

**Access and Habitat  
Hunter Representative Applications**



Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

Interest Form for Access & Habitat Board

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Personal Data

Name Aiello, Dominic (Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

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Occupation President of Project Wilderness Logistics Manager of Pacifica

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner Representative [ ] Hunter Representative [X]

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

[Signature] Signature

9-24-09 Date



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Name: Aiello, Dominic

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If applying for a Hunter Representative position, please mail or fax applications to:

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife  
 Attn: Matthew Keenan - A&H Coordinator  
 3406 Cherry Ave. NE  
 Salem, OR. 97303  
 Tel: (503) 947-6087  
 Fax: (503) 947-6070

If applying for a Landowner Representative position, please mail or fax applications to one of the following agencies:

for farm and ranch owners/managers:

Oregon Department of Agriculture  
 Attn: Ray Jandl  
 635 Capitol Street NE  
 Salem, OR. 97301-2532  
 Tel: (503) 986-4700  
 Fax: (503) 986-4750

for forest land owners/managers:

Oregon Department of Forestry  
 Attn: Marvin Brown, State Forester  
 2600 State Street  
 Salem, OR. 97301  
 Tel: (503) 945-7488  
 Fax: (503) 945-7212

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## Statement of Interest

The following will detail qualifications to represent Oregonians on the Access & Habitat Board with Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife.

On a personal level, I have spent most of my life as an avid outdoorsman. I'm very active in outdoor hobbies including hunting, fishing, hiking and camping. At the young age of 14 I took a hunters education course. Since that time when in season, I hunt deer, bear, cougar and others. I've hunted by both bow & gun; as well I've used tree stands, spot & stalk, and calls as methods of filling tags. I strongly believe in protection & conservation of public lands & habitat including stewardship education. The use of the words "protection & conservation" can cause some to automatically become wary that public land will be designated as wilderness, critical habitat or area of critical concern, which of course imposes heavy restrictions on access and use of the land. However I personally believe public lands can be cared for through proper stewardship, travel management and habitat care without causing heavy restrictions. To go beyond that belief, I regularly volunteer with both public and private organizations as Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife, Washington Department of Natural Resources, SOLV, Oregon Hunters Association and many others. I regularly initiate & support grassroots efforts to promote or fight legislation which would affect public land, important habitat or wildlife.

On a professional level, in 2009 I founded Project Wilderness; an Oregon based non profit environmental organization. Project Wilderness's mission is *"Project Wilderness works to improve our nation's public forests, return declining wildlife to healthy populations, offers free educational programs and purchase private lands opening them to the public."* Project Wilderness has coordinated habitat restoration & cleanup efforts with US Forest Service, Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife, Washington Department of Natural Resources, Clackamas County Dump Stoppers and Longview Timber Co. As president of Project Wilderness I have established a communication network within the forestry, environmental and sportsmen industries in the Pacific Northwest. As well, I'm currently a board member & the newsletter editor for the Hoodview chapter of the Oregon Hunters Association.

I am pursuing the open Access & Habitat board position as it's my professional and personal desire to ensure not only our hunting heritage continues but that access to both public and private land which offers legal, responsible and safe recreational activities remains and grows.

Dominic Aiello



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#### Personal Data

Name Dale I. Ballard  
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Business Telephone 503 588-6245

Occupation Firefighter

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one)*:

Landowner Representative

Hunter Representative

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Dale I. Ballard  
Signature

10/08/2009  
Date

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Name: Dale Ballard

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Describe why you are interested in serving on the Access and Habitat Board. Provide information on your experience and background that supports your interest. Please include participation in any organization, board, or commission. Please attach separate sheet(s) if necessary. Your application will be evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Experience and knowledge of hunting or knowledge and breadth of experience in the agriculture or forestry industries.
2. Involvement in sportsman/hunter/conservation organizations or experience with fish & wildlife resource management issues.
3. Leadership in sportsman/hunter/conservation organizations or involvement in agriculture or forest industry organizations.
4. Leadership and experience on or with councils, boards, commission, and legislature.
5. Experience working with and/or representing the public.
6. Ability/interest in working collaboratively with others.
7. Participation in the A&H program
8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters and ODFW.

I began hunting at an early age and began carrying a small caliber rifle around age 8, usually accompanied by my father. At age 14, completed hunter safety & started deer hunting. Elk hunting followed a few years later. I also enjoyed some waterfowl & upland bird hunting.

I currently hold the title of President, Capital Chapter, Or Hunters Assn. I have served nearly 4 years. I also serve on the Coastal Conservation Assn., OR State Board as well as Gov. Relations Committee. I have represented both organizations and given testimony before the ODFW Commission & before different legislative committees at the state capitol.

As chapter President, I oversee the planning and work done on numerous habitat projects partnering with ODFW, USFS, BLM, and private landowners. I also oversee fundraising events which are our means of funding those projects. I and the chapter board also provide funds for specialized equipment requested by OSP game enforcement officers. I am very proud of the support we give OSP and the reputation we've gotten as a result.

The Capitol Chapter OHA began the Abiqua Basin Access Project several years ago. Together with Longview Timber Company, Ron Boersch, and ODFW we have strived to assure this greatly needed access of Western Oregon private lands continues. This A & H project is a huge success, one our chapter and myself is extremely proud of. As a result, I view the A & H program as one of the most valued by hunters and one of ODFW's most supported programs. In closing, I would work with all sincerity to see the program continue, promising to weigh all issues fairly, and promote a positive relationship between all hunters and landowners.

Dale Ballard



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References (optional)

Joe Ricker - OHA Midwest Director  
Basil St. NE.  
Salem, OR 9730  
503 399-0177

Jim Marquait - CCA Gov. Relations Vice Chair  
16400 S.E. McCabe Court  
Milwaukie, OR 97267  
503 653-5355

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Occupation Director of Development, OSU Foundation, College of Agricultural Sciences, Oregon State University.

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one):*

Landowner

Hunter

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Signature

9 November 2006  
Date



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### References (optional)

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## **Statement of Interest**

Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife, Access and Habitat Board

Dear Access & Habitat Board,

I would like to express my interest in becoming a Hunter Representative, on the Access & Habitat Board. I am very confident that the combination of my previous professional experiences, along with my personal motivation, and educational background, would make me the perfect addition to the Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife's Access and Habitat Board.

I have experience and knowledge of hunting, as well as, experience in the agricultural and forestry industries. I have been a hunter all of my life, and am a native Oregonian. I graduated from Oregon State University, with a BS in Wildlife Science, under the College of Agricultural Sciences. My family is also heavily involved in agriculture, as they own a twelve thousand acre farm & ranch, just outside of Klamath Falls.

I am currently the Director of Development for the College of Agricultural Sciences, at Oregon State University. As the Chief Development Officer I work closely with the Dean and his senior team to advance the philanthropic priorities of the program. I provide overall leadership for the College of Agricultural Sciences fundraising initiative of \$36.5 Million. This position allows me to interface with our stakeholders, alumni, and the public on a continual basis.

I also currently serve on the board of directors, for the Northwest Habitat Institute, based in Corvallis, Oregon. The Northwest Habitat Institute is a non-profit scientific and educational organization whose mission is to promote and facilitate the conservation of Pacific Northwest native species and habitats through: the development and dissemination of data-rich and verifiable information, maps, and tools; and through restoration and enhancement of native habitats.

For nearly five years, I was the Oregon Regional Director, for the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation. As the Oregon Regional Director, for the RMEF I constantly dealt with wildlife resource management issues through our locally funded habitat enhancement projects, and through work groups, such as: the Elk Management Plan Review Committee, the Archery Hunting Review Committee, and the Wildlife Damage Council. My experience as the Oregon Regional Director, for the RMEF allowed me to gain valuable leadership skills in the conservation community.

Throughout my career, I have provided testimony on wildlife issues, with the Oregon Fish & Wildlife Commission, the state legislature, and have extensive service on advisory councils. My position at the RMEF also enabled me to work closely with the public, at our many Big Game Banquets. Since I coordinated each banquet around the state, I had a lot of experience in selling the Access & Habitat tags, at many of our auctions.

During my tenure with the Elk Foundation, I also oversaw our Oregon Project Advisory Committee, (PAC). The PAC is very comparable to the A&H program, and will allow me to bring a lot of experience to the table. This committee is comprised of representatives from the: Bureau of Land Management, Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife, U.S. Forest Service, Oregon State University, Blue Mountains Elk Initiative, Oregon Guides & Packers Association, and the Boise Corporation. The PAC reviews project proposals, sent in by private land owners, as well as agency partners, looking to enhance wildlife habitat. After reviewing each proposal, the PAC provides recommendations for funding these local conservation projects. I was in charge of facilitating two PAC meetings a year, where I compiled all funding recommendations, and reviewed each project's completion report after they had been completed. Each year, Oregon's Project Advisory Committee funds over \$300,000 worth of enhancement projects throughout the state. Through this program, I gained valuable experience in fostering positive relationships between landowners, hunters, and many agency partners.

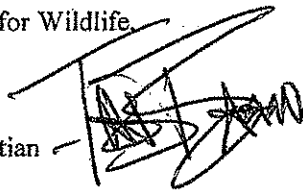
Shortly after graduation I was also employed by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, as an Experimental Biological Aid.

I have also been involved in various other conservation groups such as Ducks Unlimited, the Boone & Crockett Club, the Mule Deer Foundation, the Oregon Hunter's Association, Safari Club International, the Wildlife Society, and the Nature Conservancy, which have given me a broad perspective to draw from.

Again, I am very confident that the combination of my previous professional experiences, along with my personal motivation, and educational background, would make me the perfect addition to the Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife's Access and Habitat Board. Thank you very much for your time and consideration. I look forward to hearing from you in the near future!

Working for Wildlife.

Todd Bastian  
Encl.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Todd Bastian', is written over a rectangular stamp area. The signature is stylized and somewhat illegible due to overlapping lines.



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15 September 2009

Dear Colleagues:

I am pleased to recommend **Todd Bastian** for a Hunter Representative position on the Access & Habitat Board. I have known Todd since the mid 90s when he was an undergraduate in our program at OSU. I worked with Todd in his capacity as Regional Director of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, currently serve with him on a non-profit board, and work with him in his position as the Director of Development for our college. I feel I know him well.

