

TOWN OF PE ELL



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Scott,

I would like to apply, as a member of the Flood Authority, to be a member of the Chehalis Basin Board. The 2007 flood event greatly affected Pe Ell and the surrounding area. As Mayor of Pe Ell I would like to have a voice in protecting Pe Ell and the western part of Lewis County. Until a retention dam is built to help reduce flooding, the problem is going to continue. One way to help aquatic species is to increase river flow in the summer months. A dam with a reservoir would allow that to happen.

Having been Mayor and served on the Flood Authority for about two and a half years, I have gained knowledge of government functions and flooding issues in the basin. My goal is to work with members of the Board to make Pe Ell and the surrounding area a safe place to live.

Sincerely,

Lonnie Willey
Mayor