

Melody Harrison

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To: Melody Harrison
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To Whom It May Concern:

I am a retired teacher and have taught in the valley for over thirty years. I would love to become a member of the city council because I feel that the town is going in a very positive direction and I wish to help contribute to the well-being of its citizens. I have attached my teaching resume to give you some background about who I am.

My father was a coal miner, so I definitely have a soft spot for mining towns. I feel that I have gone a full circle by now living in a home previously occupied by coal miners. I grew up in Palisade but spent much time exploring the western slope as a child. I have always loved the New Castle area and after spending time teaching overseas and in Alaska have now made my home in New Castle.

I feel that I am a great problem solver and enjoy finding creative solutions to problems. Please feel free to contact me with further questions.

Sincerely,
Susan Barstow