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## Volunteer... Andrews Community Forest Committee

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To: "jarneson@richmondvt.gov" <jarneson@richmondvt.gov>, JUDY ROSOVSKY <judy.rosovsky@comcast.net>

Josh, Judy: I'm now completing my first one year term on the ACF committee and I was on the earlier ACF committee. I currently serve as the vice chair. It would be my pleasure to accept a reappointment for a two or three year term, as there remains much to be done. My attributes to this municipal forest committee are as follows:

- I'm an advocate for wild things, including flora and fauna,
- I have a strong grasp of Richmond's municipal structures, persons and process,
- I know the ACF property well, including its two, plus miles of boundaries,
- As an adjoining conservation forestland owner, I have a good knowledge of:
  - forestry matters including, working directly with the County Forester, our consulting forester, our loggers, invasive plant control and related forestry contractors,
  - o public access matters including the public's rights as a guests on the property, VAST's rights on the property.
  - Conservation Easements, Forest Management Plans, Logging Contracts, Invasive Plant Management contracts,
  - · Boundary and land disputes.
- As a Richmond Land Trust board member I have a good understanding of conservation easement stewardship.
- I listen well and try and steer divergent perspectives to an common understanding.
- I have the time to serve.

I ask that the Selectboard and Conservation Commission favorably consider my application.

Let me know if you need anything else.

Thank you, Wright



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