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Submission information

Form: [City of Lake Forest Park Boards and Commissions Application](#)

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First Name

Mike

Last Name

Vetersneck

Home Address

[REDACTED]

Mailing Address (if different from above)

Phone Number

[REDACTED]

Do you own property in Lake Forest Park?

Yes

Email


Board, Commission, Committee

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

Years a Resident of this Municipality

46

Experience/Professional Expertise/Education (Please provide dates of education and experience.)

Graduate of the University of Montana in Missoula (Go Griz) 1976

I was a Commercial Underwriter for Safeco Insurance in Seattle 1979 to 1981

Sold packaging Supplies for Todd-Zenner Paper from 1981 to 1983 aprox

Sold Packaging Supplies for TR Zetco Packaging and Paper 1983 to 1995
aprox

Was a territory Manager for American Biltrite from New Jersey from 1995 to 2005

Currently I'm a Territory Manager for Tuff Industries from Garden Grove, CA 2005 until now.

Current or Prior Experience on Boards/Commissions/Committees

I was on the LFP Parks and Recreation Advisory Board with Linda Holman. Dates are fuzzy but I remember it was during Maryjane Goss Mayoral term. MaryJane asked me to apply. I can't remember how long I served but I remember doing a lot of activities.

Civic Activities and Memberships (Roles with fraternal, business, church, or social groups-please provide dates)

Helped plant trees in Lake Forest Park on boulevards and right of ways that the Seattle City Light provided.

I have done small projects at almost every park in the city including Horizon Park, Grace Cole Park, Animal Acres Park, Boy Scout Park, Lyon Creek Park.

I have been one of the volunteers who sweep up leaves across the street from Brookside School on the sidewalk.

I have served under Linda Holman for a number of years making improvements at Animal Acres Master Gardeners area.

I constructed raise beds, a green bean trellis, supports for the grape vine and a

cedar fence Infront of the garden.

Also, Scott Bowen and I assembled the small storage shed on the property. Scott Walker provided the materials. I got help from my next-door neighbor, Scott Bowen on many of the projects.

Also, I have spent a lot of time and effort weeding and watering over the years.

Currently I am helping clean up Blue Heron Park with Linda Holman's group.

Reasons for Wanting to Serve

I have enjoyed my time giving back to the City of Lake Forest Park and I would like to continue.

I have gotten a lot of personal satisfaction doing volunteer work in this city and wish to continue.

Are you able to attend evening meetings?

Yes

Resume, Education, etc. (Optional)

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