

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.

Title Mr.

First Name Jeff

Last Name DeJong

Today's Date 1/5/2026

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Do you live in Whatcom County? Yes

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

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Step 2

1. Name of Advisory Flood Control Zone District Advisory Committee

Group

Flood Control Zone District Advisory Committee Position:	Special Districts representative
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 4
4. Have you ever been a member of this Advisory Group	Yes
If yes, please list dates:	2012-Present, first as a geographic rep then as a special district rep
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
6. Have you declared candidacy (as defined by RCW 42.17A.055) for a paid elected office in any jurisdiction within the county?	No
You may attach a resume or detailed summary of experience, qualifications, & interest in response to the following questions	<i>Field not completed.</i>
7. Please describe your occupation (or former	Self employed dairy operator, graduate of Calvin College with BS of Geology. I have been a member of this well functioning

occupation if retired),
qualifications,
professional and/or
community activities,
and education

committee or many years and have chaired it for the last half
dozen or so. Also involved in several of organizations in the
community such as a WID representative and most recently a
Northwest WA Fair board member.

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

I have been involved in this committee for quite some time now
because how we handle flooding directly effects my family, my
business, my local community, as well as my greater community
of Whatcom County. It is an important time that we come
together and create solutions that will help us move forward in
lessening the impacts flooding has on all of us.

References (please
include daytime
telephone number):

Paula Harris- [REDACTED], John Heystek [REDACTED], Tom
Brewster [REDACTED]

Appointment
Requirements

I understand and agree

Signature of applicant:

Jeff DeJong

Place Signed /
Submitted

[REDACTED]

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