

# EASTSIDE DENTAL CLINIC

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Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development  
Attn: Mr. Cliff Voliva  
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Salem, Oregon 97301

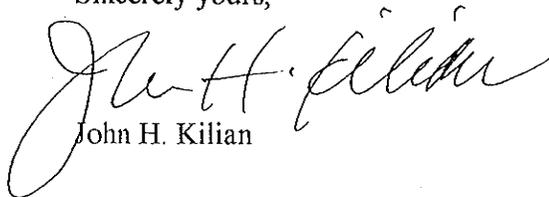
Dear Mr. Voliva:

Enclosed are my application materials for the at-large volunteer position on the State of Oregon Citizen Involvement Advisory Committee (CIAC).

You will find my resume, three letters of recommendation, a reference list and answers to the four application questions.

I appreciate the opportunity to be considered for this important committee opening.

Sincerely yours,

  
John H. Kilian

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- 1966-70** Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon, Bachelor of Science; Kappa Sigma Fraternity.
- 1969-70** Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan; Exchange; History, Art, Architecture.
- 1970** OSU Student Council, At-Large representative.
- 1971-75** Oregon Health Sciences University, School of Dentistry, DMD.
- 1972** University of Houston, Texas, Department of Psychology, Research Internship.
- 1972-73** OHSU School of Dentistry, Sophomore Class President.
- 1973** U.S. Navy Reserve Officer, Dental, Providence Rhode Island.
- 1973-74** OHSU School of Dentistry, Student Body President.
- 1974** U.S. Navy Reserve Officer, Dental, San Diego, California.
- 1974-75** American Association of Dental Students, National Representative.
- 1975** Multnomah County, Dentistry for Children.
- 1976-06** Eastside Dental Clinic founded, Gresham and Troutdale, Oregon .
- 1980-86** Oregon Dental Association; Chairman Speaker's Bureau; Chairman Publicly Funded Programs; State of Oregon Rural Health Coordinating Council Governor appointed; AGD Fellowship.
- 1981-96** Lincoln Dental Clinic, partner.
- 1986-91** State Dental Director, Oregon, Prudential Dental Health.
- 1993-96** State Dental Director, Oregon, Cigna Dental Health.
- 1997-07** Oregon State University, Department of Science, Chairman Alumni Physician's and Dentist's Council; Mentor: Boston University, Oregon Health Sciences University.
- Current** Member: Troutdale Chamber of Commerce, Gresham Chamber of Commerce; American Dental Association; Multnomah Dental Society; Academy of General Dentistry (Fellow); American Academy of Implant Dentistry; Academy of Laser Dentistry; Mt. Hood Community College, Business Advisory Committee; Northwest Precedent Research (OHSU, U. of Washington); Medical Teams International; Metro Committee for Citizen Involvement District 1 (Metro MCCI); MCCI Parks Liaison; City of Gresham Budget and Finance Committee; Board Member, Mt. Hood Repertory Theater; Kiwanis International; Gresham Barlow Education Foundation.

## **Citizen Involvement Advisory Committee Application Questions:**

- 1. Explain why you are interested in this position:** I have long been vested in both ensuring and creating opportunities for individuals to be involved in public decision-making. Through secondary, university and professional schools, I have learned the great value of participation. In fact the process in participating can be almost as important as the outcome. For me CIAC work, as with CCI committees in general, requires neutrality in personal views in order to be effective. CIAC work is interesting to me because it is non-political, volunteer and seeks an individual who has not only worked with citizen involvement, but has experience in writing. In addition I believe that it would be beneficial to the CIAC to select a new, at-large member who is already well-versed in Urban and Rural Reserves' issues; especially regarding the mission of the newly formed Urban/Rural Reserves Steering Committee that includes Metro as a core member and LCDC as a stakeholder. I appreciate the challenges of committee work and consensus building and believe I can have a positive impact on the work of the CIAC.
- 2. Explain any involvement you have had with community planning or citizen involvement:** I am currently appointed to the City of Gresham Finance and Budget Committee, which advises the Gresham City Council on all financial concerns for the Gresham community. Along with the mayor and councilors, the Finance Committee has completed the \$338 million dollar budget for 2008/09, including all revenues and expenditures. As a citizen member of the committee, and as a matter of supporting public meeting policy, I have promoted the involvement of neighborhood associations and all vested stakeholders in the process, including my Gresham neighborhood association, Cedar Lake. I am currently immersed in the work of Metro's MCCI, with a special interest in parks and trails.
- 3. Explain any experience you have had in writing, editing or producing educational materials:** I currently assist attorneys in trial preparation for medical litigation issues. This involves clarifying the data for presentation to judges and juries. I also assist the Academy of General Dentistry in proof-reading and editing professional articles prior to publication. Separate from writing, editing and producing a quarterly Clinic newsletter, I wrote a weekly dental column for a local newspaper that discussed timely medical and dental issues.
- 4. Explain any involvement you have had with State, regional or local advisory boards:** I am currently an advisor member with the Mt. Hood Community College Business Advisory Committee and am a board member with the Mt. Hood Repertory Theatre. I am serving a 4 year term with the Finance and Budget Committee with the City of Gresham, which is advisory to Gresham City Council. As appointed by Governor Neil Goldschmidt, I was an original member of the 1979-80 State of Oregon Rural Health Coordinating Council. I am also currently on Oregon State University's Visitor's Board, with particular emphasis on fund-raising and Predental scholarships.