Todd has a number of attributes that make him an excellent candidate for the A&H board. He is an avid hunter, having hunted in Oregon all of his life. He is trained as a Wildlife Biologist and his positions with RMEF, the Northwest Habitat Institute and ODFW give him a broad wealth of experience in wildlife and habitat management, especially in the area of habitat enhancement. He is very familiar with the A & H Program and while working for RMEF he helped auction tags for the program. Furthermore, he managed the RMEF Oregon Project Advisor Committee which functions in a manner very similar to the A&H Board. Thus, I believe Todd's combination of experience with conservation organizations, his training in wildlife management and his experience with A&H-type programs make him well suited for the Board position.

Todd also has a number of personnel attributes that make him a great candidate for the Board position. He has exceptional interpersonal communication skills. He is polite and he listens carefully and respectfully to others and responds thoughtfully. He is highly organized and effectively balances the multiple demands of his position with his personal life. He is friendly and out-going and has a pleasant personality and sense of humor. He has been a great colleague on the board I served with him on.

In summary, I think Todd's personal and professional characteristics make him an ideal candidate for the Hunter Representative position on the Access & Habitat Board. I have no reservations in recommending him.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "W. Daniel Edge". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dan Edge



James M. Morrell  
PO Box 3500-143  
Sisters, OR 97759-3500  
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November 2, 2009

Marla Rae  
Chairperson  
Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission

Dear Chair Rae,

It gives me great pleasure to strongly recommend Mr. Todd Bastian for the Hunter Representative position on ODF&W's Access and Habitat Board. Mr. Bastian was born and raised in an Oregon hunting family and he has always been an active supporter of hunters and hunting in Oregon. I have absolutely no doubt that he will use his experience, educational background and passion for Oregon and for hunting to be an actively engaged hunter's advocate on the A&H Board!

As Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation (RMEF) Oregon State Chairman for two years I had nearly daily contact with Mr. Bastian who was then RMEF Oregon Regional Director. During this period I found him to have a quick mind and to be firmly committed to enhancing wildlife habitat throughout the state. Among his many duties as Regional Director, he was required to travel all over Oregon to evaluate potential wildlife habitat projects. His intellect, hunting passion and vast knowledge of wildlife and Oregon ensured that only the most worthy projects were recommended.

He was also an active member of the RMEF Oregon Project Action Committee (PAC) where he reviewed habitat projects throughout Oregon and voted on funding in exactly the same way as the A&H Board does today. His leadership and expertise were instrumental in guiding the PAC to make the best decisions for allocating limited resources to achieve the greatest results for wildlife and for hunters. During this time he also gained an invaluable insight into the important roles of the various hunting groups within Oregon and their relationships with the various state agencies. This background and understanding will be significant in helping the A&H Board decide on how Big Game Tags should be allocated to hunting groups to ensure the maximum money is raised for the A&H program.

Mr. Bastian is ready now to assume the role as the Hunter Representative on the Access and Habitat Board and, if he is not selected, it will be a loss to the hunters of Oregon and the Department of Fish and Wildlife. We need his energy and dedication so please select him now.

Sincerely,

James M. Morrell

## BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

TODD BASTIAN received his Bachelor of Science degree in Wildlife Science from Oregon State University's College of Agricultural Sciences. He also has a minor in German Language and Literature from Oregon State University. Todd, a native Oregonian, was raised in Klamath Falls.

Shortly after graduation he was employed by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, as an Experimental Biological Aid.

From 2000-2004, Todd served as the Oregon Regional Director, for the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, a hunter-based conservation organization based in Missoula, Montana.

In August 2004, Todd became the Associate Director of Development for the College of Agricultural Sciences, at the Oregon State University Foundation.

Shortly after coming to the OSU Foundation Todd assumed the position of Director of Development for the College of Agricultural Sciences. As the Director of Development he serves as the College's chief development officer. Todd provides overall leadership for the College of Agricultural Sciences' \$36.5 Million campaign goal, as part of the overall \$625 Million university campaign. Todd currently oversees a two person staff, which includes an Associate Director of Development, as well as, an Administrative Assistant. He works closely with the Dean of the College of Agricultural Sciences, and his senior team to advance the philanthropic priorities of the program, in conjunction with OSU Foundation staff.

Todd currently serves on the Board of Directors for the Northwest Habitat Institute. The Northwest Habitat Institute is a non-profit scientific and educational organization whose mission is to promote and facilitate the conservation of Pacific Northwest native species and habitats through: the development and dissemination of data-rich and verifiable information, maps, and tools; and through restoration and enhancement of native habitats.

His passions in life include traveling abroad with his wife Sarah and their two sons, Braxten and Aksel, enjoying Oregon's diverse culinary offerings, and spending autumns traipsing the Pacific Northwest's wild places in search of big-game.

**TODD ROBERT BASTIAN**  
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## CAREER OBJECTIVE

I am striving for an exciting and challenging, international position, where I can help to affect the lives of others through university development efforts.

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth:	5.May.1976	Gender:	Male
Place of Birth:	Klamath Falls, Oregon	Marital Status:	Married
Citizenship:	United States of America	Spouse's Name:	Sarah Bastian
Visa Status:	Not active at this time	Children:	Braxten Kole & Aksel Oliver

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, 850 SW 35<sup>th</sup> Street, Corvallis, Oregon 97333.  
(August 2004 – Present)

### Current Position:

*Director of Development II – College of Agricultural Sciences (2005-Present)*

### **Responsibilities and Accomplishments:**

#### Fundraising Management and Personal Fundraising:

- As the Director of Development for the College of Agricultural Sciences, I serve as the College's chief development officer. The College of Agricultural Sciences is comprised of 14 academic units, and 12 regional research and extension centers throughout the state of Oregon.
- Provide overall leadership for the College of Agricultural Sciences' \$36.5 Million campaign goal, as part of the overall \$625 Million university campaign.
- Lead a two person staff, which includes an Associate Director of Development, as well as, an Administrative Assistant.
- Manage a prospect portfolio of 125 prospects rated at \$50,000 to \$5 million+.
- Open 20-40 new proposals at the \$25,000 level per year; conduct 120 face-to-face visits per year; travel five to seven days per month making three to five visits per travel day.
- Work closely with the Dean of the College of Agricultural Sciences, and his senior team to advance the philanthropic priorities of the program, in conjunction with OSU Foundation staff.
- Performing related administrative duties for the assigned area including contact reports, budget management, case statement development, and events.

#### *Highlights:*

- Lead by example in fundraising. Since 2000 the College of Agricultural Sciences has traditionally raised approximately \$1.5 Million, annually. During the 2006 fiscal-year I was able to grow our fundraising program to \$5.2 Million. During the 2007 fiscal-year I was able to grow our fundraising program to \$8.6 Million. In the 2008 fiscal-year I exceeded the College's \$6 Million goal, by raising \$10.5 Million.

- During the 2008 fiscal-year I exceeded each of my personal and college specific goals with 680 contacts, of which 92 were face-to-face visits; 51 open proposals at \$25,000+; 42 funded proposals at \$25,000+; \$4.53 million raised towards a \$4 million goal from managed prospects; and a total of \$10.5 million raised towards a \$6 million annual college goal.
- Worked with the OSU Foundation's annual giving department to establish the unrestricted "Dean's Fund for Excellence in Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources", and restructure the E.R. Jackman Fellows into an annual giving program.
- Received the inaugural "Exemplary Service Award" from the Foundation's President and CEO, in July, 2007.

**Strategic and Campaign Planning:**

- Led College's planning and strategy for Oregon State University's first-ever, campaign. Worked in conjunction with the Dean, Associate Deans, Department Heads and Branch Station Superintendents to develop our campaign priority projects.
- Currently serving as a member of the College of Agricultural Sciences Dean Search Committee, appointed by the Provost.

**Facility Fundraising:**

- Coordinated fundraising for an \$8 Million, state-of-the-art, Animal Sciences Education and Research Pavilion.

**Board Management:**

- Established the College of Agricultural Sciences Campaign Cabinet, a new group of six-figure, lead donors, within the College, to work in support of the Dean's priority campaign initiatives.
- Worked in conjunction with the college's External Relations and Marketing Director to restructure the historic E.R. Jackman Board, into a more cohesive and supportive group, which consisted of 8 board members, 61 associates, and 33 fellows.

**Communications:**

- Served as the foundation's staff liaison at the weekly Dean's Meeting, and monthly Administrator's Meeting.
- Developed a new and comprehensive donor recognition and stewardship plan, with the Dean and Director of External Relations and Marketing.

**Former Position Held:**

*Associate Director of Development – College of Agricultural Sciences (2004-2005)*

**Responsibilities and Accomplishments:**

**Fundraising Management and Personal Fundraising:**

- As the Associate Director of Development, I worked with the college's chief development officer to support the major gifts fundraising effort for the College of Agricultural Sciences' 14 academic units; and 12 regional research and extension offices, throughout the state of Oregon.
- Managed a prospect portfolio of 125 prospects rated at \$50,000 to \$5 million.
- Opened new proposals at the \$25,000 level; conducted 119 face-to-face visits; traveled five to seven days per month making three to five visits per travel day.
- Coordinated meetings with campaign feasibility candidates.
- Worked closely with the Dean of the College of Agricultural Sciences, and his senior team to advance the philanthropic priorities of the program, in conjunction with OSU Foundation staff.
- Performed related administrative duties for the assigned area including contact reports, budget management, case statement development, and events support.

**Highlights:**

- After less than a year as an Associate Director, I replaced my supervisor and was promoted to Director of Development, for the College of Agricultural Sciences.

