

Statement of Interest for Hanford Advisory Board Chair

I believe wholeheartedly in the Hanford Advisory Board - both conceptually and functionally - and am willing to serve as chair. I believe that the broad spectrum of interests represented on the Board that have committed to learning, discussing and coming to consensus on almost 300 pieces of advice, white papers and letters regarding Hanford is nothing short of an amazing gift to the Tri Party Agencies. If selected as chair I pledge to ensure all members have equal opportunity to share their values, participate as fully as they can as their time and energy allows and encourage members to work together with the Tri-Party agencies with respect and civility. I have been fortunate to have served as chair previously and will bring that positive experience with me. We have decades of work to do, challenges to meet and much of the public to encourage to learn about Hanford cleanup so we can pass the citizen involvement opportunities on to others who will serve after us.

Respectfully,
Susan Leckband