

3/31/2022

Mr. Greg Wheeler, Chair, Nominating Committee
C/O Dominic Sims, Chief Executive Officer
International Code Council, Birmingham District Office
900 Montclair Road, Birmingham, AL 35213

RE: Letter of Interest – International Code Council Board of Directors

Dear Greg Wheeler and Nominating Committee:

I am writing this letter to formally announce my candidacy to run for election to the International Code Council, Board of Directors. I believe that my prior body of work during the past 31 years in the Building Industry, my military leadership experience as a Petty Officer and particularly the past 22 years of service to the International Code Council Chapters and Members, has given me the groundwork needed to build upon, and prepare me for service on the ICC Board of Directors. I understand the time commitments and true dedication that are required to serve as a member of the ICC Board of Directors. I believe strongly that my lengthy career as both a code official, fire marshal and executive board member of a highly successful corporation, combined with key experience in business management, acquisitions and mergers will provide a unique background for a well-qualified member on the board. My prior service on the ICC BCAC, ICC Code Development Committee, two ICC Exam Committees, State Legislative Committees, the State of Oregon Building Codes Divisions Rules Advisory Committee, Region II Board of Directors as a two-time Board President, Oregon Building Officials Association's Legislative, Education and Outreach Committees have all given me the experience needed. This service has provided the tools and passion to develop key programs for ICC Region II, including the Safety 2.R program and the Military Families program both of which have been a huge success. During my board term on Region II, we won the Chapter Spotlight award two times motivating me to further continue the great work of serving the International Code Council and it's members.

I am including my letter of jurisdictional support from Estacada, Oregon where I serve as the local appointed City Building Official. I will also be submitting subsequent letters of support as they are received throughout the coming months.

God and ICC member willing I look forward to serving on the ICC Board of Directors. Integrity, truthfulness, fiscal responsibility, teamwork and devotion will continue to guide my service. I will always perform my work in the best interest of the organization first, the members and in unity with fellow board member final decisions.

Respectfully Submitted,

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“Listen with curiosity. Speak with honesty. Act with integrity.”