

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM
CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

AGENDA TITLE: Planning Commission Appointments
DEPARTMENT: Planning and Development Services
PRESENTED BY: Joseph W. Tovar, FAICP, Director

PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

The terms of five of the nine positions on the Planning Commission expire at the end of March 2008. The City notified the public of these openings through an article in *Currents* and an announcement on the City's webpage. Seventeen applications were submitted. From this group, a subcommittee of the Council interviewed 10 candidates on March 19 and 20. The names of all the applicants are listed below; those who were interviewed are denoted with an asterisk.

- John Behrens*
- Michael Broili*
- Cynthia Coronel
- Mario Crociata
- Erin Gallagher
- Richard Gilbert
- Trudi Grimes*
- Will Hall*
- Janne Kaje*
- Bronston Kenney*
- Carolyn Mayer*
- Lee Michaelis
- Howard Pat Murray
- Harry Obedin
- Ben Perkowski*
- Chakorn Phisuthikul*
- Tom Spader*

Following the interviews, the Council subcommittee recommends that the following five Shoreline residents as appointees to the Planning Commission: Their applications are attached.

- John Behrens
- Michael Broili
- Will Hall
- Janne Kaje
- Ben Perkowski

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Council accept a motion to appoint the 5 applicants recommended by to subcommittee to the Planning Commission for a 4-year term that will run from April 1, 2008 through March 31, 2012.

Approved By: City Manager  City Attorney _____



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COMMUNITY SERVICE APPLICATION

FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE

Planning Commission

City Board or Commission

(Please type or print)

Name: John E. Behrens

Are you a Shoreline resident or property owner? Yes

Length of residence: 15 years

1. List your educational background:

BE Ed. Ohio University

2. Please state your occupational background, beginning with your current occupation and employer.

US Postal service since April, 1980. Former President American Postal Workers Union Bothell, Washington, Washington State American Postal Workers Union State Treasurer, Cascade Area Local American Postal Workers Union Associate Office Co-Ordinator, Trained Arbitration Advocate as certified by the American Arbitration Association, further training as Arbitration Advocate through the National American Postal Workers Union.

3. Describe your involvement in the Shoreline community.

Active member of my political party

Start-up Member of Shoreline Citizens Coalition (non-profit corporation)

Member of the Comprehensive Housing Strategy Citizen Advisory Committee

4. Describe your leadership roles and/or any special expertise you have which would be applicable to the position for which you are applying:

Multiple leadership positions through my affiliation with the American Postal Workers Union. Expertise developed in writing and interpreting contract language and subsequent implementation of that language.

5. List the addresses of property you own in Shoreline and the type of property (residential or commercial):

[REDACTED]
Shoreline, WA

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Exemption: *RCW 42.56.250(3)*

6. Are you an official representative of a homeowners' association or other group? If so, please name the group:

Board of Directors of Shoreline Citizens Coalition

7. Describe why you are interested in serving in this position.

If the city of Shoreline is to develop to its potential a consistent well thought and worded conception of what the city should become needs to be articulated and then supported by a consensus of the citizens of our city. Processes must be transparent and include the input of the average citizens who are confronted with the changes that occur from the never stagnate process that any city goes through. I would like to try and bring to the arena a concept of community connectivity with the process. What is needed is a system that encourages the input of as many citizens to the process of decision making as possible. By sharing responsibility we share the context within which we all live.

Appointment to this board or commission will require your consistent attendance at regularly scheduled meetings.

Are you available for evening meetings? Yes Daytime meetings? No

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COMMUNITY SERVICE APPLICATION

FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE

Shoreline Planning Commission
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Name Michael Broili

Are you a Shoreline resident or property owner? Yes

Length of residence 19 years

1. List your educational background.

AA degree Forestry, Certified Permaculture Designer, Sustainable Building
Advisor, King County Forest Advisor, Horticulture, Compost Facility
Operations, Mapping and Photography

2. Please state your occupational background, beginning with your current occupation and employer.

Well Home Program Director, Phinney Neighborhood Association;

Self employed as an Environmental Consultant and Designer;

Project Manager, Steward & Associates;

Third Mate, Exxon Shipping and Foss Maritime;

Project & Marketing Director, Alaska Fisheries Development Foundation;

Self-employed as Building Contractor;

Importer/distributor of commercial fishing gear in Alaska.

3. Describe your involvement in the Shoreline community.

Current City of Shoreline Planning Commissioner, ABC Team, Past member
of City of Shoreline Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Board, Bond
Advisory Committee and Arts Jury. Past member of Comprehensive Planning
Advisory Committee and Aurora Corridor Advisory Committee.

4. Describe your leadership roles and/or any special expertise you have which would be applicable to the position for which you are applying.

