

Yamhill County Membership Application for Advisory Board, Commission or Committee

Please return this application to the Board of Commissioners' Office:

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Notes: 1) Yamhill County operates under the Oregon Public Records Law. Information contained in this application may be released upon proper request. 2) Planning Commissioners are bonded and must file an annual statement of economic interest with the Oregon Government Ethics Commission. 3) Fair Board members are bonded. 4) Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) applicants serve under ORS 459.320 Group Designations. 5) Yamhill County employees are prohibited from serving on the Housing Authority Board per ORS 456.095(3).

Yamhill County Parks Advisory Board

06/24/25

Name of Advisory Board, Commission or Committee

Date

Applicant's name (please print) Brendan J Gram

Referred by N/A Occupation Senior Facility Manager

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Organizational affiliation if applicable N/A

SWAC applicants list the ORS 459.320 Group Designation: N/A

Information to assist the Board of Commissioners in considering your application (the back of this page may be used if more space is needed and a resume may be attached).

1. Commitment to Community Engagement
As a long-time resident and active participant in Yamhill County initiatives, I am deeply committed to enhancing the quality of life in our community. My recent interactions with Yamhill County Public Works and Family & Youth Services have given me a strong appreciation for the county's dedication to public service and community well-being.
2. Professional Experience in Facilities
With my background as a Senior Facility Manager at Pacific NW Properties, I bring over a decade of experience in property management and infrastructure maintenance. This expertise aligns well with the Parks Advisory Board's mission to oversee and improve public recreational spaces.
3. Advocacy for Inclusive and Safe Public Spaces
My personal experiences as a parent navigating support systems for youth mental health have reinforced my belief in the importance of inclusive, accessible, and safe public spaces. I hope to bring this perspective to the board to ensure our parks serve all members of the community.
4. Strong Communication and Collaboration Skills
Through my ongoing correspondence with county departments and participation in wraparound meetings, I've demonstrated a collaborative approach to problem-solving and a willingness to engage constructively with diverse stakeholders.

Applicant's signature 

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