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To: Esparza, Paul
Subject: Building Advisory and Appeals Board Vacancy

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Mr. Esparza,

I have become aware of a member at large vacancy on the Cochise County Building Advisory and Appeals Board. I am interested in supporting my community and the County in filling that role.

My name is Mark Prince and I have resided at 4199 S Paiute Way in Cochise County for two years relocating from Oregon. In that time I functioned on my own as a contractor to construct a large RV garage attached to my home and have experience in working with you and the staff of the Cochise County Building Department.

My background is that I'm retired (for the most part) from the Oregon fire service after a nearly 30 career. I served in a role as Deputy Chief and Fire Marshal for both the City of Hillsboro and City of Salem in Oregon.

I led a divisions of 7-8 deputy fire marshals at each agency who interpreted codes for conducting compliance review and inspections from the pre-construction phase to the commercial inspections of established facilities and properties. I continued to integrate deputy fire marshals into the building division at each city and built private public partnerships with industry partners such as Intel to ensure that the best interests of the fire service were achieved.

I've testified on topics in front of the Oregon State Building Code Committee, state legislative hearings, and participated in the Oregon Fire Code Committee reviewing and revising Oregon appendices to the code.

While codes and ordinances may vary from state to state, appeals boards and committees often carry the same discretionary negotiation criteria in doing the right thing to meet the needs of the customer.

So, if you feel I can benefit you and the board in the position I would be more than happy to help out.

Respectfully,

Mark Prince
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