

Virginia Chapter/National Association of Tax Professionals
Application for Board Candidate

Candidate Name: Mark Sullivan

1. How long have you been a member of NATP, and what is your involvement with the Virginia Chapter?

Answer: I have been a member of the NATP since April 2023. At present my involvement with the chapter is as follows:

- I have been instrumental in editing the chapter newsletters this year. I have worked with April Kurzke to put out a better newsletter.
- I have submitted for inclusion in the newsletter Tax Tips.
- I reviewed the financial statements and requested that they been made available to the membership at large.

2. What is your tax background, and how do you stay current?

- I have been a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants since April 1986.
- I am a member of the AICPA Tax Section
- I am a member of the Not-for-Profit Section
- Annually, I attend the IRS National Tax Forum, held over 3 days
- I attend sessions offered by the "TaxSpeaker" Bob Jennings
- I am a member of the Maryland Society of Tax and Accounting Professionals

- I attend webinars offered by CPAAcademy.org
 - I attend annually the NATP AFTR course
 - I subscribe to WEBCE
 - I subscribe to CPE Inc.
 - I subscribe to Parker Tax Publishing
 - I attended the AICPA Tax Section biweekly Town Hall webinars
3. What do you feel that you can contribute to the Board of Directors of the VA NATP?
- Experience
 - Attention to detail
 - Further the purpose of the Chapter
 - Commitment
 - Enhance the chapter's offerings
4. What do you see as the primary role of the Board of Directors, and where do you see a need for change?
- The role should be that of an advocate for the members
 - Developing programs desired by the membership
5. Have you received the "Chapter Leadership Manual" (listing the duties of each Board member) and been advised on all that is required to be a Director on the Board?
- Yes

6. Will you be available to perform all duties, attending all meetings and conference calls?

- Yes