

Special Joint Information Meeting

TOWN COUNCIL & COUNTY COMMISSIONER MEETING

April 25, 2019

8:30 AM

Teton County Chambers

Chair: Natalia Macker

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I. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

II. JOINT BOARD INTERVIEWS

START Board

Pathways Taskforce

III. JOINT DEPARTMENT BUDGET REVIEW & DISCUSSION

9:00am Drug Court

9:30am START

10:30am BREAK

10:45am Victim Services / Animal Shelter

11:15am Dispatch

12:00pm LUNCH

1:30pm Pathways

2:00pm Parks & Recreation

3:00pm BREAK

3:15pm Fire/EMS

4:15pm Housing

IV. ADJOURN

Please note that at any point during the meeting, the Chairman or Mayor may change the order of items listed on this agenda. In order to ensure that you are present at the time your item of interest is discussed, please join the meeting at the beginning to hear any changes to the schedule or agenda.

PATHWAYS TASKFORCE (continued)

7 members / 3 yr terms

Current Board Members:

Term expires

Lisa Carpenter 1/31/20 Andi Gordon 1/31/22
Mac Dukart 1/31/21 Kendall Nelson 1/31/22
Anna Valsing 1/31/21

2 unexpired terms ending 1/31/20

Applicants:

1	8:30-8:40	Tom Crowell	510-508-0714	CONFIRMED
2	8:40 - 8:50	John Wright	690-4626	CONFIRMED
3	8:50 - 9:00	Miranda Adams	208-585-1034	CONFIRMED
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START BOARD

7 members / 3 yr terms

Current Board Members:

Term expires

Susan Mick 12/31/19 Seadar Dodson 12/31/20
Herb Brooks 12/31/20 Wes Gardner 12/31/21
James Hunt 12/31/20 Cathy Kehr 12/31/21

1 unexpired term ending 12/31/19

Applicants:

2	9:00 - 9:10	Brett Simic	699-1904	CONFIRMED
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Executive Session / Appointments if ready

Suggested Motion: I move to appoint ____ to the **START Board** to fulfill an expired term ending 12/31/2019.

Suggested Motion: I move to appoint ____ and ____ to the **Pathways Taskforce** to fulfill unexpired terms ending 1/31/20.

Online Form Submittal: Volunteer Board Application Form

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Wed 4/10/2019 9:35 AM

To: County Clerk Admin <clerkadmin@tetoncountywy.gov>;

Volunteer Board Application Form

First Name Thomas
Last Name Crowell
Select the Board, Commission, or Committee applying for Pathways Taskforce

Have you served on this Board before? No

Are you currently an employee of Teton County or the Town of Jackson? No

Personal Information

Address1 1230 West Hereford Drive
Field not completed.