- During the 2005 fiscal-year, I helped to raise \$1.47 Million of programmatic support for the College of Agricultural Sciences.
- Was a member of the college's hiring committee for the new Director of External Relations & Marketing.
- Developed new marketing brochures, and designed a "donate now" development link for the College's website and each of our 14 academic units.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN ELK FOUNDATION, 5705 Grant Creek, Missoula, MT 59808. (February 2000 – August 2004)

**Former Position Held:**

*Oregon Regional Director (2000 – 2004)*

**Responsibilities and Accomplishments:**

Fundraising and Volunteer Management:

- In charge of all facets, of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation's (RMEF), Oregon operations. Oversaw volunteer development, event and major gifts fundraising, and fund allocation for habitat enhancement projects throughout the state of Oregon.
- Managed the efforts of over 275 volunteers, throughout the state, and oversaw 12 volunteer chapters, along with a general membership base, of over 10,000 members.
- Managed personal budget, and financial reports for each chapter, which encompassed over \$1.8 Million in gross revenue and \$1 Million in net revenue.
- Created a comprehensive major gifts, fund-raising program with staff and volunteers in the state of Oregon.
- Responsible for the cultivation of new relationships and stewardship of previous donors, who were enrolled in our Habitat Partner program.
- Coordinated corporate gifts, drafted funding proposals, for grants offered by private foundations, as well as, state and federal agencies.
- Developed educational materials for use during donor cultivation and solicitation events, as well as, developed recognition programs, to recognize current donors.
- Directed the Elk Foundation's Oregon Project Advisory Committee, (PAC) to allocate grants to habitat enhancement and conservation projects. This committee was comprised of representatives from the: Bureau of Land Management, Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife, U.S. Forest Service, Oregon State University, Blue Mountains Elk Initiative, Oregon Guides & Packers Association, and the Boise Corporation.
- Communicated the mission of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation with our members and the general public, to maintain a positive image and further our recruitment of new members.
- Published articles in nationally syndicating publications, such as *BUGLE* magazine; held public meetings, with the general public and interested entities, on controversial issues; and oversaw a joint internship and educational program, between the RMEF and wildlife students, at Oregon State University.

OREGON DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES & WILDLIFE, 3406 Cherry Avenue NE, Salem, Oregon 97303. (September 1999 - January 2000)

**Position Held:**

*Temporary Experimental Biological Aide (1999 – 2000)*

**Responsibilities and Accomplishments:**

- Operated a hunter check station, at the Boeing Regulated Hunt Area, based out of the Hermiston research office.
- Identified and conducted surveys on upland game birds and waterfowl.
- Checked hunters to enforce state and federal wildlife and hunting laws, in conjunction with the Oregon State Police.
- Conducted big game harvest and bald eagle nest site surveys, checked and tagged cougars, and trapped nuisance beavers.
- Educated and worked closely with the general public and private land owners, concerning management issues pertaining to land use and hunting opportunities.
- Conducted extensive data collection and data entry, for computer analysis.

## **EDUCATION**

- Oregon State University, Kerr Administration Building, Corvallis, Oregon 97331-2130  
Bachelor of Science: June, 1999.  
Major: Wildlife Science  
Minor: German Language and Literature
- Klamath Union High School, 1300 Monclaire Street, Klamath Falls, Oregon 97601  
Graduated: June, 1994.
- Staatliches Gymnasium Rudolstadt, Weinbergstrasse 1A, Rudolstadt, Germany 07407.  
Studied German Language & Culture, with the German American Partnership Program, 1992.

## **COMPETENCIES & INTERESTS**

- Computer skills: PowerPoint, Outlook, Word, Excel, Advance, Internet Explorer, etc.
- Language proficiencies: English (Native Language), German (Second Language).
- Interests: International travel, hiking, hunting and fishing.

## **AWARDS & PUBLICATIONS**

- "Der Erfolg von Universitätskampagnen und Fundraising-Teams in den USA"/"The Success of University Campaigns and Development in the USA". Fundraiser Magazin, Herbst/Autumn 2007.
- Recipient of the Klamath Basin Audubon Society Scholarship, September, 1994.

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- Northwest Habitat Institute, Board of Directors, P.O. Box 855, Corvallis, Oregon 97339, USA.  
<http://www.nwhi.org>
- Council for Advancement and Support of Education, Member, 1307 New York Avenue NW, Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20005-4701, USA.  
<http://www.case.org>
- National Agricultural Alumni and Development Association, Member, 6277 Franconia Road, Alexandria, VA 22310-2510.  
<http://www.naada.org>
- Oregon Wine Research Institute, Policy Board, Ex-Officio Member, Oregon State University, Strand Agriculture Hall, Corvallis, Oregon 97333, USA.  
<http://agsci.oregonstate.edu>
- Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, Life Member, 5705 Grant Creek, Missoula, MT 59808, USA.  
<http://www.rmef.org>

## Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

Interest Form  
for  
Access and Habitat Board

October 6, 2009

Personal Data


Roger H. Borine

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(541) 389-2547**Business:** Sage Assessments  
64770 Melinda Ct  
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(541) 610-2457**Occupation:** Natural Resource Consultant**Board position applying for:** Hunter

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.



Signature



Date

Statement of Interest

As a lifelong Oregonian I have lived, worked and hunted throughout the state. At the age of 5 in 1955, I began deer hunting with my father in northeastern Oregon. He was a great sportsman and shared his interests, expertise and ethics with me for many years. We hunted deer, elk, upland birds and waterfowl every fall. To this day, I continue to pursue all species throughout Oregon. Many changes have occurred throughout the state of Oregon in my lifetime. Because of these changes I strongly support the Access and Habitat Program. The restoration and enhancement of wildlife habitats and ensuring hunter access to these habitats is imperative to the future of hunting for present and future generations. Without the link of wildlife habitat to hunter access the wildlife resource will decline as will public hunting opportunities.

## 1. Experience and knowledge of hunting or knowledge and breadth of experience in the agriculture or forestry industries.

Hunting Experience and Knowledge

- Big Game – Have hunted successfully for Mule deer, Black-tailed deer, Rocky Mountain elk, Roosevelt elk, Antelope, Black bear and Caribou. Hunting is generally in roadless remote areas with access being by foot or horseback. Many weeks have been spent in wilderness areas of the Cascade and Wallowa Mountains.
- Upland game – Have hunted successfully all Oregon game birds and silver gray squirrel. Most bird hunting is with the assistance of pointing dogs.
- Out-of-State hunting experience includes Alaska for caribou, Idaho for elk and mule deer, and Nevada for mule deer and chukar.
- I have guided for a fee hunting operation with my pointing dogs for pheasant, quail and chukar.
- Hunting is generally alone or with family and friends in a group of 4 or less. I hunt with both firearms and bow. Chukar hunting with Brittanys is my passion.
- I have lived and worked throughout Oregon (La Grande, Baker City, Klamath Falls, Medford, and Bend). I own a small irrigated farm that is being developed to raise hay, livestock and train pointing dogs.

Experience in the Agriculture and Forest Industries

- Professionally I have worked with agriculture and forest industries for 32 years as a Soil Scientist, Wetland Specialist and Habitat Biologist throughout Oregon for the USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) on private and public lands. Currently I am self employed as a natural resource consultant specializing in soils, wetlands, and wildlife habitats.
- Experience includes natural resource expertise in inventory, planning and management to private landowners on cropland, rangeland, and forestland. While with NRCS I had statewide responsibilities for upland wildlife habitat planning efforts on private lands and providing technical assistance and oversight for USDA Conservation Programs.

2. Involvement in sportsman/hunter/conservation organizations or experience with fish and wildlife resource management issues.

Organization Involvement

*Sportsman/Hunter/Conservation*

- A&H Advisory Council (2005-2009) as a hunter representative participating in the initial review for A&H grant proposals within the Deschutes/Klamath region.
- Oregon Hunter's Association – President, Secretary, Board of Director (Central Oregon), 1984-1992, Life Member
- American Kennel Club – Certified Judge for Field Trials and Hunt Tests for pointing dogs
- Oregon Brittany Club – Field Trial Committee member
- Northwest Field Trial Council – Treasurer, Board of Director (2004-2008)
- Northwest Pointing Dog Association – member
- NRA – member

*Agriculture/Forestry:*

- Certified Professional Soil Scientist/Soil Classifier
- Professional Wetland Scientist
- Society of Wetland Science – member
- Oregon Society of Soil Scientists – President, Secretary, Treasurer, 1976-1985

Fish and Wildlife Resource Management Issues

- While with USDA-NRCS I had state-wide responsibility for providing wildlife habitat planning considerations to NRCS and SWCD employees on private lands. This included habitat assessments and evaluations for big game, upland game, non-game, and threatened and endangered species.
- During the development and completion of the *Greater Sage-Grouse Conservation Assessment and Strategy for Oregon* I was an active member of the steering committee.
- As a private citizen I participated on the committee that developed the *Deer Management Plan for Oregon* in 1990.
- As a private citizen I stay updated on ODFW news releases and current events that may affect wildlife habitat and hunting in Oregon. In addition, I take time to respond to issues and attend public meetings.
- I have been an ODFW Volunteer for numerous habitat and wildlife projects.

3. Leadership/Experience in sportsmen/hunter/conservation organizations or involvement in agriculture or forest industry organizations.

- Professionally I work and have worked closely with Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, Oregon Department of Agriculture, Oregon Department of State Lands, Soil and Water Conservation Districts, Watershed Councils, Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board, Oregon Wheat League, Oregon Cattlemen's Association, Ducks Unlimited, National Wild Turkey Federation and federal agencies on natural resource issues.
- Personally, I have worked with Oregon Hunter's Association, Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, ODFW Commission and Representatives in the Oregon Legislature on wildlife habitat and hunter issues. This experience has helped me develop a working knowledge of Oregon's political process.
- See Item 2 – Organization Involvement for leadership roles in organizations.

4. Leadership and experience on or with councils, boards, commission, and legislature.

- A&H Advisory Council (2005-2009) as a hunter representative participating in the initial review for A&H grant proposals within the Deschutes/Klamath region.
- See Item 3.

5. Experience working with and/or representing the public.

- Professionally I have worked with private landowners and the public my entire career in both individual and group settings on small and large projects. Accomplishments include completion of all or portions of soil surveys for Josephine, Jackson, Klamath, Lake, and Sherman counties. These included private lands with large farms, ranches, industrial and non-industrial forestlands and public lands administered by multiple federal and state agencies. Collaborative efforts have led to successful and timely completion of these projects.
- As an Officer and Board of Director for several professional, sporting, and conservation organizations I have worked with individuals and groups, both public and private, to further the goals of the organizations.
- As a federal employee I was responsible for assisting private landowners to identify and resolve natural resource issues. This required the implementation of policy and technology with partners that included landowners, private business, and federal and state agencies.
- As a natural resource consultant I inventory and assess resource conditions and develop interpretations and recommendations for clients that include private landowners and public entities.



