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Special Meeting Notice Cowlitz County Board of Commissioners Executive Session

The Cowlitz County Board of Commissioners will call a special meeting Monday, September 20, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. The meeting will be held by Zoom.

Zoom: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89350769480>

Or Phone : 12532158782, 89350769480#

The purpose of the special meeting is for an Executive Session pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(g) – To Evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment – Commissioner, District 3.

Applications were received from:

1. Rick Dahl – Central Washington University graduate. Soon to be retired as Senior Vice President at Fibre Federal Credit Union.
2. Russell Collier – Worked for federal government for over 42 years. Worked for the US Navy, Army and Airforce in a variety of different areas including pipefitting, weatherman, HR, electrician, safety specialist, tribal liaison, senior manager of the undersea warfare center in Bangor.
3. Christine Masters – Raised in Kelso. Raised family of 6. Operates a local business. Graduate of George Wythe University. Treasurer for six different campaigns.
4. John-Erik Hegstad – Born and raised here. Graduate of the University of Washington in theatre. Most recently served as substitute teacher.
5. Tamara Jones – LCC graduate. Administrator of a 71-bed assisted living facility.
6. Kody Puderbaugh – Castle Rock High School graduate. Plumber, pipefitter, and a member of Local Union 26.
7. Diana Winther – Graduate of University of Wisconsin, Pacific University and Lewis and Clark University. She is a Portland area labor attorney representing IBEW.

Applications are found at: <https://www.cowlitzinfo.net/WLBOCCPublic/browse.aspx?cr=1>