

2019 Candidates Questionnaire - Lakehaven

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Thank you for your interest in serving our community as an elected official. The Greater Federal Way Chamber of Commerce extends the invitation to all candidates to complete its Candidate Questionnaire. The questionnaire and your answers will be shared with the community via our website, fedwaychamber.com. In addition, completed questionnaires will be compiled and distributed to our Membership in a special publication. To meet production, deadline is 4 p.m. on September 6, 2019. About the Questionnaire. There are four sections to the Questionnaire. Please limit your answers to no more than 200 words max for each question.

1 Full Name:**2 Position you are seeking:****3 Education:****4 Current Mailing Address:****5 Telephone:****6 Email:****7 Website:****Text Block :**

Business and Economic Issues

8 What are your priorities for Capital Improvements in the Lakehaven Water & Sewer District budget?

Upgrade the UV system at the Redondo Treatment Plant
upgrade the electrical systems at both Redondo and Lakota treatment plants so they are capable of using the new technology that is coming.
Put in place the Automatic Meter Reading system that we are funding.
Fund the new Administration building and improvements to the water shop area at the 1st ave site.

9 What is your fiscal management strategy for long-range planning of our water and sewer resources?

It is our responsibility to ensure that our water and sewer rates are set at a level that will properly fund the future operating needs of the Lakehaven Water & Sewer District. We have done this quite well over the last 20 years and have kept the overall rates at some of the lowest in the Puget Sound Region. We intend to strive to continue this same long range planing strategy so that we meet all State and Federal regulations at a reasonable cost.

10 Lakehaven is invested in long-term community growth through a Pivotal Partnership with the Chamber. How do you plan to work with the Chamber on business outreach and economic development initiatives?

I fully believe in our Pivotal Partnership with the Chanber and have supported all along. Our District serves the same people the Chamber interacts with on a daily basis and I believe we have an obligation to strive to help our local businesses succeed. I will continue to interact with the local businesses at the monthly luncheon and at other meetings as they come about in the future.

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Political Engagement

11 Have you sought elective office before? If so, please describe the office, the level and outcome.

I have been elected to this Commissioner position in the 2011 and the 2013 General Election.

12 Do you have any previous experience with the local government office you seek? If yes, please describe.

I have been a Commissioner since 2010, I have served as the President, Vice President and Secretary of the Board of Commissioners. I presently serve on the Personnel Committee, the Safety Committee, an alternate on the Operations Committee and am a representative of Lakehaven at the Washington Association of Sewer and Water Disticts. (WASAD)

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Campaign Activity and Finance

13 What is your campaign budget, how much have you raised, and what are your primary sources of funding?

I have no budget and plan to spend to money. I have signs from previous elections that I will be using.

14 Please share your major endorsements from the South Sound region (This scope should include the surrounding South King area in addition to Federal Way itself).

I have not sought out or ask for any endorsements at this time.

15 Have you contracted with a firm or individual to manage your campaign? If so, please provide the name and address of the firm/individual. If not, what are your plans regarding management of the campaign?

I will be managing my own campaign.