6. Ability/interest in working collaboratively with others.
- As technical leader for USDA-NRCS Wetland Reserve Program I worked collaboratively with landowners, Ducks Unlimited, ODFW, The Nature Conservancy, Oregon Hunter's Association, city governments, and federal and state agencies to successfully restore thousands of acres of wetlands throughout Oregon. Projects included Ladd Marsh WMA, Williamson River Delta, Baldock Slough, and Sycan Marsh.
  - As a consultant I have successfully assisted private landowners that are experiencing resource issues (wetland, riparian area, wildlife habitat and soil) to successful resolution with county, state, and federal entities.
  - As an officer and member of several professional and conservation organizations I have worked closely with small and large groups to develop and establish new organizations and have successfully mediated personnel and organizational issues.
7. Participation in the A&H program.
- A&H Advisory Council - hunter representative from 2005-2009 participating in the initial review for A&H grant proposals within the Deschutes/Klamath region.
  - As a hunter I have hunted on private and public lands that have been made available through landowner participation in the A&H Program.
8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters and ODFW.
- During my 32 year career with NRCS and 3 years as a Natural Resource Consultant I have successfully initiated, assessed, planned, and managed projects that landowners, hunters, and ODFW have been highly involved. An understanding of the desires and roles of all parties enables positive working relations for obtaining desired results. I have demonstrated the ability of fostering positive relations by successfully completing projects by having a clear understanding and working knowledge of the desires, roles and responsibilities of both private and public interests.

**References:**

Mike Rahn (A&H Advisory Council/Business Owner/Land Owner)	PO Box 249	Enterprise, OR 97828	(541) 426-3494
Glen Swearingen (Personal Contact)	4022 SW Wickiup Ct	Redmond, OR 97756	(541) 480-8284
Jim Hammett (Superintendent)	John Day National Monument 32651 Highway 19	Kimberly, OR 97848	(541) 987-2333
Russ Hatz (Natural Resource Spclst)	NRCS West National Technology Center 1201 NE Lloyd Blvd, Suite 1000	Portland, OR 97232	(503) 273-2428



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#### Personal Data

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Residence Telephone 503 246 0002

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Occupation Wildlife Biologist - Retired

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one):*

Landowner Representative

Hunter Representative

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Alan G Christensen  
 Signature

Oct 11, 2009  
 Date

**Alan G. Christensen Statement of Interest**

I wish to make application for a position as a hunter representative on the Access and Habitat Board. My experience, education, long history as an active hunter, and history of working in partnership makes me a desirable candidate for the position. I submit the following information to support my interest.

**1. Experience and knowledge of hunting or knowledge and breadth of experience in the agriculture or forestry industries.**

I have been a hunter since early in my life and legally licensed since age 12 when I passed hunter safety training (I still have the certificate). I have hunted in 7 states and two Canadian provinces for big game, upland game, and waterfowl. For years I was an avid archer and hunted with a bow. I am also a trained wildlife biologist and have worked for State, Federal and conservation organizations, nearly always in contact with or coordination with hunters. My first job out of the Navy was as a game warden in New Mexico where one of my duties was hunter safety training. I have published articles in scientific and popular literature regarding upland birds, retriever training, and waterfowl hunting. I have spoken to many groups of hunters, scientists and educators regarding the management of wildlife, hunting as a conservation tool and responsibility hunters have regarding conservation of wildlife.

I have read hunting and conservation literature extensively all my life and at various times subscribed to many of the leading hunting, gun or conservation publications.

I am still an active hunter and recently purchased my fourth lab and am working her for retrieving and hunting. I have owned a lab nearly continuously since 1967 for hunting and family companionship. I have reloaded both rifle and shotgun ammunition since my teens and continue to shoot skeet and sporting clays and target shoot with my rifles.

I believe that, taken together, my background and experience makes me a worthy candidate for the A&H Board as a hunter representative.

**2. Involvement in sportsmen/hunter/conservation organizations or experience with fish and wildlife resource management.**

I became involved with the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation at its earliest beginning and, ultimately, became the first field director and then Vice President for Lands and Conservation. The RMEF is, first and foremost, a hunter based organization. Among my first jobs was to start local chapters of the RMEF for fundraising. I often relied on my professional contacts within a community, but it was the local hunters, both women and men, that turned out and made the banquets a success. Before, during and after those events I worked continuously with people that loved to hunt and gave of their time and resources for conservation work. While working for the RMEF I dealt with hunters and conservationists on a host of issues and started and oversaw the Project Advisory Committee (PAC)

system in its earliest days. The PAC system was eventually adopted in every state in which RMEF works and is the process for selecting projects to fund. During my tenure as VP our goal was to fund a project a day and we reached a level of 300 habitat projects and over 30 land projects in my final year. I served on the Board of the Intermountain Joint Venture for about 7 years and worked with other conservationists to fund important waterfowl and bird habitat projects in an 11 state area of the West. I served on the Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board for over 5 years as the Forest Service representative here in Oregon.

In 2001 and early in 2002, I was a contract staffer for the Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Alliance. The organization was just getting started and I helped shape some of the earliest approaches. The organization has since been modified to the Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Partnership, but many of the goals are the same and are strongly based on TR's legacy as a hunter and conservationist.

Throughout my career as a wildlife manager, I have worked the interface between resource agencies and hunters as involved conservationists.

3. Leadership in sportsmen/hunter/conservation organizations or involvement in agriculture of forest industries.

I believe I provided a response for this question in item 2 above. In terms of pure leadership I would offer:

a) President of the Wildlife Society in Montana in 1980's; b) First Field Director and eventually VP for the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation; c) Forest Service Representative to a host of meetings and committees over the years of my career-both Nationally (Get Wild Program/Elk Country Initiative) and Regionally (OWEB and lead FS rep on several EIS's and consultation with Fish and Wildlife Service/NOAA for listed species); d) Chair of the International Grizzly and Wolf Working Group in mid 1980's; e) co-author of the "Land Management" chapter in the most recent revision of "Elk of North America"; f) winner of the Chuck Yeager Conservation award from the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation; g) and via my positions in providing leadership in wildlife issues as Regional Program Leader in Region 1 USFS (Missoula Mt) and Assistant Director for Natural Resources in Region 6 USFS (Portland Or).

4. Leadership an experience on or with councils, boards, commission, and legislature.

As mentioned above, I have served on several Boards and councils. While not related to conservation or hunting, I was Chairman of the Board of Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp in Montana for 3 years. This was a large camp that served 66 Lutheran churches in Montana and owned a multi-million dollar facility which hosted nearly 2000 children each year. This position required budget and organizational skills, but because of its nature also required tact, understanding, skills working with many people, political savvy, and fundraising skills.

I have held no elective positions, but during different jobs I have testified before legislative committees at the State level, met and lobbied Congressional Representatives and Senators on conservation and funding issues, and provided written testimony and professional background material for various Federal and State committees dealing with conservation issues. Many of these meetings and testimonies involved issues related to hunting, hunters and wildlife conservation.

5. Experience working with or representing the public.

During my entire career as a wildlife biologist for both State and Federal agencies, I always felt like I was continuously working for and representing the public. Starting with my first professional position where I held public meetings throughout New Mexico to gather opinions on a controversial issue to my last USFS position where I lead a staff that dealt with nearly all natural resource issues, I have held the public interest in the highest esteem. I can not relate the number of meetings I have attended with the public to explain thorny issues in State management plans, Forest Service land use plans, grizzly management issues in Montana, elk management issues in Idaho, prescribed fire issues in Region 1 USFS, oil and gas drilling in Colorado, North Dakota and Montana, livestock grazing and fisheries in Oregon, hard rock mining and wildlife in Montana, license fee increases in New Mexico and Montana, wolf management in the Rocky Mountains, road management and wildlife issues in many states, wilderness management and wildlife issues in Idaho and Utah just to name few. In many of these meetings I was a principle speaker a panel member or facilitator.

As any public employee that has worked with the public can attest, some of these meetings elevated my esteem for the public and many were frustrating. Almost all of these issues touched hunting and fishing and I feel my own values as a hunter allowed me to look at these issues through the eyes of a hunter and to take those values into consideration.

6. Ability/interest in working collaboratively with others.

Throughout my career in conservation, I have been active in partnership building and collaboration. During the period I have been working in conservation the notion that any group or agency can "go it alone" has been pretty much put to bed. Only through partnership, sharing and collaboration can work get done. This takes lots of upfront communication, trust, developing credibility and delivering a product. Much of what is taken for granted now was novel 25 or 30 years ago. Hunter based conservation groups were very limited in number, Ducks Unlimited being one, and really did not play a major role in conservation or conservation funding. Much has changed in the past several decades and I would like to believe that my efforts helped that change along. When the RMEF was in its earliest phases, I was able to influence the philosophy of partnership and funding assistance with State and Federal agencies. I directed many of the very first funding efforts of the RMEF and talked with many State and Federal counterparts about the role a private conservation group could play. When the Forest Service initiated the challenge cost share program in 1987, the RMEF was among the very first organizations to partner. I drafted the National MOU with RMEF and USFS and the agreement was only the second one at that time that the USFS had in effect (the DU agreement was first). My Chuck Yeager award was largely based on my partnering efforts in Region 1.

Many of the thorny issues I have dealt with in my professional career necessitated that I work with and listen to others. I value working collaboratively and feel that the collaborative/partnership model is the life blood of conservation work, particularly on public lands. Woven through all this has been the active involvement of hunters. Many of the mainstream groups that raise funds, provide free labor, and lobby for budgets are hunter based.

7. Participation in the A&H program.

I have had little direct experience with the A&H program. I have known of its existence for quite some time. In my current position with the Western Rivers Conservancy, where I work half time, I have submitted an A&H grant proposal for a riparian project. Through that experience I have come to understand more of the detail behind the program.

8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters, and ODFW.

