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Board and Commission Application

Step 1

Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Boards and Commissions

Public Statement

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Title	Dr.
First Name	Monika
Last Name	Mahal
Today's Date	1/12/2021
Street Address	107 Sea Pines Ln
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	3603199727
Secondary Telephone	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Email Address	mrmahal@mac.com

Step 2

1. Name of Board or Commission Child & Family Well-Being Task Force

Committee

Child & Family Well-Being Task Force Yes

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

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

I am a board certified pediatrician who has cared for Whatcom County children and their families for the past 17 years. I currently work for PeaceHealth and am seeing our community struggling on many levels including with their mental well being and various social determinants of health all intensified during the pandemic.

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

I have been looking for a way to contribute to the community needs outside of my work at Peacehealth. I served on the Board of Whatcom Center for Early Learning for 5 years. I found working outside the traditional medical setting on the behalf of our children and families is pivotal to creating a healthy and supported community. I often feel that the support and medical advice I provide in the clinic is limited and inadequate for many of our families that may be unable to follow through on due to struggles they face in the real world. Any part I can play in participating on the Child and Family Well Being Task Force would be appreciated.

References (please include daytime telephone number):

Chi-na Stoane 360-739-1769
Berle Stratton 360-921-8333

Signature of applicant: Monika R Mahal

Place Signed / Submitted Bellingham WA

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