

2019 Candidates Questionnaire - SKFR

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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 10, 2019. About the Questionnaire. There are four sections to the Questionnaire. Please limit your answers to no more than 1000 characters 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 Future ballot measures are included as part of the SKFR strategic plan. What are your goals for these ballot measures in your long-

range planning?

The goal of SKFR relative to any future ballot measures will be to provide a stable revenue stream for our Fire district. Recent financial initiatives, coupled with the Great Recession, have caused us to rethink and re-strategize our funding options to ensure we can keep up with the expanding emergency needs of the community we serve

9 How do the issues of drug addiction and homelessness impact services of SKFR and how do you plan to address them?

The issues of homelessness and drug addiction impacts our emergency service crews on a daily basis, causing increased medical calls, fires in campsites, and presenting our firefighters with dangerous situations that they must respond to mitigate. We will continue to address these issues through ongoing training and awareness at the First Responder level, and via ongoing engagement with our community partners at the governmental level.

10 SKFR supports the overall program of work for the business community through its Pivotal Partnership with the Chamber. How do you see SKFR working with the Chamber on initiatives to improve our business climate?

We take pride in being a Pivotal Partner with the Chamber as we have long recognized that a successful business climate supports our ongoing efforts in public service. We look forward to continued collaboration relative to permitting processes, local business support, and ongoing enhancements to strengthen the bond between the Fire District and the local business community.

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Political Engagement

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

Fire Commissioner: Elected 2001; re-elected 2007, 2013.

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

Yes, see question 11

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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 not raised any money since I am unopposed .

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 solicited any endorsements.

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?

N/A