I feel that my background working in both public and private conservation organizations gives me a valuable ability to work across those lines. Also, I grew up working in agriculture and forestry; first in gathering crops, haying, working on dairy farms and later in logging, working in mills and tree planting. I understand and appreciate the pride and challenges that private landowners feel. I have also come to understand through my professional career how valuable and important private land is for wildlife. As a hunter I have had the privilege of access to private land for hunting and deeply value those opportunities. As a wildlife biologist, I have had the opportunity of working with private landowners to enhance, protect and manage their lands for wildlife through habitat improvement, conservation easements, grazing management plans and hunting programs. I know and appreciate the responsibility that a State wildlife management agency faces as an interface between hunters, whose demands as license buyers can sometimes be shrill, and landowners, who may hold the key to wildlife population issues in a hunting context. It is a very important role and as a Board member of the A&H board and a hunter, I feel I can bring experience, context and understanding to the issue.

*Alon G. Chertman*



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Occupation Programs Supervisor (mental Health)

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner Representative

Hunter Representative

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

[Signature]  
Signature

10-4-09  
Date

**Don Gilbert**

**Statement of Interest**

In addition to being a third generation Oregonian and a lifetime resident of Douglas County I feel I would be valuable asset to the A&H Board because;

- I have been a licensed Oregon trapper for 28 years
- I have been a successful big game hunter in Oregon for 24 years (deer, elk, bear and cougar)
- I have worked as a paid employee for ODF&W on research projects that where sensitive to special interest groups (ID # OR0109927
- Have served as Chapter President for Oregon Hunters Association (Umpqua Chapter)
- I am currently South Director for Oregon United Sporting Dog Association
- Have extensive experience working with groups on issues that involve elevated emotional states
- Have participated in A&H tag sales while acting President OHA

I feel that my experience as an active outdoorsman coupled with my education and experience working with a broad spectrum of social views would be a great asset to the A&H Board.



Name: Don Gilbert

References (optional)

Kelly Forney 1-541-580-7056  
Buddy Woodberry 1-360-263-6188  
Dawn Jones 1-541-863-0955  
Dennis Gibbons 1-541-621-1308  
Fred Pannoni 1-541-496-4790  
Jeff Orr 1-541-580-7404

John York 1-541-840-8977  
Miracle Wright 1-541-637-6911  
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 Attn: Matthew Keenan - A&H Coordinator  
 3406 Cherry Ave. NE  
 Salem, OR 97303  
 Tel: (503) 947-6087  
 Fax: (503) 947-6070

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for farm and ranch owners/managers:

Oregon Department of Agriculture  
 Attn: Ray Jandl  
 635 Capitol Street NE  
 Salem, OR 97301-2532  
 Tel: (503) 986-4700  
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for forest land owners/managers:

Oregon Department of Forestry  
 Attn: Marvin Brown, State Forester  
 2600 State Street  
 Salem, OR 97301  
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As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Timothy M. Hawkins  
Signature

9/24/09  
Date

Name: Tim Hawkins

References (optional)

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Lieutenant Dard Gifford  
Fish & Game Dept.  
Oregon State Police  
Southwest Region  
Medford Oregon

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A little about myself...

I was born in 1959 and have spent my entire life in the Gold Beach area. After completing high school at Gold Beach, I furthered my education at Southwestern Oregon Community College, receiving an associate in science in Forestry Technology. After stints working in the logging industry and driving passenger boats on the Rogue River I landed a job at Coos Curry Electric Co-op in 1987. After working my way up thru the steps to becoming a Journeyman Lineman, I was offered a job in the engineering dept. This job included designing, estimating cost and working with landowners on obtaining right-of-way easements for the construction of power lines. Many hours were spent getting legal descriptions, names, maps etc.

Field meetings were a requirement with the landowners and neighbors to make sure that everyone was on the same page as to what was required to make the job become a reality. After 5 years in the engineering dept, I went back to work as a journeymen lineman.

My volunteer work has been mostly working with youth in the Gold Beach area thru various sport functions. Coaching Little League baseball, Rotary basketball and helping with the school cross country running teams. I am one of the original committee members of the South Coast Chapter of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation and have served as the Chapter Chairman since it originated 5 years ago.

My Family consists of my wife of 25 years and two children, a daughter age 18 enrolled at Oregon State University and a son age 14 enrolled at Gold Beach High School. My wife and my children are all avid hunters. My children have both participated in the youth first time hunting program and my son participated in the Mentored Youth hunting program.

The reasons for my interest in becoming involved with the Access and Habitat Board are to work toward securing public lands and establishing healthy numbers of game animals for future generations to hunt.

Thank You for your consideration,

  
Tim Hawkins



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Occupation Contractor

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Mark R Hendrix  
Signature

10-12-09  
Date

Name: Hendrix Mark R

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### Statement of Interest

Describe why you are interested in serving on the Access and Habitat Board. Provide information on your experience and background that supports your interest. Please include participation in any organization, board, or commission. Please attach separate sheet(s) if necessary. Your application will be evaluated using the following criteria:

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3. Leadership in sportsman/hunter/conservation organizations or involvement in agriculture or forest industry organizations.
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I am a native Oregonian. I have had the privilege to be involved with hunting at a very young age with my father. I have been through the Hunter Safety program and had my children also go through the same program. I am a Master Hunter and have been involved with their program. I am a Rocky Mtn Elf Foundation committee member and have been very involved with their conservation programs with ODFW. We have worked on improving habitat for local elk herds in our local hunting areas of Curry County, Oregon. I am involved with the local chapter of the RMEF with their annual banquet to raise funds to support the national as well as local chapter for conservation projects on forest service land. I feel I would be a great asset to improve access to land.

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References (optional)

<u>Tim Hawkins</u>	_____
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Hendrix, Mark R.

Attachment

Interest form  
Access + Habitat Board

I am a life member to  
the NRA and Oregon Hunters  
Assn.





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Personal Data

Name Holm, HERMAN L (Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial) 97383

Legal Residence 41530 Kingston-Jordan Rd, Dayton, OR

Business Address Same

Residence Telephone 503-701-0284

Business Telephone Same

Occupation Utility Foreman, underground piping

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner Representative [ ]

Hunter Representative [X]

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Herman L. Holm Signature

10-12-09 Date

Name: Hermaan Holm

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8. Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters and ODFW.

Oregon resident for 56 years, and an avid hunter and fisherman - belong to Rocky Mtn Elk Foundation, OHA, and FANS. Life member in all of them. Spend lots of time with my grand kids in the outdoors. Worked with my dad logging for 15 years back in the late 60's and most of the 70's. Have worked for O&A and have been president of Santiam Golf Club. My job in the underground agencies me to in the public, working with residence all over the state. Spent lots of time in the Portland area. Built bridges in the 50's all over Oregon and Washington. One of my best assets is the ability to deal with people, and with all the problems can arise, and usually do. I'm a golfer, photographer - artist (cartoons mostly). I think I would like to try it. Have lots of friends and would like to represent all of them. Thank You.

Hermaan Holm

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Name: Herman Hoben

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503-769-1969 (Jesse)  
" 769-3485 (STEVE)"  
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Personal Data

Name Matthew Dean Langer

(Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

Legal Residence 21315 SW Baler Way, Sherwood, OR 97140

Business Address 13129 HWY 26, Mitchell, OR

Residence Telephone 503-625-6376

Business Telephone 541-462-3881

Occupation Property Management, Ranching and Farming

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner Representative

Hunter Representative

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Matthew Langer  
Signature

10/12/09  
Date

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1. I grew up hunting, farming, ranching, dory fishing and contracting in Oregon. Graduated 1995 Oregon State with B.S. in Construction Engineering Management. I've been hunting with my family since age 2 and shot my first mule deer buck at age 12 (4x4) and first bull at age 16 (6x6). I've since harvested over 25 bucks and 18 bulls. During those years I also spent many days hunting upland game birds and waterfowl across Oregon. In 1989/90 at age 17/18 I was a member of the ODFW Youth Commission and participated in projects on Sauvies Island and the Jewel Elk Refuge. My family has a ranch west of Mitchell where we've received A&H support in planting crops for deer and elk. Six months of the year I spend time at the ranch enhancing habitat and food sources for big game, waterfowl and upland birds. The ODFW conducts winter range studies on our ranch for deer and elk that I have participated in when available. We also have 6 miles of steelhead spawning stream that is used as a study/count area annually.

2. Organizations: Oregon Hunters Association Prineville  
Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation

Safari Club International  
Coastal Conservation Association

3. No previous leadership in Sportsman Organizations.
- 4/5. For my property management work in Sherwood I am actively involved with City Council, Chamber of Commerce, Rotary and Sherwood Football. I work in land development and have been thru several Land Use Hearing and Council meetings where addressing public and politician needs was a priority. I participate in local town hall meetings and know my local Senator Larry George.
6. As a Project Manager for Granite Construction Company I built several multi-million dollar projects for Departments of Transportation where dealing with the public was part of our management strategy on many projects.
7. Our Mitchell ranch, Bear Creek Ranch, received A&H funds in the late 1990's. My father and I submitted the paperwork and were interviewed by the A&H Board before getting the funding.
8. As a rancher/developer involved in Rotary and Chamber of Commerce I have a firm understanding of how relationships shape our lives and community. My life is built around strong relationships within the Sherwood and Prineville communities.

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Name: Matthew D. Langer

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References (optional)

Keith Mays	503-476-4445	Mayor of Sherwood
Gary Perahl	541-480-4804	Prineville OHA Member
Jeff Hargens	503-849-8562	Previous Contractor Employer

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#### Personal Data

Name LEAVENS WILLIAM D.  
(Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

Legal Residence 8461 HIGHBANKS RD. CENTRAL POINT, OR. 97502

Business Address 2795 KIRTLAND RD. CENTRAL POINT, OR 97502

Residence Telephone 541-665-2133 CELL 541-840-7790

Business Telephone 541-664-3146

Occupation OWNER L&S ROCK PRODUCTS

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner Representative  Hunter Representative

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

*William D. Leavens*  
Signature

10-10-09  
Date

Name: LEAVENS, WILLIAM D.

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I AM AN OREGON NATIVE GRADUATING IN 1977  
FROM OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY WITH A DEGREE IN  
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION. I HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN  
HEAVY CONSTRUCTION - MORE SPECIFICALLY MANAGING  
AGGREGATE PROCESSING, PERMITTING AND RECLAMATION  
FOR OVER THIRTY YEARS.

