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Capital Projects Advisory Review Board (CPARB)

RE: CPARB Project Review Committee (PRC) K-12 position, Letter of Interest

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Dear Board Members:

I am interested in serving on the PRC and appreciate the opportunity to submit this letter of interest for the vacant K-12 position. I am currently a member of CPARB.

I have held my current position with the Issaquah School District since 1997. I have managed the District construction program including more than \$370 million in new construction, remodel and modernization projects. The District's Issaquah High School replacement project was approved by the PRC to use GCCM, although we later chose to utilize the design/bid process. I was Director of Facilities for the Central Kitsap School District from 1993 to 1997 and managed an \$83 million construction program.

Prior to my K-12 school district work, I was an architect, program and construction manager for CH2MHill for 6.5 years. I received my architect's license in 1974 and have worked on a variety of large and small public and private projects. For roughly 2 years, I worked for a Colorado firm that focused on design/build projects.

I have a broad background in design, construction and construction management. I have worked as both a provider of professional services and as an owner. I also understand the public works and OSPI processes that must be followed in K-12 projects. I do understand the role of the PRC and the duties and responsibilities of the position. I believe both my background and experience make me a good fit for the PRC, K-12 position.

Three references are provided below:

Jake Kuper, Chief Financial Officer, Issaquah School District, 565 NW Holly Street, Issaquah, WA 98027
(425) 837-7016

Rick Huxley, Bassetti Architects, 70 Columbia Street, Seattle, WA 98104
(206) 340-9500

Laurie Haag, Director of Operations, Museum of Flight, 9404 East Marginal Way S, Seattle, WA 98018
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I would appreciate the opportunity to be a part of the PRC. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Steve Crawford

