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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	Komal
Last Name	Shah
Today's Date	1/17/2021
Street Address	2926 Eldridge Avenue
City	Bellingham
Zip	98225
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	413-441-3996
Secondary Telephone	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Email Address	kshah324@gmail.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 currently work for the Lummi Tribal Health Center as a general pediatrician, caring for children birth to 21. I supervise a small team that in addition to pediatric primary care, provides perinatal support (maternity support services, infant case management) and WIC services. I also provide care to students at Lummi Nation School's school-based health center.

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

As a pediatrician, I have a vested interest in the well being of children and families. Medical care is essential, but addressing social determinants of health is equally important. Education access, food security, stable housing, and social-emotional supports are vital to a healthy childhood. Serving on the Child and Family Well-Being Task Force would be an opportunity to both understand and contribute to county level policies and programs that impact the children and families I serve.

References (please include daytime telephone number):

Dr. Dakotah Lane (medical director of Lummi Tribal Health Center). Phone: 360-927-6263.

Signature of applicant: Komal Shah

Place Signed / Submitted Bellingham, WA 98226

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