

Climate Impact Advisory Committee: Ray Kamada

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Board and Commission Application

Step 1

Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Boards and Commissions

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Title	Dr.
First Name	Ray
Last Name	Kamada
Today's Date	1/5/2021
Street Address	31 Longshore Lane
City	Bellingham
Zip	98229
Do you live in & are you registered to vote in Whatcom County?	Yes
Do you have a different mailing address?	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Primary Telephone	3609220672
Secondary Telephone	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Email Address	rkamad@gmail.com

Step 2

1. Name of Board or Commission: Climate Impact Advisory Committee

Committee

Climate Impact
Advisory Committee
Position:

I have previous work or educational experience in climate change.

2. Do you meet the
residency,
employment, and/or
affiliation
requirements of the
position for which
you're applying?

Yes

3. Which Council
district do you live
in?

District 2

4. Are you a US
citizen?

Yes

5. Are you
registered to vote in
Whatcom County?

Yes

6. Have you
declared candidacy
(as defined by RCW
42.17A.055) for a
paid elected office
in any jurisdiction
within the county?

No

7. Have you ever
been a member of
this
Board/Commission?

No

8. 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

You may attach a
resume or detailed

Field not completed.

summary of
experience,
qualifications, &
interest in response
to the following
questions

9. Please describe
your occupation (or
former occupation if
retired),
qualifications,
professional and/or
community
activities, and
education

Owner, Kamada Science & Design, a research consultancy for the Dept. of Defense, NOAA, and the Danish National Laboratory, 1993 - 2010;
Formerly adjunct research professor of Environmental Physics at the U.S. Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, Calif. 1987 - 93;
Ten years as a peer reviewer/editor for the Solar Energy Journal and Journal of Renewable & Sustainable Energy, 1981 - 86, 2009 - 2014;
Have published more than a dozen peer-reviewed journal and news articles in the areas of climate change and renewable energy, including three in the Whatcom Watch, plus a 99 page PDF on Why, How, and Who Can Pay to Fully Decarbonize Whatcom County available at <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/19ILVzLLt1XApKQWMsg4UHd7ss1XTgkVv> and on pages under my name at academia.edu and researchgate.net
Most of my technical articles can be found on those pages at https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Ray_Kamada and <https://independent.academia.edu/RayKamada>
National Research Council Postdoctoral Fellow, 1986 - 87
PhD in Atmospheric Science, Univ. Calif. Davis 1985
Laser Chemist at the Aerospace Corporation, El Segundo, Calif. 1973 - 76.
BSc in Chemistry at UCLA 1971

10. Please describe
why you're
interested in serving
on this board or
commission

Have given presentations climate change, wind energy, renewable energy, and have advised various local climate change and renewable energy groups and activists for several years. Have been involved in various aspects of renewable energy since 1982, when I published my first four papers in the Solar Energy Journal and became one of their reviewers, while still a grad student.

References (please
include daytime
telephone number):

I don't have their private phone numbers. However, the email addresses that I use are attached:
Alex Ramel alexWramel@gmail.com
Satpal Sidhu ssidhu@co.whatcom.wa.us
Dave Roberts Allison@kulshanservices.com
Jean Carmean, stje.carmean@gmail.com chair climate change/renewable energy committee League of women Voters, Bellingham Chapter
Dr. Rayford Hosker rhosker@bellsouth.net (formerly chair of the Atmospheric Turbulence and Diffusion Division, U.S. Oakridge National Laboratory, Oakridge, Tennessee
Prof. Torben Mikkelsen tomi@dtu.dk, professor emeritus at the Dept. of Wind Energie, Danish Technical University/Danish National Laboratory, Roskilde, Denmark.

Signature of
applicant:

Ray Kamada

Place Signed /
Submitted

Bellingham, WA 98229

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