## To Whom it May Concern:

Thank you for considering my interest in serving on the Stevenson City Council. I first visited Stevenson in 2010; I knew right then it was where I wanted to settle after I retired from the Navy. Stevenson has a similar atmosphere to my small hometown in Ohio, but has more to offer; this drew me in.

The feeling that you're part of a community and able to make a difference is why I want to be a part of the city council. 2020 was a unique year, which has put a different spin on the world. The way people see things and act has changed immensely, these changes are going to affect us; I want to be a part of the change for the better, a voice for my neighbors and members of this community. I have always believed in being part of change wherever I was stationed and leaving things better than how I found them; this is the way I will approach being a member of the council. Listening to what our neighbors say and weighing it with the facts to help find the best solution for us to move forward as a community.

Throughout my career in the Navy (Chief Petty Officer) and my current position at Insitu (Manager of Flight Operations), I have acquired skills that would be useful in serving on the council. I have been in charge of analyzing expenses, reviewing cost effectiveness, as well as preparing and maintaining yearly budgets. Both positions have required me to receive direction from higher authority, as well as provide guidance for others in a multitude of scenarios. These situations have allowed me to grow accustomed to working with all personalities, in stressful and undesirable fashions, in order to achieve goals and see results that benefited large groups.

Please contact me with any questions or to discuss my interest further, I can be reached at (757)395-0609.

Respectfully,

Paul Goins Date: 2021.01.15 13:22:44

Paul Goins

## CITY OF STEVENSON NAME: Paul Goins\_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: 150 Iman Cemetery Rd HOME PHONE: N/A\_\_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE: (509) 637-6680\_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: (757) 395-0609 EMAIL: paulgoins123@gmail.com ARE YOU A REGISTERED VOTER IN THE CITY OF STEVENSON? Yes HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED IN THE CITY OF STEVENSON: 3 YEARS EDUCATION: Some college working on completing business management degree OCCUPATION: Manager of Flight Operations at Insitu COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT ACTIVITIES: Member of the Eagles

APPLICATION FOR CITY COUNCIL

Please attach a letter of interest explaining your qualifications and why you are interested in serving on City Council for the City of Stevenson.

SIGNATURE: Paul Goins
Digitally signed by Paul Goins
Date: 2021.01.15 13:23:05 - 08'00'
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Return application package to City Hall at 7121 E Loop Road, PO Box 371, Stevenson, WA, 98648 or via email to leana@ci.stevenson.wa.us.

To be eligible to serve on City Council, the applicant must:

- 1. Be a registered voter of the City of Stevenson.
- 2. Have been a resident of the City of Stevenson for at least one year immediately preceding the election/appointment.

Applications are due by January 19, 2021.