

**ATTACHMENT A**

**Application Information for King County Board & Commission Appointments  
(Please attach resume if available)**

Board/Commission for which you are applying: King County Noxious Weed Control Board

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CARNATION WA 98014  
(Please indicate preferred mailing address with an \*)

Why are you interested in being a Noxious Weed Control Board member?

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED! 1

Current Agriculture Production Activity: PLEASE SEE ATTACHED! 2

Horticultural Experience: HOME GARDEN & SMALL FOREST, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE,  
NATIVE PLANT STEWARD, FORMER MASTER GARDENER

Education: UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, 2008, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE BS &  
(name of college/university, year graduated, degrees)  
URBAN PLANNING, MINOR

Familiarity with Noxious Weeds: TRAINING & EXPERIENCE IN FIELD & BOTANICAL  
KEY IDENTIFICATION OF NOXIOUS WEEDS, NATIVE PLANTS, & GARDEN ORNAMENTALS;  
TRAINING IN BEST AVAILABLE SCIENCE CONTROL METHODS

Professional licenses held (if applicable to specific board/commission): \_\_\_\_\_

Present employment (job title): ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN- OWNER- SOLE PROPRIETOR

Date of employment: 2008

Employer (including mailing address): \_\_\_\_\_

REBECCA A CHANEY P.A.C. PACIFIC NORTHWEST ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN  
5802 298<sup>th</sup> AVE NE, CARNATION, WA 98014

Previous employment and/or experience: CLIENTS INCLUDE:

CITY OF SAMMAMISH (SHORELINE MASTER PROGRAM & SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM);

CAMP KOREY AT CARNATION FARM (FOREST STEWARDSHIP PLAN); JUBILEE FARM (MAP)

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE: WNP (RESTORATION & HIKE LEADERSHIP) KING COUNTY (WEED-WATCHER)

Memberships on any city and/or county boards, commissions, or committees and dates of terms you served:

King County Council District: 2

Please explain why you feel you are the most qualified candidate for this board appointment.

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED 3

How did you learn of this opportunity? EMAIL UPDATE FROM NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL LIST/SASHA SHAW

**AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PROGRAM & PERSONAL INFORMATION**

The Executive seeks a diverse representation on boards/commissions. Information in this section will assist in achieving this goal and is voluntary on your part.

<u>        </u> African American	<u>        </u> Native American	<u>  F  </u> Sex (M/F)
<u>        </u> Asian	<u>        </u> White	<u>        </u> Disability (Y/N)
<u>        </u> Hispanic	<u>        </u> Other	<u>3/6/1959</u> Date of Birth

Rebecca A. Chaney  
Signature

November 20, 2011  
Date

**Please return completed form to:** King County Noxious Weed Control Program  
Attn: Denise Liguori  
201 S. Jackson St., Suite 600  
Seattle, WA 98104

1. I have been interested in the activities of the noxious weed board since Sasha Shaw helped me identify Yellow Archangel (*Lamium galeobdolon*) galloping through the woods of my property in 1999. I realized that the dynamics of vegetation change are closely related to another interest of mine, the rural to urban interface. I followed these leads and became a steward for Washington Native Plant Society and then obtained my Landscape Architecture degree. During my last three years working as an environmental planner, the activities and services of the noxious weed board continue to inform my work. Consequently, I am interested in helping our community by serving on this board.
2. I steward my 4 acre parcel for maximum environmental function by retaining a large portion of it in healthy forest enrolled in PBRs. I am work with clients that are involved in agricultural production and forestry in the Snoqualmie Valley.
3. I am qualified because I am interested in the relationship between our environment and its various stakeholders. My training and experience allow me to understand that all environmental interventions involve balancing competing needs. My supporters include a variety of District 2 members including: foresters, farmers, scientists, restoration designers, small and large property owners, and community leaders.

# Rebecca A. Chaney

**pacific northwest environmental design**  
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r.a.c.

- Objective** Environmental design supportive of ecologic function and sustainable use
- Education** **University of Washington, Seattle:** Bachelor of Landscape Architecture with Urban Planning Minor • June, 2008.  
**Focus:** *Sustainable Strategies* – Urban site design and planning, landscape graphics, environmental restoration; communication facilitation; land-use history and ethics; international land-use policy comparison • 2005-2008.
- Skills** **Environment:** City, shoreline, and neighborhood project planning, problem solving and implementation, graphic interpretation; Washington State planning laws, code comparison, agency checklists; data collection and analysis; community design, site analysis and design; native and invasive vegetation identification, monitoring and mapping; ecological literacy.  
**Communications:** Code development, interpretation, and illustration; public, agency staff, and elected official interaction; decision matrices and tables, verbal and written – reports, analyses, letters, notices, surveys; graphics – plans, sections, conceptual drawings, construction documents, technical specifications, mapping; promotional materials; document review and organization.  
**Technology:** Microsoft Word and Publisher (documents and tables), Excel, ArcGIS (iMap), AutoCAD (construction and detail design), Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, PowerPoint; GPS; Outlook; general office skills.
- Experience** **r.a.c. Environmental Design for the Pacific Northwest, sole proprietor business:**
- *Shoreline Master Program, Sustainable Sammamish Strategy, Town Center Plan Sammamish, WA:* Project development through submittal including code consistency, Shoreline Management Act compliance, preparation and review of reports and correspondence, graphic interpretation, environmental research; agency and public outreach, survey development and analysis, comment compilation and organization; state, city, citizen group, and consultant communication; meeting notes • 2008-present.
  - *Camp Korey at Carnation Farm, King County:* Forest Stewardship Plan • 2011
  - *Capitol Hill/Seven Hills Park, Seattle:* Project advocate, grant writing • 2008-2010.
  - *Jubilee Farm, Carnation:* Illustrative map from aerial photos and site analysis • 2009.
  - *Research Papers – Trees in King County and Assigning Monetary Value to Urban and Rural Forests:* Society for Ecological Restoration Conference featured speaker • 2010.
  - *Park restoration monitoring and mapping, Woodinville* Inventory and mapping of Sammamish River restoration sites; native plant selection and maintenance recommendations; volunteer outreach • Summer 2006.
- Urban Planning Strategies:** Intern – Cascade Land Conservancy, Seattle, WA: Environmental stewardship policy and restoration research; Green City Partnership Program coordination with WNPS; outreach for Agenda City Tacoma • 2007-2008.
- Washington Native Plant Society:** Volunteer steward – restoration plantings, hike leader, invasive monitoring, list-serve maintenance, ecological literacy • 2000-present.
- Community:** *Martin T. and Rebecca A. Chaney Foundation* – Board member, grant review and distribution • 1998 to present; *Duvall Foundation for the Arts* Co-founder, board secretary, arts promotion • 1999-2002.
- Interests** Local and international landscapes – environmental, political, and social; Explorations – hiking, biking, geo-caching; Arts – visual and musical; Home – family, forestry.