Address2

City Jackson

State WY

Zip 83001

Home Phone Number 5105080714

Business Address 1230 West Hereford Drive

Business Phone Number 5105080714

Occupation Business Consultant

Email Address twcrowell@comcast.net

Residency Information

Length of Residency in Teton County ~ 1.5 years

Are you a registered voter in Teton County? Yes

Education and Hobbies

High School Brooks School, North Andover, MA

College Trinity College, Hartford, CT

Trade or Business School	Graduate School - Antioch University New England/Teton Science Schools
Hobbies	Conservation, Adventure (skiing, biking, hiking, sailing), woodworking, home repair
Organization Membership Information	
Have you served on a Board, Commission, or Committee before?	No
If yes, which	I have worked on a special project sub-committee of the Quality of Life Commission in another county.
Are you currently serving on other Boards, Commissions, or Committees?	No
If yes, which	Field not completed.
Please list organizational memberships or affiliations and positions held.	Field not completed.
Please List Areas of Special Interest:	Sustainability, Alternative Transportation, waste reduction and reuse, energy conservation
Please provide your knowledge of the duties & responsibilities of the Board you are applying for:	The board makes recommendations to the town and county to promote the use of pathways around town in addition to the maintenance and addition of pathways, signage and facilities supporting non-motorized transportation (bike, pedestrian (including disabled), equestrian and Nordic ski users) in and around the town of Jackson and Teton County. The board does not have the authority or control of a budget or paid positions. The board meets on a regular basis to discuss opportunities and challenges to promote the task force mission. The board launches projects, assumes tasks and responsibilities to update stakeholders and constituents of the task force's actions.
Why do you want to serve on this Board?	I have been a long-term contributor to community-based conservation projects and education. I would like to continue to make an impact and work on an initiative for which I am passionate. I am a biker, hiker and Nordic skier and want to continue to promote alternative transportation to reduce the carbon impact of single rider cars and trucks for commuting, daily errands and other short trips.
What are your qualifications for serving on this Board?	Worked on a similar task force to reduce single rider trips by making recommendations to town councils for education, routing, and outreach for safe pedestrian and bicycle access to popular destinations (schools, downtown, and shopping districts) in a suburban neighborhood. Experienced in defining and supporting strategic missions and vision statements 20+ years of project and facilitation management experience Collaborated with non-profit, government and business professionals to solicit feedback and contribute to project objectives Completed mission-based projects on time and on budget Developed strong and effective relationships with a variety of stakeholders and constituents Financial Report analysis Understanding of maps
What experience and/or special training do you have	Enjoys developing new connections and relationships for working to create a common vision through collaborative projects Development of key performance indicators

that is pertinent to this Board's efforts?

Performance tracking Budgeting Status reporting and meeting facilitation Experienced and creative educator and presenter Strong technical and analytical skills Expert at enterprise systems Systems and critical thinking Some ArcGIS training

What is your understanding of the time and service requirements of this Board and how are you prepared to meet them?

A monthly meeting at the beginning of every month plus 3-4 hours per week for the extent of the term until the end of January 2020. Preparation for and contribution to meetings and related projects.

Do you have any scheduling conflicts you are aware of?

There is a possibility I could be out of the area between 3-12 months. I will know if this is my situation by the end of April 2019. Otherwise I will be able to attend monthly meetings.

If selected for service on this Board do you commit to abiding by the Teton County Board Member Expectations?

YES

See Below:

[/DocumentCenter/View/7173/Agreement-Expectations]Teton County Board Member Expectations

Resume

[Tom Crowell - Pathways Task Force Board Member.pdf](#)

References

[Tom Crowell - References.pdf](#)

Electronic Signature Agreement

I agree.

Electronic Signature

Thomas W Crowell

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TOM CROWELL

twcrowell@comcast.net

(510) 508-0714 (Cell)

QUALIFICATION HIGHLIGHTS

- Collaborated with marketing, manufacturing and supply chain to reduce material use and waste
- Over 10 years' of consulting experience in business, government and non-profits
- Over 10 years' of managing projects in food manufacturing, apparel and other industries
- Saved manufacturers \$1MM-\$1.5MM per project, annually in operating costs
- Proven ability to engage and guide individuals and groups to agreement and consensus
- Long-term contributor and leader in community based sustainable projects and practices: Zero Waste, transportation, water use and quality and energy efficiency initiatives

EDUCATION

M.S. Environmental Science, Antioch University New England, Keene, NH
Climate Change and Environmental Education Certificate
Professional Science Masters
B.S., Computer Science and Economics, Trinity College, Hartford, CT

RELEVANT EXPERIENCES

Sustainability & Corporate Business

- Implemented renewable energy, energy efficiency and conservation strategies
- Reduced energy costs by maximizing warehouse and delivery truck space utilization.
- Reduced material waste and excess labor by creating efficient production plans
- Defined and implemented strategies for efficient delivery truck routing
- Increased throughput by maximizing production line utilization, warehouse picking and staging
- Managed and defined worker safety measurements and safety culture
- Participated in community sustainability initiatives: waste, transportation, water and energy

Project Management

- Expert project leadership and financial responsibility completing projects on time and on budget
- Planned and managed multiple projects and conflicting priorities to client satisfaction
- Worked across corporate teams to ensure consistent and integrated solutions
- Ensured clarity of strategic vision and buy in through consensus building techniques
- Built effective teams based on trust, honesty, and clear responsibilities and deliverables
- Highly organized with heightened attention to detail

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Presenting

- Accomplished presenter and communicator, adept at translating technical topics to simple terms
- Develops creative presentations for executive team and line personnel
- Adjusts style according to audience needs and interests
- Knowledgeable presenter of environmental systems and sustainability challenges

