



City of Concord, New Hampshire

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

TO: Members of City Council
FROM: Mayor Bouley
DATE: December 1, 2022
RE: Transportation Policy Advisory Committee Appointment

I propose the appointment of the following individual to the Transportation Policy Advisory Committee for a three-year term to expire December 31, 2025.

- Boyd Smith, 139 Liberty Street, Concord. Mr. Smith's letter of interest is attached. If approved Mr. Smith will fill one of the At-Large Representative vacancies.

In accordance with Section 18 of the City Council Rules, this proposed appointment is being distributed to City Council as information in advance of formal action at the December 12, 2022 City Council meeting. Accordingly, I ask for suspension of the rules so that this nomination may be affirmed at the December 12, 2022 City Council meeting.

Dear Mayor Bouley and Concord City Council: I am interested in serving on Concord's TPAC Committee. My principal goals are to make Concord a safer and more mobile City for all methods of current and anticipated future transportation. I have a strong interest in non-motorized transportation but realize that most of us get around and depend on cars. Strengthening our climate resilience and sustainability are guiding principles for my community commitments and contributions.

I have served on the Bike-Ped subcommittee for the past two years, initially to advocate for rail trail development, now expanding into larger issues such as strategic planning, interagency collaboration, and contract management. I have lived in Concord for 23 years, and in the Riverhill area of Penacook for 7 years before that. My professional background is in water resources, since February 2020 as Director of the NH Water Works Association, the prior 13 years leading the Newfound Lake Region Association, and roughly 20 years before that managing contaminated site investigation and cleanup programs. I have degrees in Geology (BSc.), Hydrology (MSc.) and Business (MBA), all from UNH-Durham.

I would appreciate the opportunity to work with open-minded people committed by their love of Concord to do our best to make it an even better City for residents and visitors. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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