

Subject: Online Form Submittal: Board and Commission Application
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Board and Commission Application

Step 1

Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Boards and Commissions

Public Statement

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 *Field not completed.*

First Name Ryan

Last Name Devries

Today's Date 2/21/2023

Street Address [REDACTED]

City [REDACTED]

Zip [REDACTED]

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 [REDACTED]

Secondary Telephone *Field not completed.*

Email Address [REDACTED]

Step 2

1. Name of Board or Committee Surface Mining Advisory Committee

Surface Mining ~~Member of surface mining industry~~ surface mining material user
Advisory Committee
(SMAC) Position:

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? Yes

If yes, please list dates: early 2019 to January 2023

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, & *Field not completed.*

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

Plant manager for Granite Construction, I manage several surface mines in Whatcom County

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

To help Whatcom county identify future aggregate resource lands.

References (please include daytime telephone number):

Joshua Fleischmann 360-778-5952

Signature of applicant:

Ryan Devries

Place Signed / Submitted



(Section Break)

From: Devries, Ryan
To: Jill Nixon
Subject: RE: Online Form Submittal: Board and Commission Application
Date: Wednesday, February 22, 2023 3:25:52 PM

Jill-

Thanks for the follow up sorry for the delay on my end, I am also a material user with several development projects in the county requiring aggregates so that is probably the next closest category.

Thank you!

Ryan Devries

Plant Manager
Granite Construction Company




From: Jill Nixon <JNixon@co.whatcom.wa.us>
Sent: Wednesday, February 22, 2023 11:37 AM
To: Devries, Ryan [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Online Form Submittal: Board and Commission Application

CAUTION: This email originated from outside of Granite

Mr. Devries, thank you for your application to the Surface Mining Advisory Committee representing a member of the surface mining industry. Unfortunately, the Council filled the vacancy for that position at its meeting last night, and we didn't receive your application in time to forward to Council for consideration.

There are several other vacancies on the committee. If you meet the qualifications for one of these vacancies and would like to serve as a representative of one of these positions, please let me know and I'm happy to amend your application and submit it to the Council for consideration:

1. Civil or geotechnical engineer with no direct or indirect financial business ties to the industry;
2. material user
3. geologist
4. representative of agriculture
5. representative of forestry
6. representative of ground water as a potable, domestic supply, specifically a public water system or private well owner
7. ecologist
8. environmental consultant