## **Board and Commission Application**

## Step 1

Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Boards and Commissions

## Public Statement

Committee

THIS IS A PUBLIC DOCUMENT: As a candidate for a public board or commission, the information provided will be available to the County Council, County Executive, and the public. All board and commission 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	Kurtis
Last Name	Vossbeck
Today's Date	1/4/2023
Street Address	
City	
Zip	
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	
Secondary Telephone	Field not completed.
Email Address	
Step 2	
1. Name of Board or	Flood Control Zone District Advisory Committee

Flood Control Zone District Advisory Committee Position:	Geographic Area 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. 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?	Yes
If yes, please explain	As an employee of Bruland Drilling some of the jobs we are subbed in to do by lead contractors could be city or county puplic works projects.
You may attach a resume or detailed summary of	Field not completed.

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

Directional Drill foreman for Bruland Drilling specializing in trenchless installation of utilities (water, power, sewer, comms) Local farmer/beef cattle production/Hay production Lynden High School graduate 2004

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

Growing up on a family farm in Lynden with property along the Nooksack has given me first hand knowledge of what that river is capable of. I have witnessed first hand many of these record floods over the past as I was there on the river sand bagging dikes and leves to keep them from breaching, then cleaning up the aftermath once the waters had receded. I also know the pleasures our local waterways bring, from their scenic views, recreation, and the wildlife they support. I'm looking to serve on this committee because I want to be apart of improving the Nooksack River and other Whatcom County watersheds, the flood management, and repairs there of.

References (please include daytime telephone number):

Jason Beld, part-owner of Bruland Drilling (360) 815-2620 Hank Vossbeck, Father, Farmer, past president of local USDA ASCS (Agricultural Stabilization & Conservation Service) (360) 815-3668

Signature of applicant:

Kurtis Vossbeck

Place Signed / Submitted



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