I AM SERVING MY LAST TERM AS CHAIRMAN OF  
THE ACCESS AND HABITAT SOUTHWEST REGION COUNCIL.  
IT HAS BEEN EXCITING FOR ME TO FOLLOW THE  
APPLICATION, APPROVAL AND PROGRESS OF GOODVIABLE  
ACCESS AND HABITAT PROJECTS AND I WOULD LIKE  
TO CONTINUE MY INVOLVEMENT AT THE STATE LEVEL.

I LIVE ON THE ROGUE RIVER AND HAVE HUNTED  
AND FISHED MOST OF MY LIFE. MY PARTICIPATION AND  
INVOLVEMENT INCLUDE:

- JACOBSON COUNTY NATURAL RESOURCE ADVISORY COUNCIL
- VERNAL POOL STRAICHOLDER COMMITTEE MEMBER
- BOB AND PHYLLIS MACE WATCHABLE WILDLIFE FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE
- CENTRAL POINT ROTARY (PAST BOARD MEMBER)
- COMMITTEE AND LIFE MEMBER ROCKY MTN. LULU FOUNDATION
- LIFE MEMBER NATIONAL WILD TURKEY FEDERATION
- MEMBER OREGON HUNTERS ASSOC. AND DELTA WATERFOWL
- RIVER GUILD STRAICHOLDER GROUP COMMITTEE MEMBER

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Name: LEAVENS WILLIAM D.

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DONALD K. DENMAN (541-899-9065)  
LOU BUDGE (541-779-6180)  
GARY LYNCH (541-967-2039)  
FRANK SCHNITZER (541-967-2039)  
CRIG HARPER (541-444-6674)  
RUSS STAUFF (541-826-8774)

FORMER MEMBER O.D.F.W. COMMISSION  
ROCKY MTH FIRE, ROGUE CHAPTER CHAIRMAN  
OR. DEPT OF GEOLOGY - ASST. DIRECTOR  
OR. DEPT OF GEOLOGY - SENIOR RECREATIONIST  
ROGUE VALLEY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS  
O.D.F.W. ROGUE WATERSHED MANAGER

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Name Pennington, Jason W.  
(Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

Legal Residence 2705 N. Greenwood St. LaGrande, OR 97850

Business Address 2608 N. Birch St LaGrande, OR 97850

Residence Telephone 541-910-1239

Business Telephone 541-963-6230


Occupation Construction

Board position applying for *(you may check more than one):*

Landowner Representative

Hunter Representative

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

  
 Signature

10-12-09  
 Date

Name: Jason Pennington - Continued -

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Application of Interest  
For  
*Jason W. Pennington*

My family has enjoyed many outdoor activities for most of my life. Camping, hunting and fishing have been the highlights of growing up in Eastern Oregon. I would love to be able to give these same experiences to my own three children. This is why I am interested in a position on the Access and Habitat Board.

I have been hunting every year since I was able to at 12 years old. I believe these experiences have given me a great respect for wildlife and the outdoors in general. It is important to maintain the ability for people to experience the outdoors and have access to our forests and wildlife.

For the past seven years I have served on the committee for the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation. I have served as chairman of the La Grande chapter of RMEF for the past four years and plan to continue on in this role. As chairman, I have organized the local benefit auction, dealt with business owners and people throughout the community, and delegated activities to other committee members to help maintain a high quality and successful banquet.

Last year, the La Grande chapter was lucky enough to receive one of the Access & Habitat tags to auction off at our local event. I was able to attend the meeting in Baker City, OR to determine which groups would be awarded the tags. The process in which the tags were awarded was very interesting to me. I believe the ability to auction off these once-in-a-lifetime hunts is a great fundraiser for all agencies involved. I would like to see this program move forward with great success, and, I would look forward as well to be a part of it.

As a small business owner, my ties to this local community are strong. I deal with customers and businesses daily. My experiences in business and as chairman of the RMEF have prepared me to be a valuable member of the Access & Habitat Board.

Thank you for the opportunity to apply for this position and I look forward to serving our state with you.



Jason W. Pennington



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Personal Data

Name Poole, Donald L. (Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

Legal Residence 3051 Alberta Ave NE - Salem, OR 97301 (Mail only to: P.O. Box 12333 - Salem, OR 97309-0333)

Business Address N/A

Residence Telephone 503-371-0639

Business Telephone N/A

Occupation semi-retired - part time job

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner Representative [ ]

Hunter Representative [x]

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Signature Donald L Poole

Date 9/2/2009

Name: Don Poole

References (optional)

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## Access & Habitat Board

### Application – Don Poole

I have served on the Access & Habitat Northwest Region - South Willamette Council for the last three years. I am interested in a Board position so I can be involved and responsible for improving access and habitat for hunters in Oregon.

Although strictly a bowhunter myself, I am very concerned about the hunting legacy we leave for our youth. I would like to see the proliferation of youth programs and more responsible and respectful access to private properties here in Oregon. I believe a proper balance of all natural resources in Oregon will help to increase opportunities throughout the state.

I have been involved in the hunting community here in Oregon since 2001 and have served on five different committees with Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife: Blacktail Deer Management Committee, Archery Regulations Review Committee, External Budget Advisory Committee, Hunter Recruitment Committee, and Outdoor Leaders' Group.

I was President of the Oregon Bow Hunters, the statewide bowhunting organization, from 2002 to 2006. In that time I attempted to increase awareness of bowhunting and the need for close range seasons. I also improved communication and visibility with the Department. I have testified in front of the Legislature and have written Letters to the Editor in support of budget increases. I have attended and testified at many meetings of the Commission.

I have been bowhunting since 1969, coming from a non-hunting family. Dealing with land owners, I arranged personal access to two 1,000 acre ranches in my home state of California. After moving to Alaska in 1974 and finding no bowhunting organization, I organized the state bowhunting organization with three other friends in 1978, eventually developing it into the voice for bowhunting in Alaska. The Alaskan Bowhunters Association became one of the most respected groups by Alaska Department of Fish & Game managers and biologists and other outdoor groups. I held all the offices in the organization in a 20 year period before moving to Oregon ... to "where the deer and antelope play!"

I have taught bowhunter education for over 15 years and I am still a Master Instructor for the International Bowhunter Education Foundation. Bowhunter Education teaches bowhunting safety and ethics. I was the Regional Coordinator for Alaska Department of Fish & Game, teaching and organizing instructors.

I served on the Regional Fish & Game Advisory Committee for 15 years. This committee reviewed all proposed regulation changes and recommended appropriate ones that pertained to the region to the Alaska Boards of Game and Fish, the final approval in the process before becoming part of the game and fish regulations.

I have been an Official Measurer for the Pope & Young Club since 1980 and an Official Measurer for the Boone & Crockett Club since 1985. These conservation organizations record game animals taken in North America, putting emphasis on selective hunting. I continue to measure many trophy antlers and skulls throughout the year.

## Volunteer Activities - Don Poole

*The Alaskan Bowhunters Association, Inc.* - a 501c3 organization - state bowhunting organization

- Co-founder - The Alaskan Bowhunters Association, Inc. - 1978
- Secretary Treasurer 1978 - 1982
- Newsletter Editor 1978 - 1983
- Banquet Donations Committee Chairman 1979 - 1985
- Vice President 1982 - 1984, 1989 - 1990
- President 1990 - 1996
- Gaming Regulations Chairman 1995 - 1996
- Past President 1996 - 1998
- Past Presidents Committee 1996 to present

*Soldotna-Kenai Rotary Club*

- Founded Soldotna-Kenai Rotary Club - 1978
- Vice President 1978 - 1979
- President 1979 - 1980
- Newsletter Editor 1985 - 1987

*Kenai-Soldotna Fish & Game Advisory Committee* - (elected position - local game & fish committee determined validity of public proposals before sending to the Boards of Fish and Game for final approval.)

- Board Member 1980 - 1996

*International Bowhunter Education Foundation*

- Regional Coordinator 1980 - 1995 - organized scheduling of courses/instructors and taught/certified new instructors
- Master Instructor 1980 - present

*Pope & Young Club* (conservation and record keeping organization)

- Official Measurer since 1980
- Associate Member 1974 - 1990
- Regular Member 1990 - 2000
- Senior Member since 2000

*Boone & Crockett Club* (conservation and record keeping organization)

- Official Measurer since 1985

*Soldotna Wallyball Organization*

- Organized - 1994
- Directed tournaments - 1996 to 1998
- Organized and directed leagues - 1997 to 1998

*Oregon Bow Hunters* - state bowhunting organization

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, Bowhunting & Legislation - March 2001
- President, Oct. 12, 2002 to May 2006
- ODF&W Blacktail deer management committee
- ODF&W Archery Regulations Review committee
- ODF&W External Budget Advisory committee
- ODF&W Outdoor Organizations Leaders Group
- ODF&W Hunter Recruitment Committee

*Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife - Access & Habitat Northwest Region - South Willamette Council* - council member since 2007

References – A&H Application – Don Poole

Jim Bergeron – 40080 Old Highway 30 – Astoria, OR 97103 – ph. (503) 458-6829

John Stone – 190 Crowfoot Rd. – Lebanon, OR 97355 – ph. (541) 259-2697

Steve Hess – 21062 Filbert St. NE – Aurora, OR 97002 – ph. (503) 949-1745

Frank Utah – 23434 NW Oak Island Rd. – Portland, OR 97231 – ph. (503) 407-8886

Michael Schneider – 18040 Spain Drive – Anchorage, AK 99516 – ph. (907) 277-9306 (w), (907) 345-7227 (h)

Dennis Lattery – P.O. Box 770775 – Eagle River, AK 99577 – ph. (907) 688-2093

Larry Velvick – 1547 Kathy St. – Emmett, ID 83617 – ph. (208) 365-7373



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Name RANGE, KENNETH L.  
(Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

Legal Residence 96197 CAPE FERRELO ROAD BROOKINGS, OR 97415

Business Address -

Residence Telephone 1-541-469-2650

Business Telephone -

Occupation RETIRED

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

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Hunter Representative

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Kenneth L. Range  
Signature

10/6/09  
Date

## STATEMENT OF INTEREST

### Experience and knowledge of hunting

I grew up in the heart of the Pacific flyway, the San Joaquin Delta, and started hunting waterfowl, upland game birds and small game at an early age. The Delta, while I was growing up, went through a number of major environmental changes, all at the expense of the wildlife populations that I enjoyed hunting. When I turned twelve, both black-tailed and mule deer were added to my hunting opportunities. While in high school I started hunting with archery. Over the years I have harvested both large and small game including goats, sheep, wild boar, deer, elk, bear and varied small game using both archery and firearms. I have hunted big game for over thirty years in Oregon.

