

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
Boards and Appointments
Application

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Contact

1- General

Title	Dr.	First Name	Robert
Middle/Maiden		Last Name	Scaringe
Email Address	rps@mainstream-engr.com	Cell Phone	321-258-1425
Race	Caucasian	Gender	Male
Fax	321-631-3552	Disability	No

Addresses

Specify the preferred mailing address: Business

2- Residence

Address Line 1	6191 Anchor Lane	Address Line 2	
City	Rockledge	State	Florida
County	Brevard	Zip / Postal Code	32955
Phone Number	321-258-1425		

3- Business

Address Line 1	Mainstream Engineering Corporation	Address Line 2	200 Yellow Place
City	Rockledge	State	Florida
Zip / Postal Code	32955	Phone Number	321-631-3550

Other Residences

4-A. List all your places of residence for the last ten (10) years.

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Address	City & State	Start Date	End Date
6191 Anchor Lane	Rockledge, FL	January 1984	current

4-B. List all your former and current residences outside of Florida that you have maintained at any time during adulthood.

Address	City & State	Start Date	End Date
1701 Tibbets Ave	Troy, NY	June 1976	June 1983

Personal Information

5- Date of Birth 09/11/1952 Place of Birth Manhasset, NY
 6- Driver License # s. 97.0585(1)(c) F.S. Issuing State Florida
 7- Social Security # s. 119.071(5)(a) F.S.
 8- Have you ever used or been known by any other legal name? No 9- A. Are you a United States citizen? Yes

B. If you are a naturalized citizen, date of naturalization

10- Since what year have you been a continuous resident of Florida? 1982

11- Vote

Are you a registered Florida voter? Yes
 County of registration Brevard Current Party Affiliation Republican

Education

12-A. High School Wantagh H.S Year Graduated 1970

B. List all postsecondary educational institutions attended

Name & Location	Start Date	End Date	Certificates / Degrees Received
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	1970	1974	BSME
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	1974	1975	MSME
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	1975	1978	Ph.D. M.E.

Employment

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13- Are you or have you ever been a member of the armed forces of the United States? No

A. Date of Service

B. Branch or component

C. Date & Type of Discharge

14- Concerning your current employer and for all of your employment during the last ten years, list your employer's name, business address, type of business, occupation or job title, and period(s) of employment.

Employer's Name & Address	Type of Business	Occupation / Job Title	Start Date	End Date
Mainstream Engineering Corporation	RD Engineering Manufacturing	President Founder	1986	Current

15- Have you ever been employed by any state, district, or local governmental agency in Florida? No

Position	Employing Agency	Start Date	End Date
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Appointments

16- A. State your experiences and interests or elements of your personal history that qualify you for this appointment

As a graduate of the oldest Polytechnic Institute in America, I understand the polytechnic approach and believe it is a key element in advancing high-technology education and stimulating technology spin-offs. I have always been actively involved in improving technical education, having served on university advisory boards, written textbooks, advised graduate students, developed curriculums, and taught at several universities. Having started several successful technical business, I understand the factors that help support successful technical spin-offs and the role of the polytechnic university in this process.

C. Have you received any awards or recognitions relating to the subject matter of this appointment?
Yes

ASME Fellow, Ford Foundation Fellow, DuPont Fellow, NASA Certificate of Recognition, NASA Tech Achievement Award, Canaveral Council of Tech Societies. - Tech Achievement Award, Sadowsky Prize for Outstanding Engineering Achievement.

B. Have you received any degree(s), professional certification(s), or designations(s) related to the subject matter of this appointment?
Yes

BS, MS, Ph.D. from a Polytechnic Institute, more than 10 years on the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Mechanical/Aeronautical/Nuclear Engineering (MANE) Advisory Board, Member Brevard Community College HVAC Advisory Board, more than 20 years experience as an Adjunct Research Professor, more than 5 years as a full time engineering professor, more than 37 years in the tech community with 5 successful tech start-ups. Author of 5 textbooks, 100+ publications and 50+ patents.

D. Identify all association memberships and association offices held by you that relate to this appointment

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ASME Fellow, SAE, ASHRAE, Society of Military Engineers, Founders Forum, Pi Tau Sigma Honorary Mechanical Engineering Research Fraternity, Sigma Xi Scientific Research Society of North America, RPI MANE Advisory Board, Eastern State College HVAC Advisory Board, Former UCF ME Advisory Board, Brevard County Schools Board of Reference

17- Do you currently hold an office or position (appointive, civil service, or other) with the federal or any foreign government? No

18- Have you previously been appointed to any office that required confirmation by the Florida Senate? No

Title of Office	Term of Appointment	Confirmation Result
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19- A. Have you ever been elected or appointed to any public office in this state? No

Office Title	Date of Election or Appointment	Term of Office	Level of Government (city, county, district, state, federal)
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B. If your service was on an appointed board(s), committee(s), or council(s)