Communications

- Achieved excellent customer service rating from clients for follow through and follow up
- Excellent communicator: polished interpersonal, verbal, written and presentation skills
- Leveraged connections expanding and developing effective working relationships
- Capable, effective and influential spokesperson

Technical

- Expert at data analysis. Practiced defining quantitative and qualitative measurements.
- Developed key performance indicators and tracking methodologies
- Identified, gathered, analyzed and synthesized information into understandable terms
- Advanced knowledge of Excel, MS Office and other computer applications

Work Ethic

- Collaborated with diverse corporate teams to strategize and facilitate local solutions
- Developed strong rapport across teams contributing to successful project completion
- Regularly achieved 100% utilization for client billing
- Highly efficient and responsive when working autonomously or on site

WORK EXPERIENCE

Corporate

Independent Consultant	Cross Cultural Journeys (culture)	2012-current
	Premier Nutrition, Emeryville, CA (food)	2017
	Dreyer's Grand Ice Cream (food), Oakland, CA	2009-2011
	Six Pack Fitness, Oakland, CA (apparel)	2016,2018
Instructor – Environmental Science	Teton Science Schools, Jackson, WY	2014, 2018
Director of Operations and IT	Galaxy Desserts (food), Richmond, CA	2011-2013
Senior Ops Project Manager	Dreyer's Grand Ice Cream, Inc., Oakland, CA	1993-2006

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Consultant	The Away Station (zero waste), Fairfax, CA	2010-2018
Volunteer	Sustainable Fairfax, Fairfax, CA	2011-2013
Project Manager	Rising Sun Energy Center (energy), Oakland, CA	2008
Project Manager	Parent Services Project (equity), San Rafael, CA	2007
Volunteer	Quality of Life Commission, San Anselmo, CA	1999-2001

TOM CROWELL

References

My references asked to be contacted after hearing from me of your interest. Please contact me at 510-508-0714 or twcrowell@comcast.net prior contacting communicating with anyone below.

Educational

Aaron Nydam, Director of Graduate Programs, Teton Science Schools, Kelly, WY -
aaron.nydam@tetonscience.org

Kevin Krasnow, Research Scientist & Faculty, Teton Science Schools, Kelly, WY -
Kevin.Krasnow@tetonscience.org

John Stephenson, Wildlife Biologist, Grand Teton National Park, Moose, WY -
john_a_stephenson@nps.gov

Professional

Carrie Bacheldor – Non-profit Business Owner – Novato, CA - tbd

Cilla Utne – Business Owner - cilla@crossculturaljourneys.com

Kurt Gantert – Business Owner – kgantert@gmail.com

Geoff Fisher – Operations Manager - tbd

Personal

Denise Rockwood Mazzola - Friend - Keene, NH - topdog2362@gmail.com

Amy Willey - Friend - Keene, NH - amy.everythingdog@gmail.com

Other written recommendations available upon request

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First Name John

Last Name Wright

Select the Board,
Commission, or Committee
applying for Pathways Taskforce

Have you served on this
Board before? No.

Are you currently an
employee of Teton County or
the Town of Jackson? No

Personal Information

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City Jackson

State WY

Zip 83002

Home Phone Number 307.690.4626

Business Address PO Box 10585

Business Phone Number 307-733-3939

Occupation Markeing and Communications

Email Address jwright@wyoming.com

Residency Information

Length of Residency in
Teton County 33 years

Are you a registered voter in
Teton County? Yes

Education and Hobbies

High School Kentucky Country Day School, Louisville, KY

College Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY

Trade or Business School *Field not completed.*

Hobbies Outdoor Active Recreation, Photography, Gardening, Art,

Organization Membership Information

Have you served on a Board, Commission, or Committee before? Yes

If yes, which Art Association of Jackson Hole

Are you currently serving on other Boards, Commissions, or Committees? Yes

If yes, which Responsible Growth Coalition

Please list organizational memberships or affiliations and positions held. *Field not completed.*

Please List Areas of Special Interest: •Big user of both paved and unpaved paths in Teton County and elsewhere. We have an impressive system. •Integration of Pathways within existing and future transportation infrastructure. •Long-term transportation planning •Smartly preparing for and accommodating potential population growth •Product development

Please provide your knowledge of the duties & responsibilities of the Board you are applying for: Meet once a month. Support the initiatives and goals of the Pathways department. Support the goals of "Improving and enhancing non-motorized (+Ebikes) opportunities for transportation and recreation..."

