

Debra Thompson

From: Malena Marvin <malena.marvin@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2022 11:10 AM
To: Debra Thompson
Subject: Letter of Interest to Serve on Housing Task Force

Dear Clerk Thompson,

I'm writing to express interest in serving on Petersburg Borough's new Housing Task Force.

I'm writing as a small business owner and member of the SHARE coalition's ad hoc housing subcommittee. I am interested in developing housing solutions both for middle income people and those who are currently unhoused or need transitional housing of some kind.

My partner and I have remodeled two homes in Petersburg and have a working knowledge of construction on the island. My partner Eric Grundberg has also been a home energy rater for many years with the state of Alaska and I've learned a bit about the program through him.

I hold a certificate in Sustainable Building & Design, and am interested in how we can expand housing opportunities in Petersburg while also holding high standards for quality, energy use, and livability.

I believe if we come together we can address our current housing crisis in a way that makes us stronger, more resilient, and connected as a community.

Thanks so much for considering my letter,
Malena Marvin

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