1- How frequently were meetings scheduled

2- If you missed any of the regularly scheduled meetings, state the number of meetings you attended, the number you missed, and the reasons(s) for your absence(s)

Meetings Attended	Meetings Missed	Reason for Absence
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Violation

20- Have you ever been arrested, charged, or indicted for violation of any federal, state, county, or municipal law, regulation, or ordinance? (Exclude traffic violations for which a fine or civil penalty of \$150 or less was paid.) No

Date	Place	Nature	Disposition
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21- Has probable cause ever been found that you were in violation of the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees, Part III, Chapter 112, F.S.? No

Date	Nature of Violation	Disposition
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22- Have you ever been suspended from any office by the Governor of the State of Florida? No

Title of Office	Reason of Suspension
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Date of Suspension **Result** **Please Select**

23- Have you ever been refused a fidelity, surety, performance, or other bond? No

Certifications

24- Have you held or do you hold an occupational or professional license or certificate in the State of Florida? Yes

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25- Have you ever been a registered lobbyist or have you lobbied at any level of government at any time during the past five (5) years? No

A. Did you receive any compensation other than reimbursement for expenses? No

B. Name of agency or entity you lobbied and the principal(s) you represented

Agency Lobbies	Principal Represented

Disclosures

26- If required by law or administrative rule, will you file financial disclosure statements? No

27- A. Have you, or businesses of which you have been an owner, officer, or employee, held any contractual or other direct dealings during the last four (4) years with any state or local governmental agency in Florida, including the office or agency to which you have been appointed or are seeking appointment? Yes

Name of Business	Your Relationship to Business	Business Relationship to Agency
Rivian Automotive	Spinoff company owned by Mainstream	Received support from Space Florida and Florida Legislature

B. Have members of your immediate family (spouse, child, parents(s), siblings(s)), or businesses of which members of your immediate family have been owners, officers, or employees, held any contractual or other direct dealings during the last four (4) years with any state or local governmental agency in Florida, including the office or agency to which you have been appointed or are seeking appointment? Yes

Name of Business	Family Member's Relationship to You	Family Member's Relationship to Business	Business Relationship to Agency
Rivian Automotive	Son	CEO of Rivian	Received support from Space Florida and Florida Legislature

References & Affiliations

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28- List three persons who have known you well within the past five (5) years. Include a current, complete address and telephone number. Exclude your relatives and members of the Florida Senate.

Name	Mailing Address	Zip Code	Phone Number
Speaker Steve Crisafulli	5125 Mallard Lakes, Merrit Island, FL	32953	3212238862
Rep Ritch Workman	33 Suntree Pl, Viera, FL	32940	3212921880
Rep Debbie Mayfield	1820 Ocean Way, Vero Beach, FL	32963	7724730172

29- Name any business, professional, occupational, civic, or fraternal organizations(s) of which you are now a member, or of which you have been a member during the past five (5) years, the organization address(es), and date(s) of your membership(s)

Name	Mailing Address	Office(s) Held & Term	Date of Membership
First Robotic Competition	MCC, Melbourne, FL	Mentor Sponsor	#Error
RPI MANE Advisory Board	RPI, Troy, NY	Member	#Error
Eastern State College Advisory Board	ESC, Cocoa, FL	Member	#Error
Brevard County Schools Board of Reference	Brevard County Schools, Viera, FL	Member	#Error
Committee for More Manufacturing Jobs in Florida	6191 Anchor Ln, Rockledge, FL	Founder	#Error
Congressman Poseys Small Business Advisory Council	Congressman Posey District Office, Viera, FL	Member	#Error
FIT Research Professor	FIT Melbourne, FL	Adjunct Research Professor	#Error

30- Do you know of any reason why you will not be able to attend fully to the duties of the office or position to which you have been or will be appointed? No

31- Are you now, or in the past three years have you been, a member of any club or organization that, to your knowledge, in practice or policy, restricts membership or restricted membership during the time that you belonged on the basis of race, religion, national origin, or gender? If so, detail the name and nature of the club(s) or organization(s), relevant policies and practices, and state whether you intend to continue as a member if you appointed by the Governor? No

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Boards of Interest

Functional Category	Board Name	Seat	Seat Qualification	Reappointment
Education	Board of Trustees, Florida Polytechnic University	1	One member appointed by the Governor	No
Education	Board of Trustees, Florida Polytechnic University	5	One member appointed by the Governor	No
Education	Board of Trustees, Florida Polytechnic University	6	One member appointed by the Governor	No
Education	Board of Trustees, Florida Polytechnic University	2	One member appointed by the Governor	No
Education	Board of Trustees, Florida Polytechnic University	4	One member appointed by the Governor	No
Education	Board of Trustees, Florida Polytechnic University	3	One member appointed by the Governor	No