Why do you want to serve on this Board? Teton County's pathways system is an integral part of our community. We, as a community, care about economic, wildlife and environmental sustainability which Pathways supports. I would be honored to serve on the board of one of the most impressive world-glass pathway systems. It can be an example of a well-designed and maintained system that can encourage other communities to invest in similar infrastructure.

What are your qualifications for serving on this Board? Current heavy user of system. pavement/dirt, winter/summer Knowledge of the community. Working relationship with Start Bus and Teton Village Association

What experience and/or special training do you have that is pertinent to this Board's efforts? Marketing, Design, Communications

What is your understanding of the time and service requirements of this Board and how are you prepared to meet them? Monthly meetings; 1-2 hours Help with public outreach at events? Offer time to collaborate and coordinate with F.O.P. and other influential organizations that support the initiatives of Pathways

Do you have any scheduling conflicts you are aware of? No

If selected for service on this Board do you commit to abiding by the Teton County Board Member Expectations? YES

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Resume *Field not completed.*

References [Wright, John References.docx](#)

Electronic Signature Agreement I agree.

Electronic Signature John Wright

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Application for Teton County Pathways Task Force

John Wright

REFERENCES:

Will Smith, MD (307-699-0230): Medical Director, US National Park System, St. John's ER, TC Search & Rescue, wildernessdoc.com

Amy Adams-Gardner (307-413-2690): Director, Teton Free Clinic

Elaine Carney (307-699-0557)

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First Name	Miranda
Last Name	Adams
Select the Board, Commission, or Committee applying for	Natural Resource Technical Advisory Board Pathways Taskforce
Have you served on this Board before?	No
Are you currently an employee of Teton County or the Town of Jackson?	No
Personal Information	
Address1	1250 Stellaria Lane
Address2	Unit A
City	Jackson
State	WY
Zip	83001
Home Phone Number	2085851034
Business Address	1250 Stellaria Lane, Unit A
Business Phone Number	2085851034
Occupation	Water Resources Specialist
Email Address	miranda.l.adams@gmail.com
Residency Information	
Length of Residency in Teton County	2 years
Are you a registered voter in Teton County?	Yes
Education and Hobbies	
High School	Elk Grove High School
College	Boise State University

Trade or Business School *Field not completed.*

Hobbies Hiking, Kayaking, Rock Climbing, Biking, Skiing

Organization Membership Information

Have you served on a Board, Commission, or Committee before? No

If yes, which *Field not completed.*

Are you currently serving on other Boards, Commissions, or Committees? No

If yes, which *Field not completed.*

Please list organizational memberships or affiliations and positions held. N/A

Please List Areas of Special Interest: Water Quality, Air Quality, Land Use / Planning

Please provide your knowledge of the duties & responsibilities of the Board you are applying for: Review proposed projects that have the potential impacts on natural resources within the county. Provide expert testimony. Represent residents in issues that impact our community.

Why do you want to serve on this Board? I care about the future of the Jackson Hole valley and want to serve my community by lending my expertise in a meaningful way. I'm also looking for opportunities to connect and engage with other community members on issues that matter to me.

What are your qualifications for serving on this Board? I have approximately 10 years of experience in natural resource management, including Clean Water Act implementation. I have extensive knowledge about local flora and fauna which are vital to the continued success of tourism in the valley, and how they are impacted by changes in land use.

What experience and/or special training do you have that is pertinent to this Board's efforts? I am trained and certified in wetland delineation, am an expert in stormwater best management practices, have extensive experience in reviewing development plans and inspecting proposed and permitted projects.

What is your understanding of the time and service requirements of this Board and how are you prepared to meet them? I typically work 40 hours per week but do not have any other responsibilities. I'm a single woman with no children and am looking for opportunities to be further engaged in my community. As such, I'm prepared to donate 10 - 20 hours per week to other causes, such as serving on a board.

Do you have any scheduling conflicts you are aware of? No

If selected for service on this Board do you commit to abiding by the Teton County Board Member Expectations? YES

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Resume MirandaAdams_CV_2019.docx

References *Field not completed.*

Electronic Signature
Agreement

I agree.

