



City Council Agenda Bill

20343
Bill Number

Subject: Mayor's appointment of Thomas Barrett to the Bellingham Public Library Board of Trustees

Summary Statement: The Bellingham Public Library Board of Trustees is authorized by City of Bellingham Charter 7.02. The Mayor appoints Thomas Barrett to his first full term, which will expire on March 10, 2019, at which time he may be reappointed.

Previous Council Action: none

Fiscal Impact: none

Funding Source: none

Attachments: Application of Thomas Barrett

Meeting Activity	Meeting Date	Staff Recommendation	Presented By	Time
Mayor's Appointment for Approval	3/10/2014	Approve Appointment	Mayor Kelli Linville	0 minutes

Recommended Motion: .

Council Committee: .

Agenda Bill Contact:
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Reviewed By	Department	Date
<i>Tracy L. Lewis</i>	Mayor's Office Admin	02/25/2014
<i>Alan A. Marinier</i>	Legal	02/25/2014
<i>Kelli J. Linville</i>	Executive	03/04/2014



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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO
 CITY OF BELLINGHAM BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
 (Please Type or Print Clearly)

All applicants must be a citizen of the United States and of the City of Bellingham, a resident of the State of Washington for at least three (3) years, and of the City of Bellingham (residing within the City limits) for at least two (2) years, unless otherwise specified. Some residency exceptions may apply for certain boards. No elected City official, City officer, City employee or citizen having a conflict of interest shall be eligible for appointment.

Complete, sign and return this application to the Mayor's Office, City Hall, 210 Lottie Street, Bellingham, WA 98225.

Note: As a candidate to a public board or commission, this information may be made available to the public.

I am interested in serving on the: Bellingham Public Library Board of Trustees
 (Board / Commission)

Name: Thomas J. Barrett

Mailing Address: _____ Zip Code: 98225

Street Address (if different): _____

Phone Numbers: Home: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

Email Address: _____

Are you a resident of the City of Bellingham (live within the city limits)? YES NO

How long have you lived in Bellingham? 13 years

Neighborhood in which you reside Edgemoor

Current Occupation: _____

OR – If retired, former occupation: Law Firm Business Manager

Education: M.B.A. 1987 University of Oklahoma; M.Ed. 1973 and B.S. 1970 Penn State University

Professional / Community Activities: Two terms on COB Planning and Development Commission (four years as Chair);

Two terms on COB Parks Board (one year as Vice Chair); Parks Board Liaison to Greenway Advisory Committee;

Former President and Board member of Samish Neighborhood Association; Mayor's Neighborhood Advisory Commission

Qualifications Related to Position: Extensive experience in Bellingham neighborhood, planning and Comp Plan matters;

Ability to work closely and effectively w/ COB staff and citizens; Focus on public involvement and transparency; Effective team member and leader; Lifelong library supporter and heavy library user; Citizen participant in library strategic planning

Describe why you are interested in serving on this Board or Commission: _____

I want to contribute my professional, neighborhood and civic experience to accomplish the community goal of excellence in traditional and innovative library services.

*Please feel free to submit any additional documentation (resumé, explanation of experience specifically related to this board/commission).

Do you or your spouse have a financial interest in, or are you an employee or officer of any business or agency which does business with the City of Bellingham? YES NO

If yes, please explain: _____

October 10, 2013
 Today's Date

Thomas J. Barrett
 Signature of Applicant