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Hello WSPA Members,

Voting is now open for our Region 4 Co-Rep! Please take a moment to review the attached statements from our candidates.

Below is the link to the voting form:

<https://goo.gl/forms/f353otCiooXYEWAe2>

Voting will remain open until May 3, 2017 at 6:00 pm. You must login to vote and may only vote once.

Thank you,

Shaun Carey, Cathi Price and Stacia Dorman

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My name is Jessica Drexler and I was born and raised in Colorado. I moved to Washington to attend the University of Puget Sound. After graduating with a BA in Business and Finance, I worked at the Corporate location of a credit union, as a CU banker. I was responsible for managing the teller line, supporting teller training, handling business accounts, processing personal loans and supporting general operations. From my years at the credit union I realized I do not enjoy handling people's money and financial needs but continue to enjoy helping people. In looking for other opportunities to spend my time helping others I heard about an opportunity at Chief Leschi Schools.

After a colleague told me about the opportunity I was excited at the prospect of supporting teachers and indirectly supporting children. I have worked for Chief Leschi's Human Resources and been a WSPA member since the start of the 2015-16 SY. I truly enjoy that my time and efforts at work go to support the education and futures of children. I would like to be a Regional Representative of WSPA to further support the learning opportunities for my human resource peers and colleagues.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Best,
Jessica

Jessica Drexler

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Deb Tito

Executive Director, HR ~ Renton School District

30 years in public education has prepared me well to serve as a WSPA Region 4 Co-Representative. With experience as a Teacher, Principal, and District Administrator, I understand the challenges HR professionals face every day. My seven years as Executive Director, HR for the Renton School District has given me first-hand experience with all aspects of Human Resources. I'm eager for the opportunity to give back to the organization that provides so much professional development and support to HR professionals across the state and look forward to partnering with Cathi Price to continue to offer relevant, meaningful learning opportunities to the HR professionals in Region 4.

Thank you for your consideration.



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April 24, 2017

Dear Ms. Price,

I am writing to express my interest in serving Washington School Personnel Association Region IV and its members as a co-representative for the upcoming two year term. I have been a member in good standing with the Washington School Personnel Association since 2000 and have previously served as Region IV co-representative and on the board from 2009 – 2013. I am also currently a member in the American Association of School Personnel Administrators Region 1 and Society of Human Resources Management.

Having been in Human Resources in a variety of roles for over 20 years I have a solid foundation and understanding of the different and varying needs that impact all levels of personnel management in public schools and the importance of legal compliance. With constant change in legislation at both the state and federal level along with changes in employment law it takes a vast set of skills and knowledge to promote good working relationships with staff, administrators and union leaders. I have experience to share with my peers in these areas along with an understanding of what is needed for those of us in public education to stay knowledgeable in the current unstable climate of public education.

Having previously served as a co-representative in Region IV, I understand the need and importance of valuable training in all areas from employee induction and wellness programs, to diversity, staffing, negotiations and employee misconduct training. I believe it is also important to encourage and foster networking amongst our peers to learn from each other and promote effective leadership across the state.

It would be an honor and privilege to serve my peers in Region IV and I wish to thank you for the opportunity to be considered.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Dawn Long'.

Dawn Long
Director of Human Resources
North Thurston Public Schools

VITA Dawn C. Long

Dawn Long has been working in North Thurston Public Schools since 1996, 20 of these years have been in Human Resources. Dawn is currently the Director for Human Resources working in all areas of personnel management, ADA, workers compensation, unemployment, employee misconduct, staffing, legal compliance and negotiations. Prior to holding the role of Director, she also worked as a supervisor, coordinator for certificated staff and administrative assistant. Prior to North Thurston Public Schools she was employed as a nurse at a medical clinic working with renal patients in internal medicine.

Dawn obtained her nursing degree through University of South Puget Sound, her BA degree in Social Services through the University of Phoenix and her Master's degree in International Community Development through Northwest University in Kirkland.

Dawn is currently a member of Washington State School Personnel, Society for Human Resources Management and the American Association of School Personnel Administrators where she received a national award for Region 1 in 2016. Dawn has been a guest speaker at the American Association of School Personnel national conference, Washington School Personnel annual conference, Washington School Business Official annual conference and ESD113 Workers Compensation Trust annual meetings.