Electronic Signature

Miranda L. Adams

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MIRANDA ADAMS

Aquatic Resources Specialist // Jackson, WY // 208-585-1034 // miranda.l.adams@gmail.com

SUMMARY

Dedicated and experienced aquatic resources specialist with expertise in water quality monitoring and assessment, Clean Water Act implementation, wetland delineation, stream and riparian habitat restoration, project management, and program administration.

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

National Park Service – Grand Teton National Park (2017 – 2018)

Physical Sciences Technician

- Water Quality Monitoring Lead – planned, prepared for, and trained staff in collection of water quality samples, discharge measurements, assessment of channel morphology and other physical and biological characteristics of surface waters.
 - Developed and implemented protocols and standard operating procedures to ensure scientific integrity of water quality data.
 - Documented and reported water quality and riparian corridor conditions to resource managers, including hydrologic and geomorphic monitoring to help quantify flows required to sustain values related to Wild and Scenic designation.
 - Performed equipment calibrations, order supplies, organize and catalog existing equipment.
- Air Quality Station Site Operator – project lead for Park in National Atmospheric Deposition Program.
 - Collected air quality samples and data in accordance with outlined procedures.
 - Coordinated with Air Resource Specialists, Inc. in troubleshooting equipment, ordering supplies, calibrating equipment, reporting data and sending samples.
 - Organized data collection records, updated resource manuals, and provided training to Park volunteers.
- Contributed to, and participated in, an ongoing long-term glacier monitoring study.
- Assisted park staff in the use of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) software and analysis, helped train staff in field GPS techniques and in integration of field data into geospatial information.
- Participated in ongoing USGS studies investigation deadly pathogens in the thermal areas throughout the Park.

New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, Wetlands Bureau (2014 – 2017)

Permitting and Compliance Specialist

- Conducted desktop and field investigations / inspections in response to complaints and permit actions.
- Collected and maintained appropriate evidence, data, records and reports to ensure sound technical and factual information is retained in official records to support goals and actions of the program.
- Evaluated and recommended enforcement strategies and coordinated enforcement actions with property owners, their representatives and the department's legal unit, including drafting legal correspondence.
- Conducted pre-application meetings to provide assistance to regulated public and their representatives including certified wetland and soil scientists, engineers, foresters, marine contractors and developers to ensure understanding of, and compliance with, environmental laws and regulations.
- Reviewed permit application submittals, including wetlands preservation / protection projects and shoreline / shoreland construction projects, in accordance with established procedures, rules and regulations to ensure compliance with state environmental laws.
- Identified and improved programmatic deficiencies through collaboration with program staff and stakeholder groups; co-authored departmental publications and presentations; provided training to staff.

Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, Surface Water Division (2011 – 2014)

Water Quality Standards Analyst

- Administered and managed Clean Water Act §401 Program; coordinated with regional staff and federal agencies in overseeing all §401 activities throughout Idaho.
- Reviewed and certified federal discharge permits for consistency with state water quality standards.
- Worked closely with federal, state and local governments in the development of projects and permits associated with impacts to waters of the state.
- Developed tools for improving work flow and related programmatic needs, including a web-based database to track §401 activities statewide.
- Developed and implemented water quality standards policies, guidance and rules through research and negotiated rulemaking with stakeholders.
- Conducted research and authored white papers in support of agency policies and decision-making.
- Provided programmatic support in the development of quality assurance project plans and standard operating procedures.
- Hired, trained and supervised a three-person field crew (summer 2013) to conduct water quality monitoring in wadeable streams.
- Served as a quality assurance officer for water quality monitoring projects.
- Served as the primary wetlands and stormwater contact for the agency.
- Represented the agency on the Interagency Review Team for wetland mitigation banking and on the Regional Sediment Evaluation Team for identifying effective policies and procedures for remediating contaminated soils in compliance with water quality criteria.
- Participated in public outreach opportunities such as Trout in the Classroom and Watershed Watch.

Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, Surface Water Division (2011)

Environmental Technician

- Developed the 2011 Beneficial Use Reconnaissance Program (BURP) Lakes Assessment monitoring schedule including: logistics and coordination; instrument checks and calibration; database development and organization; development of standard operating procedures manual and quick-reference field guide.
- Conducted lakes and reservoir monitoring: collected physical, chemical and biological samples.