Founder and past president of the Kruckeberg Botanic Garden Foundation;

Cascade People's Center Eco-Renovation Steering Committee;

Habitat for Humanity Low Impact Design Team;

Environmental design services, consultant and trainer;

Washington Native Plant Steward;

King County Forest Advisor;

Seattle Tree Steward;

5. List the addresses of property you own in Shoreline and the type of property (residential or commercial).

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NA

7. Describe why you are interested in serving in this position.

I believe that a thoughtful, holistic approach to planning and development makes for exciting and functional cities in which people want to work, live and play; cities that attract business and residents because they are functional and progressive. I have a background in community development, environmental design and the construction trades and would like to bring these experiences to bear on and to play a part in this important role. I have enjoyed the process of hearing the citizens and making carefully considered recommendations to the council for decision. Progress is being made toward Shoreline becoming one of the most livable cities in the Puget Basin and I wish to continue to contribute to that process. I would like to continue advocating for code and regulation that require zero impact design strategies in all new and redevelopment.

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COMMUNITY SERVICE APPLICATION

FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE PLANNING COMMISSION

(Please type or print)

Name William W. Hall

Are you a Shoreline resident or property owner? Yes, a resident

Length of residence 8 years

1. List your educational background. Diploma, Hazen High School, Renton, 6/1981
Bachelor of Arts with Honors in Physics, University of Chicago, 6/1985
Master of Arts in Mathematics, Johns Hopkins University, 11/1988
Certificate in Environmental Management, University of Washington, 6/1998
Master of Marine Affairs, University of Washington, 6/2000
2. Please state your occupational background, beginning with your current occupation and employer. 12/2004 - present, Planning Manager, Snohomish County
10/2003 - 11/2004, Senior Natural Resource Planner, Golder Associates
4/1999 - 10/2003, Principal Planner, Snohomish County Surface Water Management
9/1998 - 4/1999, Research Assistant, University of Washington
9/1994 - 6/1998, Manager, University of Washington
5/1989 - 8/1994, Manager, Accenture (formerly Andersen Consulting)
6/1985 - 7/1987, High School Math and Science Teacher, Hawken School
3. Describe your involvement in the Shoreline community. I have served the community on the planning commission for four years.
I am involved in adult recreation and education activities in Shoreline.
I routinely attend local events such as city festivals and ribbon-cuttings.
I bring the perspectives of the Shoreline community to regional planning events.
My wife and I are both active in our Richmond Beach neighborhood.

4. Describe your leadership roles and/or any special expertise you have which would be applicable to the position for which you are applying. I am a certified professional planner (AICP) and a member of the American Planning Association (APA). I am a past officer the Society for Ecological Restoration and The Coastal Society, two nonprofit organizations dedicated to environmental protection and restoration. I serve on several regional committees related to planning issues, including the Puget Sound Regional Council staff committee. My work has won planning awards.
5. List the addresses of property you own in Shoreline and the type of property (residential or commercial).

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 No. _____
7. Describe why you are interested in serving in this position.
I am committed to public service. While I serve the region as a planner working for Snohomish County, I greatly enjoy serving my own Shoreline community on the planning commission. I strongly believe in listening to the community interests and basing my recommendations on what I hear from the community, not on my own personal values. I value the work and recommendations of city staff, then I make up my own mind. Examples include voting against cottage housing three times, introducing amendments to the critical areas regulations to protect the Puget Sound shoreline and to protect piped stream segments, and pressing for transit across the county line. I am also already expert in GMA, SEPA, SMA and related requirements.

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Are you available for evening meetings? Yes Daytime meetings? Usually

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COMMUNITY SERVICE APPLICATION

**FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE
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Name Janne Kaie

Are you a Shoreline resident or property owner? Property owner and resident

Length of residence 7 Years

1. List your educational background.

Master of Marine Affairs (MMA) – Natural Resource Management Emphasis.
University of Washington, School of Marine Affairs, 1998.

B.A. Biology – Ecology Emphasis. U.C. San Diego, 1991.

2. Please state your occupational background, beginning with your current occupation and employer.

King County, Department of Natural Resources & Parks, Water and Land Resources Division. Position: Program Manager in Regional Services Unit (2006 – present). I work directly with other local governments, tribes, non-profit organizations and landowners to plan and implement salmon recovery strategies and actions, primarily in the Snoqualmie Watershed. I also work on a variety of natural resource related initiatives for King County, such as the current effort to update portions of the County's Comprehensive Plan, participation in regional forums to address Puget Sound impairment, and multi-watershed efforts to improve the application of science to salmon recovery planning. During each State legislative session, I review and comment on proposed legislation relating to environmental matters as part of a multi-disciplinary team within the Water and Land Resources Division.

