



Nomination for FACA Board of Directors

NAME: Paul Studivant

JOB TITLE: Division Manager

AGENCY: St. Johns County Animal Control

COUNTY WHERE LOCATED: St. Johns County

NARRATIVE:

Paul Studivant began his career in the field of animal control 29 years ago as an Officer with the St. Augustine Humane Society. After a few years, he accepted a position as an Animal Control Officer with St Johns County on February 16, 1995, and moved into the position of Division Manager in 2000. Studivant is the ESF-17 Coordinator for St. Johns County and enjoys working in the Emergency Operations Center during activations. Studivant has responded to numerous hurricanes, wildfires, and large-scale animal seizures, when requested, through his years of service with St. Johns County.

Studivant is certified as an ACO, a Euthanasia Technician, a Chemical Capture Technician, a Cruelty Investigator (University of Missouri-Columbia), LECALE certified (UF), as well as many others through the Division of Emergency Management and Response, St Johns County, The Department of Community Affairs, The National Weather Service, The American Red Cross, State Emergency Response Team and the Florida Emergency Preparedness Association.

It has been my honor to serve as a member of Florida Animal Control Association Board of Directors since 2008, Past President 2010 and 2014. I have represented F.A.C.A on several boards through my years of service, including as President of Florida Animal Friends, a member of the Florida Rabies Advisory Committee, and as a representative on the Florida State Agricultural Response Team.

I love serving my community and continue to wake up excited about what the day has to offer within the Division of Animal Control. If re-elected I will continue to represent Zone 4 on the board of FACA, where I have bringing the small agency perspective for almost 14 years.