BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION – Jon Cruzan

I graduated from Milton High School and have lived in Milton for 50+ years. Sue, born and raised in Milton (as were her parents), and I have been married for 47 years. We have two adult daughters, both graduates of the School District of Milton, and living in the Milton area. I earned a BA from Milton College and an MS from UW- Whitewater. Upon graduating from college, I taught 7th grade Social Studies for 7 years. After that I enjoyed 35+ years working in corporate Human Resources in banking and health care. Now retired, I invest my time in my four grandboys and in this phenomenal Milton community.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

“You can't control whether you're a native, but you can control whether you're a local. Locals are committed. Locals have found home. “ - Alan Briggs. I am honored and proud to be a Milton local and invite you to join me in that feeling.

I think of myself as a Community Catalyst. I am heavily invested in Milton and consider my many activities as part of the *civic rent* I owe to Milton for all it has given me and my family. Among those activities are:

Milton Area Youth Center – Co-Founder and past Chairman of the Board

Community Partner Award – Milton Police Department 2010

Milton Independence Day Run – Finish Line Volunteer

The Gathering Place – Past Board Member

Neighborhood Watch – Block Captain

Bike Trail Champion

Milton Area Chamber of Commerce – Board Development Committee, Board Member, Vice-Chair

Milton Seventh Day Baptist Church – Trustee, Deacon

Milton Public Library – Volunteer

Meals On Wheels – Volunteer

High School Reality Check – Volunteer

Blogger – Kids Matter

City of Milton – Ethics Board

School District of Milton Board of Education 2008 – 2017

Occasional Columnist – Cruz ‘n’ for Kindness