period as possible. Maintain an extensive background in investigations with proven skills in interviewing, report writing, problem solving and decision making. Strong analytical skills with a well known personal philosophy of thoroughness and attention to detail.

Additional Core Competencies

Leadership • Experience • High Level Investigations • Employee Integrity Investigations • Interviewing • Testifying • Complex Investigations • Nationally Known and Highly Credible • High Level Security Clearance • Oral and Written Communications • Strategic Planning • Problem Solving • Team Player with Extraordinary Gravitas • Federal Government Expert and Department of Justice Professional

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Nominated and appointed by the President and confirmed by the U.S. Senate as United States Marshal for the Northern District of Illinois
- Supervised over 200 law enforcement personnel and managed one of the largest U.S. Marshals Service Districts in the United States
- Testified before the United States Senate on Courthouse Security
- Spearheaded the investigation and 24/7 security for a federal District Judge after her husband and mother were murdered by a pro se litigant
- Managed an annual budget of over \$37.5 million with the U.S. Marshals Service
- Supervised the completion of the investigation of the former President which resulted in his agreement to settle his case with the United States, bringing the matter to closure
- In a nine month period recovered in excess of \$100 million in fines and restitution through investigations supervised as an Assistant Special Agent in Charge
- Lead investigation and supervised other investigators during the public corruption investigation of the former U.S. Secretary of Agriculture and others
- Responsible for the conduct of major public corruption or fraud investigations that had national or international implications

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Cook County Sheriffs Board- Chicago, IL

Commissioner/Board Member (Feb 2010-Present)

- Adjudicate disciplinary cases against members of the Cook County Sheriffs Department to include Cook County Police Officers, Deputy Sheriffs and Correctional Officers
- Conduct trials/hearings as the presiding officer
- Establish the pre-hiring standards, qualifications and screening of any new law enforcement personnel employed by the Cook County Sheriffs Department

USIS - Falls Church, VA

Site Manager for Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), Secure Communities Program,

Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Chicago, IL (Jan 2010 – Present)

- Supervise a team of analysts and program specialists assigned to a contract with the Enforcement and Removal Office, ICE, Chicago, IL
- Manage projects and relations with Field Office and ICE headquarters regarding analytical work performed by contract staff.
- Prepare significant case reports for any matters developed by the Secure Communities Program for inclusion in ICE briefings at Headquarters and the White House
- Coordinate with ICE Field Office Management in performing outreach with other law enforcement agencies regarding the Secure Communities Program

United States Marshals Service - Chicago, IL

United States Marshal, Northern District of Illinois, USDOJ (2002 – 2009)

- Responsible for the protection of the federal judiciary and the security of all federal courthouses in the Northern District of Illinois
- Supervised the daily management of approximately 1,000 federal pre-trial detainees, several million dollars in contracts with 11 correctional institutions, and the court security officer program
- Responsible for the security operations of all federal high-threat criminal trials (including terrorism trials), the management of judicial threats and threat investigations, the operation of the federal asset forfeiture program, the management of the movement of federal prisoners via aircraft, and the apprehension of violent fugitives
- Created the first multi-agency judicial threat investigation task force in Northern Illinois; restructured the security for the Dirksen Federal Courthouse in Chicago
- Initiated a multi-agency violent crimes fugitive task force which became a national leader in fugitive apprehensions

- Spearheaded the apprehension of sexual predators through the Adam Walsh Act. Worked with the Attorney General of Illinois in this effort

Office of the Independent Counsel - Washington, DC

Chief of Investigations (2000-2002)

- Appointed by Independent Counsel Robert W. Ray to lead and supervise the investigation of the former President of the United States
- Testified in legal proceedings related to the investigation as case agent
- Planned and executed the investigation and brought to a resolution
- Coauthored and edited the final report of investigation
- Served as the Independent Counsel's advisor on all law enforcement matters

Office of the Inspector General, Investigations, USDA - Chicago, IL; Washington, DC; Hyattsville, MD; and Temple, TX

Assistant Special Agent-in-Charge (1979-2000)

- As an ASAC turned Chicago office into the top producer in the Office of the Inspector General in the number of indictments, number of investigations conducted, and dollars recovered
- Conducted and supervised investigation of the former Secretary of Agriculture
- Expert in conducting complex investigations, particularly public corruption investigations
- Conducted investigation into the theft of more than 30 C-130 and P-3 aircraft valued at over \$150 million which resulted in an extensive jury trial with the defendants being convicted
- Testified in over 50 criminal trials as case agent for the United States
- Led every office assigned to in number of investigations worked and dollars recovered

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- Awarded three Certificates of Meritorious Service
- Awarded the Secretary of Agriculture's award for Investigative Excellence
- Received the Vice President of the United States Hammer Award
- Nominee for the Fraud Investigator of the Year
- Received over 50 letters of commendation for investigative, supervisory, and management accomplishments from members of the Federal Judiciary, the Chief of Staff of the United States, United States Attorneys, the Central Intelligence Agency, the FBI Director, and various federal and state law enforcement agencies
- High level security clearance recently renewed
- Instructed federal and state officers in Interviewing Techniques, Report Writing, Testifying, Officer Survival, and Conducting Complicated Investigations

- Instruct at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center on the conducting of public corruption investigations
- Instructed the National Sheriff's Association and others on judicial and courthouse security
- Received Associates of Applied Science Degree with High Honors and on the Dean's List
- Selected for membership in Phi Theta Kappa
- Member of ASIS International
- Member of Association Certified Fraud Examiners
- Member International Association of Chiefs of Police
- Executive Board of the Northern District of Illinois Joint Terrorism Task Force for seven years
- Former Chair of the United States Marshals Service Shooting Review Board
- Senior Member of the United States Marshals Service Judicial Threat and Analytical Assessment Commission which was created to analyze threats against the judiciary
- Former President of girls fast pitch softball organization
- Involved in community activities