



Clifton Gilley
Statement of Candidacy

My name is Clifton Gilley, and I would like to be considered for one of the newly-opened resident seats on the Snoqualmie Ridge Owners Association Board of Directors. I see this as a valuable opportunity to provide a service to my community as well as to expand my own experience as a community leader.

My wife and I have lived on the Ridge for 13 years, and have had that opportunity to experience the strong sense of community that the Owner's Association contributes to on a regular basis. We have been very impressed by the manner in which our Owner's Association operates, and how it balances the goals of protecting members' property values with the personal circumstances, needs, and interests of those members.

As a product manager by trade and a lawyer by training, I understand the need to fairly weigh the facts of any given decision before taking action. I bring to the board a passion for just decision-making; clarity and fairness in rules, policies, and procedures; and continuing to recognize and respect the growing diversity of our resident population.

Currently I am serving as the Vice-Chair of the Pacific Northwest Product Management Community (<http://www.pmcnw.org>), and have in the past served in a variety of leadership roles with Alpha Phi Omega, a community service fraternity. I am not a newcomer to making difficult decisions that affect large groups of people, nor to facilitating both business and social opportunities for my organization's members.

Snoqualmie Ridge is a community with a diverse population and necessarily a variety of needs, desires, and interests that all must be balanced by a ROA and its board. It would be an honor to help contribute to an organization that does such a great job balancing that diversity and investing in our community.

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly at ctgilley+roa@gmail.com if you have any questions.