U.S. Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station, Fish & Aquatic Ecology Unit (2010)

Biological Sciences Technician – Fisheries

- Conducted field research aimed at determining whether aquatic conservation strategies within the PACFISH/INFISH, or land management plans, were effective in maintaining and restoring the structure and function of riparian and aquatic systems.
- Collected physical data including – habitat types and characteristics, stream gradient and classification type, bank angles and stability assessment, pebble counts and pool tail fines, and bankfull width and depth measurements.
- Utilized TOPO maps and GPS units, site photos and compasses to navigate to pre-determined study areas; hiked, backpacked and camped in rugged terrain during challenging weather conditions.

Idaho Department of Fish and Game, Fisheries Research Lab (2009)

Fisheries Technician (June – Oct. 2009, 40 hours / week)

- Received, cleaned and mounted steelhead and Chinook salmon scale samples on slides; digitized mounted samples using the Leica DM 4000B imaging scope w/Leica DC 500 and ImagePro 6.2.
- Determined freshwater and saltwater ages of steelhead and salmon.
- Conducted Redd counts and carcass surveys.
- Assisted with artificial spawning efforts at agency hatcheries.
- Assisted with the installation of a PIT-tag array.

Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, Surface Water Division (2008)

Environmental Technician

- Reviewed, interpreted and evaluated biological monitoring data and lab results to assist in the scientific assessment of the agency's Mercury Monitoring Program; analyzed fish tissue samples using an Ohio Lumex RA-915M Mercury Analyzer; generated regression data of mercury levels in fish tissue to water quality managers for EPA review.
- Authored departmental reports and protocol documents.
- Assisted with intermittent streams monitoring and data reconciliation.
- Conducted water quality monitoring of large rivers by boat / raft:
 - Measured physical and chemical parameters such as pH, conductivity, temperature and flow.
 - Collected water samples following agency protocols for the analysis of mercury, methylmercury, arsenic, selenium, etc.
 - Collected, identified and processed game fish for mercury and methylmercury tissue analysis.
 - Collected macroinvertebrates and periphyton samples for diversity and abundance counts.
 - Observed and recorded riparian vegetation estimations, human influences, dominant land uses and overall watershed activities.
 - Identified and documented presence of fish, amphibians and other aquatic wildlife including invasive species.

RELEVANT CONTRACTUAL & VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Jackson Hole Eco Tour Adventures (2018)

Naturalist Guide

- Provided exceptional guest experiences through guided naturalist tours in Grand Teton National Park.
- Attended training opportunities and educational seminars to enhance knowledge and understanding of the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem in order to effectively educate tour guests.

New Hampshire Rivers Council & Winnicut River Watershed Coalition (2016)

Private Contractor

- Completed sampling events in accordance with Volunteer River Assessment Program protocols.
- Wrote a report of findings with recommendations for future sampling.

Upper Merrimack River Advisory Committee, Monitoring Program (2015 – 2016)

Rock Basket and Bug Night Volunteer

- Installed rock baskets at various locations within the Merrimack River watershed to collect macroinvertebrates.
- Retrieved baskets, collected specimens; sorted samples and identified specimens.

Monteverde Institute Integrated Water Resources Program – Costa Rica (2011)

Adopt-A-Stream Volunteer

- Organized, analyzed and interpreted 3 years of macroinvertebrate data.
- Summarized findings and made recommendations for future data collection and processing.
- Authored *Macroinvertebrate Data Report 2008-2010*.

City of Corvallis, Public Works Department, Utilities Division (2010)

Stormwater Intern – Americorps Volunteer

- Designed and implemented a temperature monitoring protocol on urban streams:
 - Authored *In-stream Temperature Monitoring Protocol*.
 - Collected and analyzed temperature data.
 - Authored a final report to the City.

