



Richmond VERMONT

TOWN OF RICHMOND VERMONT

Application Form for Town Commissions, Boards and Committees <https://www.richmondvt.gov/boards-meetings/all-committee-board-members>

Please submit your application to: **Volunteer Search, P.O. Box 285, Richmond, VT 05477, by email to dwardwell@richmondvt.gov or by placing it in the drop box outside the Town Office by**

- April 10, 2024 for most committees, unless another date is specified below
- Water & Sewer Commission applications are due May 31, 2024.
- Development Review Board (DRB) applications are due by May 15, 2024.
- Andrews Community Forest Applications for Conservation Commission Representative and Trails Committee Recommendation are due by March 8, 2024.
- Delinquent Tax Collector applications are due by February 28, 2024 for Selectboard appointment after Town Meeting Day.

Applications will then be reviewed by the respective committees, with the exception of the DRB which will not review applicants prior to appointment by the Selectboard. The Selectboard will make appointments at their May 20, 2024, meeting for terms to begin in June. Selectboard will consider appointments to vacant positions throughout the year.

Please supply the following information:

1) Please introduce yourself to the Selectboard by providing a short cover letter detailing your background, training, and experience with the board/commission/committee you are applying for and/or resume.

Name of Applicant: Wright C. Preston Date: 1-29-24

Phone Number: 802-734-9279 Email Address: Prelco@hotmail.com

Name of Commission/ Board/ Committee and term:
ANDREWS COMMUNITY FOREST COMMITTEE

How many years have you served on this Committee? 01 Years SERVED Since 12/23 up

If you serve on another Commission/Board/ Committee, please indicate which one(s): 00

2) Review the scheduled meeting day/time of the Commission, Board, or Committee along with the length of the term of the position. Will you be able to serve for the term of the position? Y / N (circle one)

Richmond Resident: Y / N (circle one)

For hard copies or accessibility accommodations please contact:
Duncan Wardwell at 802-336-2092 or dwardwell@richmondvt.gov

Wright Preston

From: Wright Preston
Sent: Thursday, November 16, 2023 4:31 PM
To: Rosovsky, Judy; Ian Stokes; Jay Furr; Josh Arneson
Cc: Wright Preston
Subject: RE: rejoin ACFC?

Judy: I'll interested in being considered to serve on the ACF Committee provided I'm not competing for the position with Brad. I have a lot of respect for Brad, his work, and most importantly, his friendship.

My background includes:

- Being involved with the Andrews family, RLT, VLT and the town on the ACF acquisition, conservation, the ACF committee for say 20 years,
- I bring a balanced, sort of bureaucratic, fair systems and policy background and mind to my committee work,
- I'm a forest steward with my work as the owner of Prelco's conserved forestland and with my RLT board involvement.

I'm going to retire from banking at some point this year, so I have time.

Other boards I currently serve on:

- Richmond Land Trust
- Vermont Board of Bar Examiners
- Vermont Historical Society

Past boards I've served on:

- ACF Committee
- Chittenden County Upland Conservation Project
- Richmond Selectboard
- Richmond Conservation Commission
- Green Mountain Audubon
- Vermont Council on Rural Development
- Richmond Police Chief Hiring Committees -3
- Town Health Officer

Thank you for considering this application.

Let me know if you need anything from me.

Wright C: 802-734-9279



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1/29/24

November 17, 2023

Trails Committee
Town Of Richmond VT
203 Bridge St.
P.O. Box 285 (mailing)
Richmond, VT 05477

Dear Hannah and Alison,

I am interested in being considered to serve on the ACF Committee again and would like to request that the Trails Committee review my application as a possible candidate to the ACFC as a representative of Trails. Josh Arneson suggested that I do this as the Richmond Conservation Commission had chosen a candidate prior to my application submission. If you do not wish to select me I will pursue the at-large seat but I believe I can be a good representative for the Trails Committee.

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As you may know I have done a good deal of mowing and other trail maintenance at town properties including the Andrews Community Forest and the Willis Hill area.

Thank you for considering this application and please let me know if you need anything from me. I can be reached at Wright.Preston@NSBVT.com

Sincerely,

Wright

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