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Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Boards and Commissions

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Title *Field not completed.*

First Name Alec

Last Name Howard

Today's Date 9/4/2019

Street Address 1303 Dupont Street #101

City Bellingham

Zip 98225

Do you live in & are you registered to vote in Whatcom County? Yes

Do you have a different mailing address? *Field not completed.*

Primary Telephone (425) 241-8326

Secondary Telephone *Field not completed.*

Email Address alecinbellingham@gmail.com

1. Name of Board or Committee **Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee**

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

Currently I work for the Community Food Co-op. I have worked with multiple cities' Environmental Services Departments, sat on the board of a nonprofit, and started a composting business on my electric bike. I love riding my bike around the county and have not owned a car for many years. I am applying to Western Washington University's Urban Planning & Sustainable Development program this Winter. I volunteer with the Bellingham Food Bank and Downtown Partnership.

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

I am interested in serving on this commission because I want to help contribute to the development of safer and efficient infrastructure for bicyclists and pedestrians. I want to advocate for under-served communities who want our paths to be safe and accessible for everyone. I care deeply about climate change and think alternative transportation is crucial to a sustainable future.

References (please include daytime telephone number):

Elizabeth Hartsoch - 360.305.5624

Signature of applicant:

Alec Howard

Place Signed / Submitted

Bellingham, WA