

Subject: Online Form Submittal: Advisory Group Application
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Advisory Group Application

Step 1

Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Advisory Groups

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.

Title Ms.

First Name Malloreë

Last Name Weinheimer

Today's Date 12/12/2025

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Do you live in
Whatcom County?

Yes

Do you have a different
mailing address?

Field not completed.

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Step 2

1. Name of Advisory Forestry Advisory Committee

Group

Forest Advisory Committee	Forestry harvester or silviculturist
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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 1
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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	Attached
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7. Please describe your occupation (or former occupation if retired), qualifications, professional and/or community activities,	Consulting forester with a background of 10 years working for federal, state, and local government in forest research and land management prior to starting own business. Member of Society of American Foresters, Association of Consulting Foresters, national board member on Forest Stewards Guild
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and education

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

Interested in supporting forestry more in Whatcom County as I am a new resident here and learning more about forestry initiatives in the area

References (please include daytime telephone number):

Mark McCauley, [REDACTED]; Mike Cronin, [REDACTED]

Appointment Requirements

I understand and agree

Signature of applicant:

Mallorie Weinheimer

Place Signed / Submitted

[REDACTED]

(Section Break)

Malloree Weinheimer

Education

B.S. NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

University of Washington, College of Forest Resources, Seattle, WA – 2011

Experience

OWNER CHICKADEE FORESTRY LLC - PORT TOWNSEND/BELLINGHAM, WA – 2018-CURRENT

- Forestry consultancy focused on science-based forest health improvement through ecological forest management, selective harvests, and building local wood market capacity
- Expertise in building local chains of custody through wood supply and forestry job sector development
- Lead Contractor for developing Jefferson County Sustainable Forestry Program since 2019
- Lead research forester for CLT panels and chain of custody development for CRTC
- Local forest economy development focusing on sustainably produced small scale forest products
- Additional clients include Island County, Kitsap County, Jefferson Land Trust, Whidbey Institute
- 70+ SFLO client consultations, 40+ forest mgmt plans, 20+ selective harvests completed
- 20+ public speaking engagements on ecological forestry and conservation
- Recent Trainings include: Westside Forest Disease, Log Scaling, SFLO Log Marketing, Carbon Market Opportunities, Current Topics in Conservation in Rural West, SAF Leadership Conference
- Contractor for NSF for sustainable forestry certification audits 2021-2023
- 2025 – Selected for The Nature Conservancy Entrepreneur in Residence program

Current and Past Certifications:

NRCS Technical Service Provider

FSC Forest Mgmt and CoC Auditor; SFI, PEFC, and ATFS Auditor

SAF Candidate Certified Forester

ACF Candidate Full Member

CO-FOUNDER RETHINKING RURAL - PORT TOWNSEND, WA – 2016-2021

- Co-Founder of organization and environmental lead
- Successfully organized, funded, and carried out 2017 symposium for 50 national participants

COORDINATOR JEFFERSON LANDWORKS COLLABORATIVE - PORT TOWNSEND, WA - 2016-2018

- Convening and coordinating regional working lands project with partner organizations
- 30+ client consultations for sustainable land management practices for forestry and farms
- Provided consultations/trainings on similar collaboratives models in PNW region

ASSISTANT COORDINATOR JEFFERSON COUNTY NWCB - PORT TOWNSEND, WA – 2015-2018

- Developed regional collaborative Native Plant Salvage Program with 6 community partner organizations
- Developed county pilot program to assist noxious weed mitigation on public lands
- 50+ client consultations to help develop individual management plans and assess land

WATERSHED PROGRAM COORDINATOR 10,000 YEARS INSTITUTE - PORT TOWNSEND, WA - 2015

WILDERNESS BACKCOUNTRY & ECOLOGY GUIDE ALASKA NATURE GUIDES - TALKEETNA, AK - 2014

CREW LEAD - OLD GROWTH FOREST TECHNICIAN BLM AND HAMER ENVIRONMENTAL - GRANTS PASS, OR - 2013

- Led crew on pilot project assessing old growth forest through habitat surveys and LiDAR; site data verified by BLM foresters, all sites passed with >90% accuracy

USFS SEABIRD TECHNICIAN – GS 5 USFS PNW RESEARCH STATION/WDFW - PORT TOWNSEND, WA - 2012, 2013

FOREST HEALTH TECHNICIAN – GS 5 USFS PNW RESEARCH STATION - LA GRANDE, OR - 2011

- Conducted forest field research for variety of USFS forest health research projects around Region 6

FOREST SOIL RESEARCH ASST COLLEGE OF FOREST RESOURCES, U OF WASHINGTON - SEATTLE, WA - 2010-2011

- Managed research in field and lab on N fertilization in Douglas-fir stands in a paired tree study

LONG TERM FOREST HEALTH TECHNICIAN SCA/ SHENANDOAH NATIONAL PARK - LURAY, VA - 2008

- Long term forest health monitoring and endangered native plant research

Certifications, Awards, and Community Involvement

- Selected as Entrepreneur in Residence for The Nature Conservancy, 2025
- National speaker at American Forest Congress 2025 on local wood supply and rural economic development
- Voted as one of Washington's emerging environmental leaders in creating jobs for the next generation by Washington Conservation Action, 2024
- Keynote speaker at Rural Voices for Conservation Coalition for Women in Community Conservation
- Panelist at National Rural Women's Summit on Natural Resource Management
- Keynote speaker at Oregon's Local Foods Conference on Collaborative Land Conservation
- 20+ public talks, interviews, and workshops given on land management, conservation, and forestry
- Contributor to PDX airport mass timber terminal from sustainable harvest
- Jefferson County 2nd place for Young Entrepreneur of the Year 2023
- Awarded 2017 Public Policy Fellowship from the Institute for a Democratic Future
- Awarded for "Exemplary Science Support in Field Work" from USFS PNW Research Station
- Finalist in 2018 Coastworks Business Competition
- Board of Directors, Craft3
- Member, National Membership and Policy Committee, Forest Stewards Guild
- Past Chair, Society of American Foresters, Admiralty Inlet Chapter
- Past Chair, Jefferson County Parks and Recreation Citizen Advisory Board
- Past Treasurer, Wild Society
- Technical Task Force Member (Forestry Sector), PSP Strait Ecosystem Recovery Network LIO
- Past Board Member (Forestry sector), Jefferson Land Trust
- Certified FSC Forest Management Expert Auditor, NepCon 2020
- Certified Technical Service Provider, NRCS 2020
- Certified Washington Tree Farm Inspector 2018 (WATFP)
- Completed SAWW Precision Sawyer/Tree felling training 2018
- Certified Pesticide Applicator in Washington State since 2015 (WSDA)
- Certified Wilderness First Responder in 2012 (WMI)
- Certified Marbled Murrelet Monitor in Washington State since 2012 (USFWS)
- Completed ArcGIS training course 2011 (University of Washington)