- Presented results of study to upper management personnel and stakeholder groups, and made recommendations for future monitoring efforts.
- Assisted with other stormwater improvement projects including the Pet Waste Campaign and Stream Restoration Planting Program.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Biology (2007)
Boise State University, Idaho
Dean's List, 3.2 GPA

JOB-RELATED TRAINING & CERTIFICATIONS

- SmithRoot Electrofishing Certification – 2008
- Swift Water Rescue Training – 2008
- ArcGIS certification obtained – 2008
- CORMIX Mixing Zone Plume Modeling – 2011
- Water Quality Standards Academy – 2011
- NPDES Permit Writers Training – 2012
- Wetlands Delineation Training (multiple courses and years)
- How to Become a Better Communicator – 2012
- Making the Transition from Staff to Supervisor – 2014
- Communication Skills for Women – 2014
- Dealing with Difficult People – 2014
- Boater Safety Certification – 2015
- Toastmasters International Speechcrafters' Workshop – 2015
 - Quarter 1 – Participant
 - Quarters 2 & 3 – Mentor
 - Quarter 4 – Co-coordinator
- Foundations of Supervision – 2015
- Exum Mountain Safety Training – 2017, 2018
- CPR / First Aid – Basic and Wilderness – last renewed in 2018
- Cyber Tracker – The Art of Tracking in Grand Teton National Park – 2018
- NPS Operational Leadership Training – 2018

REFERENCES

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First Name Brett

Last Name Simic

Select the Board,
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applying for START Board

Have you served on this
Board before? No

Are you currently an
employee of Teton County or
the Town of Jackson? No

Personal Information

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670 E. Hall Avenue

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P.O. Box 4637

City
Jackson

State
WY

Zip
83001

Home Phone Number
307-201-1414

Business Address
P.O. Box 4637 Jackson, WY 83001

Business Phone Number
307-699-1904

Occupation
entrepreneur

Email Address
brettsimic@gmail.com

Residency Information

Length of Residency in
Teton County 3 years 8 months

Are you a registered voter in
Teton County? Yes

Education and Hobbies

High School
Chico Senior High School

College	University of California-San Diego
Trade or Business School	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Hobbies	hiking, camping, rafting, biking, reading, skiing, fishing, and cooking
Organization Membership Information	
Have you served on a Board, Commission, or Committee before?	No
If yes, which	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Are you currently serving on other Boards, Commissions, or Committees?	No
If yes, which	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Please list organizational memberships or affiliations and positions held.	Jackson Hole Chamber of Commerce-member, Farm Bureau Member
Please List Areas of Special Interest:	Infrastructure, property, and economic development activities that encourage smart and responsible economic growth and the conservation of natural resources.
Please provide your knowledge of the duties & responsibilities of the Board you are applying for:	As a member of the Start Board of Directors I will (among other duties and responsibilities) contribute to decision-making and support of the activities that include the: • the optimization of the Teton County Start Bus (and new initiatives like Start Bike) public transportation network in support of community and regional development and the minimization of the vehicular footprint on county roads. • the improvement of scheduling and routing efficiencies for micro-transit and all other forms of public transportation in Teton County and regional communities. • the improvement of overall services, expansion of routes, and other efforts to provide reliable, affordable, safe, and efficient commuter services to employees who commute to Teton County from surrounding regions. • and the support of bus fleet maintenance, upgrades, and other technological innovations.
Why do you want to serve on this Board?	As a local self-employed business person, I am committed to improving Teton County for long-time and new residents, commuters who live outside the county, and for the year-around visitors who contribute to the vibrant community that we all appreciate. I also am advocate for sustainable community development and the conservation of natural resources and an innovative transportation network is important to both of these.
What are your qualifications for serving on this Board?	• Effective Leadership • Effective Project Management • Detailed Organizational Skills • Effective Communicator • Innovative Thinker
What experience and/or special training do you have that is pertinent to this Board's efforts?	I do not have any experience or technical training in transportation services. However, I do have experiences that will serve the boards' interests well. For instance, I am an active manager and have controlling interest in a Wyoming-based holding company that manages diversified interests such as pensions, farming, real estate, and forestry. I also have experience as a creator and leader of numerous multi-week wilderness rafting trips to places such as South America, the Arctic Circle, Russia as well as various rivers in the US.

What is your understanding of the time and service requirements of this Board and how are you prepared to meet them?

One meeting per month approximately 1.5 hours each meeting and additional time as needed, including time for researching any present problems, issues, or concerns and attending required board retreats. Self-employment allows me the flexibility to meet the requirements of this board.

Do you have any scheduling conflicts you are aware of?

No, as noted above, I am self-employed with a flexible schedule.

If selected for service on this Board do you commit to abiding by the Teton County Board Member Expectations?

YES

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