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Jackie A Weller

Wednesday, June 18, 2025 8:51 AM

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FW: 1 of 3 attachments: FW: Boards and Commissions Application - Sati Mookherjee

City of Bellingham

Boards and Commissions Application

Entry Details

WHICH BOARD, COMMISSION OR WORK GROUP ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING?	Public Facilities District
NAME	Sati Mookherjee
EMAIL	
PRIMARY PHONE	
SECONDARY PHONE	
MAILING ADDRESS	Bellingham, Washington 98225-5820
IS YOUR HOME ADDRESS THE SAME AS YOUR MAILING ADDRESS?	Yes
DO YOU LIVE WITHIN BELLINGHAM CITY LIMITS?	Yes

HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED IN BELLINGHAM?	40 years total; last 22 years continuously
WHAT NEIGHBORHOOD DO YOU LIVE IN?	South Hill
DESCRIBE WHY YOU ARE INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THIS BOARD, COMMISSION, OR WORK GROUP	I am passionate about the mission of the Public Facilities District. I believe the arts, thoughtful city planning, public-private partnerships and meaningful and authentic community engagement are powerful drivers of economic growth, and civic health and vitality.
QUALIFICATIONS, EDUCATION, AND/OR EXPERIENCE RELATED TO THIS POSITION	CITY OF BELLINGHAM (COB) POLICY & SPECIAL PROJECTS COORDINATOR 2008-09: Coordinator, City-Port Waterfront Redevelopment project. CONSULTANT 2007-08: Designed & executed COB 100 Day Plan: Protect Lake Whatcom Reservoir / Promote Green Bellingham / Create Healthy Waterfront / Support Neighborhoods / Streamline Permitting Process. WHATCOM COMMUNITY FOUNDATION 2010 –19: Board Chair, Executive Committee, Building Community Philanthropy Committee COMMUNITYWISE BELLINGHAM 2010-15: Founding Board member
CURRENT (OR FORMER IF RETIRED) OCCUPATION	1. Writer 2. Strategic Advancement Officer, Sendan Center (formerly founding COO)
PROFESSIONAL / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES YOU ARE INVOLVED IN	CASCADIA INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S FILM FESTIVAL (2023-present). Numerous invited teaching and reading events (including Skagit River Poetry Festival 2024, Chuckanut Writer's Conference 2024, Poets in Schools 2025).
DO YOU OR YOUR SPOUSE HAVE A FINANCIAL INTEREST IN, OR ARE YOU AN EMPLOYEE OR OFFICE OF	No

ANY BUSINESS OR AGENCY WHICH
DOES BUSINESS WITH THE CITY OF
BELLINGHAM?

References (Preferred)

Reference 1

NAME

EMAIL

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Additional Information

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From: Jackie A Weller
Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 8:53 AM
To: Jackie A Weller
Subject: FW: 3 of 3 - FW: PFD Board Nomination

From: Mauri Ingram <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Monday, June 16, 2025 3:45:58 PM
To: Kim J Lund <kjlund@cob.org>
Subject: PFD Board Nomination

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Good afternoon, Mayor Lund,

I am writing to nominate Dr. Sati Mookherjee for a seat on the Bellingham/Whatcom Public Facilities District board of directors. I've known Dr. Mookherjee for many years in a variety of capacities, including as a former board member of the Whatcom Community Foundation. She is an incisive thinker with the capacity to hold community wellbeing at the center of complex and nuanced decisions. She is bright, thoughtful, creative, collegial, and an excellent communicator.

I still hear from several of Dr. Mookherjee's former Community Foundation board colleagues that they still benefit from her ability to examine issues from a variety of perspectives and to illuminate aspects of community opportunities and challenges that others often miss.

This exceptional set of skills and characteristics make Dr. Mookherjee an excellent candidate for the PFD board, particularly at a time when the need for broad-based economic opportunity is of critical importance. Please let me know if you have any questions or if I can provide any additional information to help inform your decision.

Thank you for your consideration,

Mauri



Mauri Ingram
President & CEO

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