

**NEWS RELEASE**

**June 21, 2011**

**MASON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

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**TO: KMAS, KRXY, SHELTON-MASON COUNTY JOURNAL, THE  
OLYMPIAN, SHELTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, NORTH MASON  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CITY OF SHELTON, ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, THE SUN**

**RE: Pacific Mountain Workforce Development Council Vacancy**

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Mason County is seeking applicants to fill a private sector vacancy on the Pacific Mountain Workforce Development Council (PMWDC). Applicants must be in a position of leadership within their business and the process requires a nomination by a general-purpose business organization, such as a Chamber of Commerce or Economic Development Council.

The Pacific Mountain Workforce Development Council is a Washington state 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation, chartered under the provisions of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998.

The board of directors represents the workforce development area comprised of Grays Harbor, Lewis, Mason, Pacific and Thurston counties. Dedicated to meeting the challenges of an ever-changing economy, the Council, in partnership with the five Boards of County Commissioners oversees the federal employment and training programs operating within their area.

Currently the Council meets five times a year and are usually held at the PMWDC office at the Satsop Development Park in Elma. Members are on a voluntary, non-salaried basis, but may receive reimbursement for expenses and mileage while conducting PMWDC business.

Please send a letter of recommendation to the Mason County Commissioners office at 411 North 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Shelton, WA 98584. Nominations will be accepted until the position is filled.

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