

Rural Residential Community Representative

Job Description:

The Lower Umatilla Groundwater Management Area (LUBGWMA) Committee seeks an experienced and motivated Rural Residential Community Representative (volunteering position).

The candidate will serve the role of 11th member and will fill the 2nd voting member for the Public Category among the 10 categories established by the Department of Environmental Quality for the LUBGWMA Committee. In addition, the successful candidate will serve as a liaison between the LUBGWMA Committee and the rural residential communities within the LUBGWMA. Members serve as representatives for other like entities/interests in their category and should bring balanced insights from both Umatilla and Morrow County.

Responsibilities:

- Participate in LUBGWMA Committee meetings and provide input from the rural residential communities
- Participate in LUBGWMA Committee meetings, cast votes for the Public Category, and involve in the LUBGWMA Committee decision-making process.
- Represent the interest of non-municipal residents of the LUBGWMA to the LUBGWMA Committee
- Attend relevant meetings and events to stay informed and up to date on LUBGWMA Committee-related matters
- Provide feedback and input to the LUBGWMA Committee on the implementation of initiatives
- Liaise in the effort of the LUBGWMA Committee to educate rural residential communities about LUBGWMA Committee goals and initiatives and nitrate pollution and its effects

Requirements

- Knowledge of rural residential communities and their needs
- Awareness of nitrate contamination in groundwater and the LUBGWMA
- Ability to communicate and interact with a diverse group
- Ability to participate in and lead community outreach and public engagement
- The candidate should be a LUBGWMA resident

Please send your nominations to Chair, LUBGWMA Committee via email lubgwma@gmail.com

The nomination should include a letter of interest that explains the candidates' qualifications, clearly stating their interest and qualification in serving in the vacant position. The nomination package may include any supporting documents.

Applications should be received by **February 28th, 2023**