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Fraser River Valley Housing Partnership Board Application

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What interests you about serving on the board of the Fraser River Valley Housing Partnership?	Affordable housing has always been lacking in our resort community and the need has reached a critical threshold. Our towns are losing their local character with the increasing decline in workforce housing as the limited number of available properties in our valley become second homes and short-term rentals. I am passionate about serving on The Fraser Valley Housing Partnership because the board poses a new and unique opportunity for our local municipal entities to work together as a group to promote and sustain affordable housing solutions throughout the county.
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Why should the Town Board consider you for appointment to this board?	I am passionate about the need for work force/affordable housing in our community. I am a hard worker and enjoy giving back to my community. Since my term ended in April with the Fraser planning commission I am excited about the opportunity to serve on this board to make a difference in addressing the critical housing issue in our county.
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I feel the next 6 months will be crucial for the board in educating the public about the benefits of the increased mill levy so the vote will pass. I want to help the board to achieve the task of "getting the word out"

What relevant experience, skills,	I served on the Fraser Planning Commission for 12 Years. My term just ended in April. Of those 12 years I was the chair person for 6+ years. Accomplishments of Fraser Planning over my
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and/or talents do you feel would help you be a contributing member to this board? What other, if any, civic organizations are/were you involved in and what are/were your accomplishments?

tenure include updating the Fraser Master Plan, Updating the Fraser Code, Annexing Byers Peak into the town of Fraser, which as we all know was unfortunately de-annexed by a vote of the people a year later. I learned a great deal over my 12-year tenure about planning, zoning, and land use.

I worked with the Grand County Housing Authority as an instructor for First Time Home Buyer class from 2008 until 2018. We meet once a month to provide information to local buyers about the process of buying a home and information about down payment assistance and loan products available to First Time Buyers.

I've been a Realtor in the Fraser Valley since 1996.

Why do you think you would be a good fit to serve as a member of the board?

I understand that working on a board requires a commitment, a willingness to listen, collaborate and cooperate. I have a strong work ethic and my experience and passion for affordable housing as mentioned above make me a great fit to serve on the board. This board will help create a legacy for our community for years to come and I am excited to be a part of making that happen.

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