In 1973, while a full time law enforcement officer, I started working part time as a hunting guide on a 27,000 private ranch. I guided hunts for wild boar, black-tailed deer and upland game birds. I continued guiding hunters part time until 1993 when I started a full time Orvis endorsed wingshooting lodge on 18,000 acres of private leased land. In addition to the upland game birds we hunted wild boar and deer. I hired three full time guides and had three or four part time guides.

Over the years I have taught many new hunters the class necessary for their hunter education certificate in both Oregon and California. While operating the hunting resort I worked with the Friends of the NRA and hosted summer camps for youth. Our camps lasted from three to five days and included up to forty students. During the camp the campers received the complete hunter education class, shotgun and rifle live fire training, archery instruction, game care instruction, went on a two mile nature hike, and had the opportunity to see bird dogs working in the field. Each year we would invite back six to eight of very best of the youth campers to be youth counselors for the next camp. Youth counselors were given additional training in firearms, assisted the adult counselors and with my supervision, cooked breakfast outdoors each morning for the entire camp.

Additional experience that has helped me in my own hunting and helped me in teaching others how to become safe and successful hunters includes: I was the area weapons training officer while on the California Highway Patrol, I was a Level 1 shooting instructor with the National Sporting Clays Association, I have a very good knowledge of firearms having been a licensed firearm dealer and have been to the Shot Show numerous times. I received training from Swarovski optics. I have had a kennel with more than twenty trained hunting dogs. I have taught many first time hunters etiquette and safety in the field, provided information about the habits and habitat of the game we were hunting, and given instruction in how to care for the game after the harvest.

### Experience with fish & wildlife resource management issues

I was responsible for the habitat management on 18,000 acres of private land. The primary use of the land was hunting. My goal was to create and maintain the highest quality habitat possible for our big game and upland game birds. I did control burns that removed old growth brush while protecting our native blue oaks. I improved the ranch water systems, planted crops

for wildlife, did predator control, worked with the county agricultural department on invasive weeds and maintained a County Restricted Materials Permit for spraying them. I attended a State Water Quality Class and worked with the Soil Conservation District to identify potential new dam sites.

#### Leadership in sportsman/hunter/conservation organizations

Currently I am the Area Coordinator/Hunter Education Instructor for ODFW in Curry County, I am also an Angler Education Instructor for ODFW and I am on the Board of Directors for Oregon South Coast Fishermen located in Brookings.

#### Leadership and experience on or with councils, boards, commission, and legislature

In 1992 I was appointed by a County Supervisor to a position on the County Substance Abuse Advisory Board. I served as the elected Chairman in 1993-95. I resigned from the Substance Abuse Advisory Board when I was appointed to the San Benito County Fish Game Commission. I spent eleven years on the Fish and Game Commission, six years as the elected Chairman.

In 1999 I was appointed to the Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District Advisory Board by the mayor of Hollister. The MBUAPD served Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties. I spent three years as the elected chairman.

I resigned from both the Fish & Game Commission and the MBUAPD when I retired and moved to Oregon.

#### Experience working with and/or representing the public

While I was the chairman of the above listed boards and commission I presided over public meetings. Some public meetings can certainly have emotional issues for some of the speakers. As chairman it was my responsibility to maintain control and also allow everyone the opportunity to be heard.

#### Ability in working collaboratively with others

In 1999, I served on the Open Burn Task Force for the MBUAPD. Our assignment was to make recommendations for new rules, regulations and a fee structure, that individual ranch owners and agencies could accept while meeting the new standards for air pollution set by the Air Resource Board in Sacramento. I was the only member that came from a working ranch and did control burning on large acreage. Other members of the task force were representatives from the USFS, BLM, Ft Ord Military Base, Ft Hunter Liggett Military Base, Camp Roberts National Guard Base, California Parks & Recreation, CDF, California Department of Fish & Game, and the Fire Departments of the major cities within the three counties. We spent over one year in give and take negotiations to come up with the recommendations that were adopted as the final policy.

### Participation in the A&H program

Until recently I was unaware of the existence of the ODFW Access & Habitat Board, however, as the hunter education coordinator I have been in contact with Fred Arnold with South Coast Lumber Company in an attempt to obtain access for a youth shooting range on their property. At this time they are not ready primarily due to past issues with the public. Also, while at Rock Springs Ranch I was involved with a feasibility study with the San Benito County Water District for a new dam site and with a company that wanted to build a new microwave tower on the ranch.

### Ability to foster positive relations between landowners, hunters and ODFW

I believe the best way to foster a positive relationship with any landowner, hunter or agency is to develop a positive personal reputation. Some relationships take more time to develop and they only develop as long as there is mutual trust between the parties. If landowners and other hunters know you respect the environment, property rights, the law, and the game you seek, you will by your example foster positive relations. I believe I have a positive reputation and as a representative for ODFW I make every effort to teach new hunters ethics that will foster positive relations with landowners, hunters and non-hunters alike.



Name: KENNETH L. RANGE

**References (optional)**

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<u>MYRNA BRITTON ODFW</u>	<u>1 503 947-6028</u>
<u>PAUL LEEBURE</u>	<u>1 707 799-7773</u>
<u>CRAIG BEACH</u>	<u>1 831 214-9622</u>
<u>DICK DALY</u>	<u>1 650 796-0899</u>
<u>PETER CURRIE</u>	<u>1 650 242-8000</u>

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# CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

## KEN RANGE

FOR ELEVEN YEARS OF SERVICE WITH THE  
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AND  
FOUR YEARS OF SERVICE WITH THE  
SUBSTANCE ABUSE ADVISORY BOARD

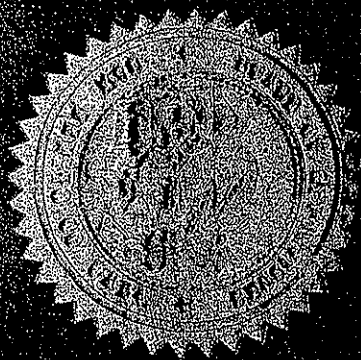
*In appreciation for your dedication and commitment to the Community*  
**THANK YOU from the**  
**SAN BENITO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

April 11, 2006

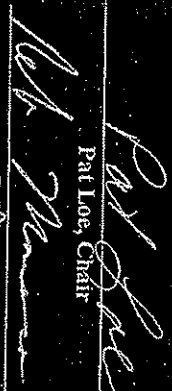
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## MONTEREY BAY

Unified Air Pollution Control District  
serving Monterey, San Benito, and Santa Cruz counties

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL OFFICER  
Douglas Quetin

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December 9, 2005

Ken Range  
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Paicines, CA 95043

Dear Ken:

I'd like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank you for your dedicated work and chairmanship on the District's Advisory Committee, as well as taking time from what I am sure is a busy schedule. In addition, many thanks for all your hard work and hours spent on the burn program.

Thanks again for serving on the Advisory Committee for the past six years. You will be missed by all, and we wish you the best of everything up there in Oregon!

Sincerely,

  
Douglas Quetin  
Air Pollution Control Officer



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Personal Data

Name SINISCAL, GEORGE F.  
(Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

Legal Residence 2043 SILETZ HWY, LINCOLN CITY, OR 97367

Business Address RETIRED

Residence Telephone 541-992-4476

Business Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation RETIRED - MULT. CO. CORRECTIONS

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner

Hunter

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Re-submitted:  
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Signature

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DIVISION

Name: GEORGE SINISCAL

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1) I FEEL THAT THE ACCESS & HABITAT PROGRAM IN REGARDS TO OUR FUTURE HUNTING ACCESS AVAILABILITY TO PRIVATE LANDS, OUR HUNTING PROGRAMS, AND THE SURVIVAL AND WELL BEING OF OUR GAME ANIMALS AND NON-GAME ANIMALS AS WELL. I WOULD LIKE VERY MUCH TO BE A PART OF THAT PROGRAM.

2) I HAVE BEEN AN AVID HUNTER AND OUTDOORSMAN FOR NEARLY 50 YRS. AND FEEL THAT MY KNOWLEDGE WOULD BE A BENEFIT TO THE A&H PROGRAM.

3) I AM A MEMBER OF THE CONFEDERATE TRIBES OF SILETZ INDIANS AND HAVE BEEN ON THE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE FOR 15 YRS. I HAVE BEEN THE CHAIRMAN OF THAT COMMITTEE FOR 14 YRS.

4) I AM ALSO A MEMBER OF THE OREGON HUNTERS ASSOCIATION - LINCOLN COUNTY CHAPTER AND AM CURRENTLY THE PRESIDENT OF THAT CHAPTER.

- 3) MY PROPERTY CONSISTS OF .54.45 ACRES OF TIMBER CONSERVATION LAND, PLANTED IN DOUGLAS FIR AND HEMLOCK. I AM CURRENTLY IN THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPING SOME AREAS OF THE PROPERTY INTO DEER AND ELK HABITAT. I AM CREATING SMALL MEADOWS THAT WILL BE SEEDED IN CLOVER AND GRASSES IN THE EARLY SPRING.
- 6) I HAVE BEEN A VOLUNTEER WITH THE OREGON DEPT. OF FISH & WILDLIFE OVER THE PAST 5 YRS, AND HAVE HELP WITH SUCH PROJECTS AS DEER AND ELK HEAD COUNTS, DEER HAIRLOSS COUNTS, BEAR BAITING PROGRAMS, AND ALSO THE ELK RELOCATION PROGRAM OF NORTH LINCOLN CITY.
- 7) I AM ALSO A MEMBER OF THE BLACKTAIL DEER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM.
- 8) I AM RETIRED FROM 30 YRS. OF LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CORRECTION. 3 1/2 YRS. OF THE LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION WAS SPENT AS A SHERIFF SUPERVISOR.

