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## City of Stevenson Planning Commission

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### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I am interested in being considered to fill the vacant City of Stevenson Planning Commissioner position. I am providing this letter so that you might get to know me a bit better.

I am a retired, 67-year-old father of two. My wife and I moved to Stevenson from Hillsboro, Oregon almost 3 years ago. I was born in Mt. Vernon, Washington and resided in Hillsboro, Oregon for 28 years prior to moving to Stevenson.

My work experience has been:

- Construction Contractor in California
- Field Service Engineer, IBM
- Computer Operations Manager. Syntex Corporation
- National Service Manager, Syva Medical Diagnostics
- Stay at Home Dad, 12 years
- Field Service Engineer, Agilent Technologies, Cancer Diagnostics
- I have managed large groups of people and multimillion dollar budgets.

I have worked on four different nonprofit boards.

- Columbia Gorge Interpretive Center Museum (Current Treasurer)
- Bethany Village HOA
- South Redwood City Residents Association
- Frithwood School Board of Governors

My work on the various boards included budgetary oversight, arbitration with residents, lobbying the City Council, presenting capital improvement requests to the Borough Council and various management oversight.

I would be quite happy to fill the position of Planning Commissioner if you so desire.

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Dear Ben,

I am interested in being considered to fill the vacant position on the City of Stevenson Planning Commission.

I have a keen interest in seeing Stevenson grow and improve in such a way that enhances the quality of life, provides opportunity for local businesses, keeps Stevenson as Green as possible and continues to be a wonderful place to call home.

I have attached a brief description of my skills and experience so that you can evaluate whether I might be a good addition to the Planning Commission.

All the Best,

*Tony Lawson*