Steward & Associates (2001-2006). Environmental Consultant. During my tenure with Steward & Associates, I worked on a variety of projects that combined environmental science and policy, land-use planning, technical analysis, public speaking, meeting facilitation and extensive report preparation. Most of my work

centered on salmon recovery, water resource management and environmental planning. Key clients included the City of Bothell, Tulalip Indian Tribes, Skagit County, Cowlitz Indian Tribe, City of Snohomish, Friends of the Hylebos Wetlands, Ocean Conservancy, the Port Townsend Paper Company and the Washington State Department of Ecology.

3. Describe your involvement in the Shoreline community.

For the past year, I have served on the Citizen Advisory Committee (CAC) to develop a Comprehensive Housing Strategy for the City of Shoreline. I have been an actively engaged participant in the committee throughout its tenure and participated in the presentation of the final report to the City Council. I also volunteer as a parent leader in the YMCA Adventure Guides & Princesses program that works to enrich relationships between dads and kids, and to foster a commitment to community engagement and service in the next generation.

4. Describe your leadership roles and/or any special expertise you have which would be applicable to the position for which you are applying.

A core element of my professional work requires leading and participating in multi-stakeholder decision making processes, often in the context of contentious issues, such as environmental regulations and their effects on existing or proposed land-uses. I currently co-chair the Salmon Recovery Technical Committee for the Snohomish Basin, where we regularly wrestle with difficult issues related to the respective roles of population growth, land use, fishing and hatcheries in the decline of salmon. My job is to shepherd stakeholders from the State, Tribes, local governments and environmental groups toward consensus-based decisions about recovery strategies, research priorities, funding decisions and policy issues, while also representing the interests of King County. Through this effort and many others before it, I have developed the knowledge base and leadership skills to participate effectively in collaborative decision making, planning and negotiation.

I also have direct experience in the development and interpretation of land-use policies and regulations at the city, county and state levels. I am currently taking part in the development of new King County Comprehensive Plan language regarding management challenges specific to agricultural and rural-residential areas, and in the review of proposed changes to the County's Transfer of Development Rights program.

Finally, my experience on the Comprehensive Housing Strategy CAC has helped me to develop a strong understanding of the City's assets and challenges related to demands for housing, changing demographics, economic development and the many attendant issues related to infrastructure, affordability and the need for community buy-in.

5. List the addresses of property you own in Shoreline and the type of property (residential or commercial).

[REDACTED] Shoreline, WA 98155

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6. Are you an official representative of a homeowners' association or other group?
If so, please name the group.

No.

7. Describe why you are interested in serving in this position.

On a personal level, my wife and I are committed to making Shoreline our home for the long-term. I care very much about the community in which we live and believe that I have a lot to offer to the Planning Commission and the community at large through my personal life experiences and expertise.

Working on the Comprehensive Housing Strategy CAC has also compelled me to get more involved in serving my community. A part of that is an interest in seeing the Committee's recommendations come to fruition over time, but I also have a much deeper appreciation for both the City's unique characteristics and of the challenges it shares with many other communities in the region. I believe the next ten years will be pivotal in shaping the future of Shoreline, for us and for our children, and that the City has an important role to play in that process. I am confident that through my skills, experience and commitment, I can contribute meaningfully to that task.

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COMMUNITY SERVICE APPLICATION

FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE PLANNING COMMISSION

(Please type or print)

Name Ben Perkowski

Are you a Shoreline resident or property owner? Yes

Length of residence 4.5 YEARS

1. List your educational background. BA - UNC-Chapel Hill
Master's of Environmental Management - Duke
University; also graduate of Sustainable Building
Advisor program - Seattle Central Community College
2. Please state your occupational background, beginning with your current occupation and employer.
Fisheries Biologist / Land Use Planner for City of
Seattle - current
Action Agenda Coordinator - Sustainable Seattle - 1 year
Technical Coordinator - Skagit Watershed Council - 7 years
Ecologist - EUS Consultants - 5 years
3. Describe your involvement in the Shoreline community.
Volunteer at Shoreline Children's Center and
Meridian Park Elementary
Participated in recent planning event for sustainability
plan for City of Shoreline
4. Describe your leadership roles and/or any special expertise you have which would be

applicable to the position for which you are applying. I led consensus-based watershed restoration & protection planning activities for multi-stakeholder watershed council for 7 years - very diverse group with often conflicting interests and agendas

5. List the addresses of property you own in Shoreline and the type of property (residential or commercial).

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6. Are you an official representative of a homeowners' association or other group? If so, please name the group. No

7. Describe why you are interested in serving in this position. I'm interested in using my skills and experience to help make Shoreline a more livable, sustainable and interesting place to live, particularly with regard to my two young children.

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Are you available for evening meetings? Yes Daytime meetings? Maybe

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