

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.

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First Name	anders
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Last Name	hellum-alexander
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Today's Date	12/29/2024
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Street Address	
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City	
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Zip	
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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	Climate Impact Advisory Committee
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Group

Climate Impact Advisory Committee Position:	Yes
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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 5
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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	I am a clean energy professional focused on Washington state and Whatcom county. After 15 years of pushing the solar industry forward from within I have transitioned to working "on" the solar industry. In the last 2 years I served on the board of Solar Washington and planned and presented at the annual
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community activities,
and education

Solar Summit for 2023 and 2024. I have also joined the newly formed DER TaskForce Seattle in connection to the New York DER Task Force and I am leading a group on consumer valuation of utility based DER (distributed energy resources) programs. I am also a soccer coach in the Blaine and Lynden youth soccer organizations for my son and daughter's teams. Additionally, I speak publicly and at local schools about clean energy.

After graduating from WWU in 2009 with an environmental degree I set out to establish my career and have now returned to Whatcom county to apply my experience.

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

I have been learning about the Whatcom county environment since I was a student at WWU getting an environmental degree and would like to directly participate in promoting the health of this beautiful environment. Already on my own 10 acre property in Blaine we have worked with the Nooksack Salmon Enhancement Association to bring back the salmon to Foss Creek which feeds into Dakota Creek and Drayton Harbor.

References (please
include daytime
telephone number):

Justin Lee - 707-326-0498
Alex Nephew - 360-510-0316
Kris Wilson - 360-670-4774

Appointment
Requirements

I understand and agree

Signature of applicant:

anders hellum-alexander

Place Signed /
Submitted



(Section Break)

Anders Alexander

Experience

LoanTerra - VP Business Development <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Implementing go-to-market plan● Building out company vision	2024 - Current
United Solar - General Manager <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Established sales and marketing team● +\$2m home electrification projects sold and managed	2022-2024
EagleView - Solar Product Manager <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Product Development and Product Support● Architect of the SolarReady™ product	2019-2022
Resound Energy - Business Development Manager <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Design and sales of commercial LED lighting retrofit projects● Improved sales process and lead generation	2019
Blossom Solar - Head of Sales <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Established sales and marketing team● +\$2m solar projects sold and managed	2018
A&R Solar - Design and Sales <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Served as leader of multiple groups and initiatives, including the Diversity group● \$7mm solar projects sold	2013-2018
Sungevity - Sr. Rebate and Interconnection <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Transitioned team to SalesForce Enterprise● Developed and recorded policies and procedures	2011-2013
SolarCity - Document Coordinator & Interconnection <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Completed documentation post-sale for contract, utility, payments and solar incentives● Promoted to the Interconnection team	2009-2011

Education

Western Washington University Huxley College of the Environment; Bachelors of Arts in Environmental Policy, minor in Economics.	2005-2009
UC Berkeley Extension Business Process Management	2012
NABCEP Technical Solar Sales Certificate, extended in 2017	2014 - 2020
Outback Power Battery Certification Program	2017

References

- Justin Lee
 - Worked under Justin at EagleView, Justin is now with McKinstry
- Alex Nephew
 - Served as Board President at Solar Washington while I was VP of the Board
- Kris Wilson
 - Chief of Staff at LoanTerra