



Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Boards and Commissions

Public Statement

THIS IS A PUBLIC DOCUMENT: As a candidate for a public advisory group, the information provided will be available to the County Council, County Executive, and the public. All advisory group members are expected to be fair, impartial, and respectful of the public, County staff, and each other. Failure to abide by these expectations may result in revocation of appointment and removal from the appointive position.

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First Name	Susan
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Last Name	Johnson
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Today's Date	2/13/2024
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Street Address	
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City	Bellingham
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Zip	98229
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Do you live in Whatcom County?	Yes
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Do you have a different mailing address?	Field not completed.
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Primary Telephone	
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Secondary Telephone	Field not completed.
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Email Address	
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Step 2

1. Name of Advisory Group	Behavioral Health Advisory Committee
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Behavioral Health Advisory Committee Position:	Behavioral Health Professional
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2. Do you meet the residency, employment, and/or affiliation requirements of the position for which you're applying?	Yes
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3. Which Council district do you live in?	District 3
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4. Have you ever been a member of this Advisory Group	No
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5. Do you or your spouse have a financial interest in or are you an employee or officer of any business or agency that does business with Whatcom County?	No
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6. Have you declared candidacy (as defined by RCW 42.17A.055) for a paid elected office in any jurisdiction within the county?	No
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You may attach a resume or detailed summary of experience, qualifications, & interest in response to the following questions	S.Johnson CV.docx
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7. Please describe your occupation (or former occupation if retired), qualifications, professional	I am a LICSW practicing at PeaceHealth Cordata Internal Medicine in an Integrated Care setting working closely with primary care providers.
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and/or community activities,
and education

8. Please describe why you're
interested in serving on this
Advisory Group.

I helped to lead my former community's Behavioral Health strategic planning work and enjoy working at the community level to address barriers to care that I see my patients struggling with on a daily basis. Our current PeaceHealth representative Mullane also has a current conflicting meeting and was supportive of my interest in this group to represent PeaceHealth.

References (please include
daytime telephone number):

Rebecca Springs, LICSW - Integrated Behavioral Health Manager for PeaceHealth-
[REDACTED]
Dr. Kofi Bonnie - Director of Behavioral Health-Northwest [REDACTED] or
[REDACTED]
Jen Fanning-Executive Director of the Grand County Rural Health Network-Leader of
the Behavioral Health Strategic Planning group-([REDACTED])

Appointment Requirements

I understand and agree

Signature of applicant:

Susan Johnson
