

**Gregory Welter**  
**March 19, 2025**

**Dear Mayor Gatz,**

I am responding to the recently advertised vacancy on the Town Council, and expressing my interest in serving.

I am a retired environmental engineer, having been registered as a Professional Engineer in the District of Columbia and in Maryland, and am a Certified Diplomate in the American Academy of Engineers and Scientists. I am a member of the American Water Works Association and the Water Pollution Control Federation. I graduated with a Master's Degree in Environmental Engineering in 1973. My employment history since has been:

- US Peace Corps (Yemen Arab Republic) – 1973-1974
- O'Brien & Gere Engineers (now Ramboll) – 1975 – 2022
- Short-term individual consulting contract with the "River Alert Information Network" (RAIN), a collective of West Virginia and Pennsylvania water utilities in the Ohio River Basin - 2022

As noted above, I spent my entire consulting career with O'Brien & Gere Engineers working with water and wastewater utility clients. A summary of a select number of those clients and the principal work done for them is listed below:

**DC Water (District of Columbia)**

- Lead service line abatement program management
- Drinking water system program management (including management of EPA Safe Drinking Water program grants)
- Combined sewer overflow (facility planning, design and construction services)
- Biosolids program consultant
- Emergency preparedness consultant

**Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission**

- Vulnerability assessment and emergency preparedness consultant
- Biosolids composting system study and design
- Water conservation and rates study
- Various business case assessments

**Providence, RI**

- Lead service line replacement program management

**Washington Metropolitan Council of Governments**

- Emergency water supply planning
- Biosolids management study
- Wastewater demand project model development

**Natural Resources Defense Council  
Lead service line review consultation**

**American Society of Civil Engineers  
Water system emergency planning study**

**Water Research Foundation  
Principal Investigator on various research projects (Lead service line replacement  
methods; Water system security incident review; Information security practices  
for water systems)**

**Please contact me if additional information is desired.**

**Best regards,**

**Gregory Welter**

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