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Name: GEORGE F. SINISCAL

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References (optional)

DR. DOUG COTTAM - ODFW NEWPORT - 541-867-0300 EXT. 250

LAMI WAGNER - ODFW NEWPORT - 541-867-0300 EXT. 255

JERRY KIRKPATRICK - OHA LINCOLN CO - 541-994-3776

MIKE DOWNING - OHA LINCOLN CO - 541-996-3621

RYAN KEHR - OSP NEWPORT - 541-270-0097

RICHARD WOLF - OR DEPT. OF CORR. (RETIRED) - 541-350-4911

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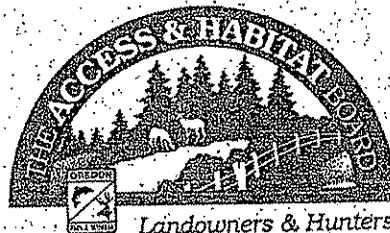
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Personal Data

Name John Stelzentmueller (Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

Legal Residence 14136 SE Main, Portland, OR, 97233

Business Address

Residence Telephone (503) 254-6064

Business Telephone (503) 691-3042

Occupation Building Official for the city of Tualatin

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner Representative [ ] Hunter Representative [X]

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Signature [Handwritten Signature]

Date 10/13/09



Name: John Stelzenmueller

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I am currently working with the Portland Metro Chapter of Pheasants Forever as their habitat director. I have organized several habitat projects working with Dennis Newman, the habitat coordinator with ODFW in Heppner. I also have worked with the Oregon Mechanical Officials Association representing them at national code hearings and testifying in front of national boards and committees. I have also served on Oregon code related boards and am currently OMOA's code committee chairman. I represent the public as the city of Tualatin's code official and as such deal with public issues on a daily basis. I have lived, fished and hunted in Oregon for over 50 years and have seen access and habitat diminish drastically over the years and would like to be a part of restoring that aspect to the hunters and citizens of Oregon. I am also a life member of North American Hunt Club.

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Name: John Stelzenmueller

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**References (optional)**

**Dennis Newman**

**(541) 676-5452**

**Roger Crawford**

**(503) 721-5012**

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Personal Data

Name A. John Tacke (Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)
Legal Residence 1935 N.W. 27th St. Corvallis, 97330
Business Address 360 N.W. Tyler Ave. Corvallis, 97330
Residence Telephone 541 758-4663 Cell: 541 231-8165
Business Telephone 541 753-4567
Occupation REAL ESTATE BROKER

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

Landowner Representative [ ]

Hunter Representative [X]

As a citizen of the United States and resident of Oregon, I will accept appointment to the Access and Habitat Board if selected by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.

Signature [Handwritten Signature]

Date 10/12/09

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Hi -

- 1- Life long Oregon sportsman.
- 2- Former member of a Ranching Family.
- 3- Fifteen - twenty year member O.N.A.
- 4- Have successfully helped clients through MEAS 37 claims before the Benton Cty. Commissioners.
- 5- Ten years as a broker/consultant with Northwest Realty Consultants having worked all areas of Oregon.
- 6- Multiple contacts in the Ranching, Farming & Forestry of the State.

- Thank you



John Tacke <nwrc.jtacke@gmail.com>

## FIL CONSTRUCTION

1 message

Phillip Morrison <morrisonampm@yahoo.com>  
To: jtacke@northwestrealtyconsultants.com

Thu, Jun 4, 2009 at 1:46 PM

Hi John:

We met at the NAVDA activity and up on chinimini the other day. Here is my business information. Please feel free to pass the information on to homeowners you may be working with. Thank you. Phil

FIL CONSTRUCTION  
Phillip Morrison-General Contractor  
CCB # 181445  
245 S 13th St  
Philomath, OR 97370  
541-231-7978

Name: A. John Tacke -Continued-

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Name Thomas, Brian E. (Please type or print last name, first name and middle initial)

Legal Residence 6750 Gold Creek Willamina Or 97396

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Residence Telephone 503-560-1466

Business Telephone 503-472-6124

Occupation Commercial and Fleet Sales

Board position applying for (you may check more than one):

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Hunter Representative [X]

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Signature [Handwritten Signature]

Date 10-12-09





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Mike Colvin 503-472-6244 1925 N. Highway 99 W McMinnville, OR 97128	Dieter Kaboth R.M.E.F. 541-499-9845
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Brian Thomas

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- 1.) I started hunting with my father when I was 8 years old. Growing up hunting and fishing with my Dad had a huge impact on my life and has shaped the person I am today. I lost Dad in 1989 and although I have never missed a hunting season, it became even more important to me as it was my connection with him. Now at 51, I enjoy hunting more now than ever, but the real thrill for me is to follow in Dad's footsteps by teaching the next generation(s) of hunters the skills and philosophies that will make them the responsible successful hunters that we all should be. It makes me feel even closer to Dad to pass on the lessons he taught me;
- Never waste anything. If you take the life of an animal, it is your responsibility and obligation to take care of that animal.
  - Plan your hunt, hunt your plan
  - Always put safety first
  - Minus your animal, leave the woods as you found them.

About 20 years ago I started archery hunting. This has given me the opportunity to acquire new hunting skills and to be able to challenge myself. In 2008 I took my biggest elk ever. This bull scored 280 on the Pope and Young scale and made it into the record books. Although I am not a trophy hunter, I have to admit I was ecstatic.

As the father of 2 adult daughters that grew up hunting and fishing, I know well the different challenges that face female hunters. One of the biggest and I must say the oddest is the prejudice from our own hunting community. Although we have made great progress in this area there is still a lot of educating to be done.

I am very proud of both my Daughters. They have both married men that share their love of hunting. Both are raising my Grandchildren to understand and respect the outdoors. Time will tell if my Grandkids will follow the family tradition of hunting or if they will choose not to. Either way they will have knowledge that will help them in their everyday lives regardless of the path they take.

As for agriculture, I was co-owner of Yamhill Valley Beekeeping for 6 years. This was concurrent with my full time job at Willamina Lumber. What started out as a hobby quickly became a full time thriving business. By working closely with the farmers that we provided crop pollination for, I was able to learn more about farming than I ever thought possible. Being able to view very different crops and farming techniques taught me to respect and admire these farmers. I also worked closely with the farmer's neighbors. Whether it was other farmers, urban or residential areas. This was crucial as pesticides affected my business. By

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listening to the neighbors concerns and opinions, I learned that with Education, communication and compromise most obstacles could have a "win-win" conclusion. After 6 years of 2 full time jobs, I sold my half of the business in order to spend more time with my family. At the time of sale Yamhill Valley Beekeeping had over 600 hives, 2 trucks, a forklift and A shop complete with all the equipment to run a successful beekeeping business. Although I no longer keep bees commercially, I have two hives at my house for the garden, fruit trees and of course honey.

When it comes to my knowledge of forestry, I rely heavily on being raised in a timber driven town. I worked for 11 years at Willamina Lumber. I was trained in all aspects of the mill. Including but not limited to; planer operations, shipping, log yard and maintenance. Living and working in this environment I became familiar with the loggers, truckers and vendors. I have a deep admiration for the people that make a living in the timber industry. As a side note 2 of the 9.4 acres I live on are in timber deferral.

Currently I am the commercial accounts manager for Chuck Colvin Auto in McMinnville. This job involves customers that are in the logging, farming, and construction business. I love what I do. How many people can say that? I bring to my job a unique understanding of these customers and their needs. My success in a sale is not only finding the right truck for their needs but also earning their trust. Sometimes when I am just not sure, I ride along with them on their workday in order to assess their needs. Understanding that this is truly not a "one size fits all world" I am able to provide my customers with what is right for them.

- 2.) I have been involved with the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation (RMEF) for the last 9 years.
- 3.) For the last 7 years I have been the ticket chairman for RMEF's big game banquet. I handle the ticket sales, assign seating, and handle all the mass mailings to over 900 RMEF members in this area. I work with the caterers, vendors, sponsors, and other committee members in the organization and execution of our events.
- 4.)
  - While I co-owned Yamhill Valley Beekeeping, I was elected to the Oregon State Beekeepers Association executive board for two years representing the Willamette valley.
  - I was vice president, then president of the Willamina Hilltoppers Jeep club.
- 5.) Working with people is part of my current position. Although I have a lot of repeat business, I also have occasion to fill in on the

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retail side of the dealership. Using my discernment skills to understand a customer's needs is imperative. Helping guide them through the sometimes uncomfortable areas (DMV, Credit problems, financing options) take some reassurance and finesse. I have found that patience, honesty, and listening are all that is required to make a sale comfortable for my customers.

- 6.) As long as I can remember, I have had the ability to understand both sides in a situation. I try to "walk a mile in the shoes" of someone that I disagree with and look at the dilemma from their point of view. Moreover, I have an absolute passion for working with others that have the same passion to find a solution. I believe myself to be fair, open-minded, and compromising. When working with others that have different opinions I always walk away with more knowledge and insight.
- 7.) I have not yet had the opportunity to work with A&H.
- 8.) Working together with people that have varying agendas, points of view and personalities can be challenging. I derive great satisfaction from reaching amicable compromises.

For a brief 3 years I worked at the Federal corrections facility in Sheridan. Dealing with many inmates, inmate families, co-workers, administration along with federal and state officials I learned how to mediate and help mediate situations. After 3 years I made a very personal decision to leave. Although on paper it was a great job, being locked up with inmates 8 hours a day was just not for me. However, the learning experience was invaluable.

Those mediating skills along with my RMEF committees, beekeeping dilemma with neighbors, my own hunting experience, over 30 years of working with landowners to find new hunting locations, learning the regulations of hunting and fishing in Oregon, Idaho (I am current lifetime license holder for the state of Idaho), and Alaska have made me appreciate and understand the skills I will need to work with A&H

I cross many of the classification boundaries of the folks you serve.

- I live on just under 10 acres in the mountains outside of Willamina (a gentleman's farm)
- I am a avid hunter and fisherman
- I work in an environment that involves strict adherence to state laws.

I hope you will consider me. I am looking forward to a new challenge and learning experience.