

**Washington State Council on Aging**

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#  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ has been appointed to the Washington State Council on Aging

[CITY], [STATE],[Date] – Our local resident, \_\_(full name)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, was recently appointed to the Washington State Council on Aging for a three-year term.

 \_\_(first name)\_\_\_\_ looks forward to their role on the Council which serves in an advisory capacity to Governor Jay Inslee, the Secretary of DSHS, and the State Unit on Aging on all matters pertaining to polices, programs and services affecting the quality of life of older persons

The Council is further charged with creating awareness of the special needs and potentialities of older persons; and to provide for self-advocacy of older citizens of the state through sponsorship of training, legislative and other conferences, workshops and other methods as deemed appropriate. It also seeks input from Washington citizens throughout the state to help them understand problems and solutions that need exploring. Council meetings are a public event open to everyone. WASCOA members are prepared to speak locally to groups about our mission and vision along with current priorities.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ has experience [put experience background here].

For further information and contact, visit our website at:

<https://www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/home-and-community-services/washington-state-council-aging-scoa>

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