Trout Lake Community Council Candidate Interest Statement 2022

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Please note: If you haven't v	peen a resident and a registered voter in the Trout Lake School District? oted in an election in the last five years, Klickitat Co. may have purged you from their registered voter list at 509-773-4001 to check and/or register.
Resident: 7 years,	Registered voter: 7 years
	be why you are interested in becoming a member of the Trout Lake and what you can contribute to it.

I have served on the Trout Lake Community Council for the past 6 years. I first came to this amazing place in 1987 and had to leave, reluctantly, in 1991 for employment reasons. My husband and I have always planned to come back to Trout Lake in our retirement and have always owned property here during our 24 year absence from the community.

Trout Lake is such a special and beautiful place and we all want to protect its natural beauty and our quality of life. However, living here we are faced with many challenges: population growth, housing availability and affordability, wildfire risk, internet connectivity, just to name a few. I have a background in natural resource management and experience as a resource manager of public lands (now retired). This experience, I believe, enables me to bring a unique skill set and knowledge base to the council. The Council serves as the voice of our community to the Board of County Commissioners and other government entities and we do best when community members become more engaged in the issues facing us.

It has been my goal to get our community more informed and involved in the Council and more engaged in things that are happening here, especially those things that affect our quality of life. I feel that Trout Lake is still at a place where we can chart our own course for the future and I hope you will entrust me to continue to serve as one of your council members.

Sign and date ML M 9/30/22

Email your completed statement to <u>TroutLakeCommunityCouncil@gmail.com</u> or mail it to Trout Lake Community Council, PO Box 31, Trout Lake, WA 98650 no later than Wednesday, October 6, 2021.

Thank you for your interest in serving on the Trout Lake Community Council.