**JOHN LIM**  
**State Representative**

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Mr. Cliff Voliva  
Communications Officer  
Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development  
635 Capitol St. NE, Suite 150  
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Dear Mr. Voliva:

Having worked with and known John Kilian to be a community volunteer for many years in East County and the Gresham area, I recommend him for the at-large position, opening in June 2008, on the Citizen Involvement Advisory Committee (CIAC).

Dr. Kilian meets the attributes of a citizen-candidate for the CIAC: he is an excellent writer, who has worked with professional journals prior to article publication; he was appointed as the citizen representative for District 1 to the Metro Citizen Involvement Committee and has worked with the City of Gresham Finance and Budget Committee.

In particular, as a member of MCCI, Dr. Kilian has engaged with Metro on the oversight of citizen involvement. He has participated in the citizen review of the Metro web-site, the proposed Milwaukie light-rail, Connecting Green (the integration of tri-county trails and parks), Metro re-cycling, high capacity transit and Urban and Rural Reserves. He is the MCCI Parks and trails liaison to Metro.

My observation is that he thrives on committee work. He has perceptive ideas and works well in promoting a consensus. I believe CIAC would be well-served to have Dr. Kilian appointed to the CIAC.

Sincerely,

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John Lim  
State Representative  
District 50

30 May 2008

Cliff Voliva  
Communications Officer  
Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development  
635 Capitol St, NE, No 150  
Salem, OR 97301

Dear Mr. Voliva:

As the first Citizen Participation Coordinator for LCDC, when we developed and adopted Goal I, the Citizen Involvement goal, it is a pleasure to recommend Dr. John Kilian for appointment to the Citizen Involvement Advisory Committee (CIAC).

Among John's many strengths is his ability to listen, to understand procedures, to reflect sentiment in public policy. Smart, sensitive, pleasant, John is one of those rare individuals who brings his business and his community involvement skills in proposing bold solutions and sees the big picture while grasping the smallest details. He is thoughtful and very pleasant to work with on tough issues.

John's community work in east Multnomah County is well known. He is the citizen representative for District 1 to the Metro Citizen Involvement Committee and he has served on the City of Gresham Finance and Budget Committee. Including his oversight work with citizen involvement for Metro, he has been involved in the citizen review of the Metro web-site, the proposed Milwaukie light-rail, integration of tri-county trails and parks (Connecting Green,) Metro recycling, high capacity transit and Urban and Rural Reserves. He is the MCCI Parks and Trails liaison to Metro.

John's writing skills are exemplary. He works with professional journal prior to publication and has written masterful pieces concerning public issues. John has a remarkable ability to multi-task, find solutions and bring people together. With land-use issues continuing to being volatile in Oregon, John is a person who can bring calmness, thoughtfulness and perspective to the citizen involvement component of state-wide planning issues.

**Cindy Banzer**

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An urban person with deep ties to rural county matters and to Corvallis/Benton County, John would be an outstanding member of the CIAC. Please feel free to contact me at 503 709 7277, if I can share any additional information on his application.

Thank you for your serious consideration of John Kilian's application for appointment to the at-large position for the Committee.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cindy Banzer". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name.

Cindy Banzer

June 1, 2008

To: Mr. Cliff Voliva  
Communications Officer, Oregon LCDC  
635 Capitol Street, NE, Suite 450  
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From: Richard Strathern

Re: Letter of Recommendation

Dear Mr. Voliva:

I would like to recommend John Kilian to the CIAC Committee. I have know Dr. Kilian for 15 years and I admire his involvement in promoting citizen participation on the policy and decision making level.

Dr. Kilian has many innovative ideas and approaches to increasing citizen engagement as a means of strengthening democracy at both the State and local levels. He will make a very positive contribution to reviewing citizen communications for increased involvement and understanding.

Richard A Strathern  
City Councilor  
City of Gresham, Oregon  
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June 5, 2008

Re: CIAC

To Whom It May Concern:

I have known Dr. John Kilian for several years and serve with him on a citizens committee with the City of Gresham. He also serves on the finance committee for Gresham. In all of my conversations and meetings with him, I have always been most impressed with his thoroughness, thoughtfulness and knowledge of the subjects being discussed. His questions at these meetings have always been very thought provoking and intelligent, illustrating a complete knowledge of subject matter.

I would highly recommend that John be appointed to the CIAC. He would be an assets who listens to all sides and would be a highly welcome on any committee that he so chooses to serve on.

For further questions on Dr. John Kilian, please call me.

Regards:

*Carol Nielsen-Hood*

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## References

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