



**FOUR RIVERS
FAMILY
EARLY LEARNING
& PARENTING**

Thank you for your interest in joining our Governance Board! The Governance Board is the governing body of the Four Rivers Family Early Learning and Parenting. Board responsibilities include: supervising and directing affairs of the Hub, promoting and pursuing initiatives, goals, and objectives of the Hub, reviewing and considering for implementation the input provided by committee members, supervising the disbursement of funding opportunities, and more.

About the Hub: Four Rivers Family Early Learning and Parenting works to support families and build community so that children grow up with what they need to be ready for kindergarten and life. Our work and mission center around **SUPPORTING** existing programs and improving their growth and quality, **EXPANDING** program proficiency and/or capacity and **ALIGNING** efforts through improving systems and communication between families and service providers.

Our Initiatives include (*but are not limited to*):

- Facilitating Parent Education opportunities throughout our 5-county region (Wasco, Hood River, Sherman, Wheeler, and Gilliam counties)
- Hosting Parent Education Leadership Collaboratives and Early Childhood Committees
- Fostering Community Partnerships with Early Childcare Providers
- Providing Regional Funding Opportunities to Local Partners
- Coordinating Preschool Promise Enrollment Initiatives

If you would like to learn more about Four Rivers Early Learning and Parenting and how you can be involved through a phone conversation, please contact Shira Skybinskyy at (541) 993-2396 or sskybinskyy@cgesd.k12.or.us.

Current Openings

- **Health:** The Hub is seeking a Board Member to represent the health sector who is knowledgeable and experienced in the health needs of our community.
- **Business/Community Members:** The Hub is seeking a Board Member who represents local industry and/or community organizations.
- **Parent:** The Hub is seeking a Board Member who is a parent and who resides in one of our five-county regions, and who is passionate about Early Learning and Parenting.
- **Wheeler County:** The Hub is seeking a Board Member who lives/works in Wheeler County and who is knowledgeable and experienced to the needs of the community.

To Apply to Join Our Board, please complete the application below and email your completed application to Shira Skybinskyy at sskybinskyy@cgesd.k12.or.us.

Section 1 - Personal Information

Full Name	
Phone	
Email Address	
Position and Title	
Company	
Numbers of Years with Present Company	
Number of Years Lived/Worked in either Wasco, Hood River, Wheeler, Gilliam, or Sherman County	
Work History	
Educational Information	
Family Information	
Community Activities (with lengths of time)	
Preferred language	
Race or Ethnicity	

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Section 2 - Board Membership

Which Board Member Position are you applying for?

___ Health ___ Business/Community ___ Parent ___ Wheeler County

1. Please describe any prior experience where you and/or your organization made a positive impact for children/families in your community.	
2. What do you feel is the number one issue for children and families in our five-county region (Gilliam, Hood River, Sherman, Wasco, and Wheeler)?	
3. Are you available to attend monthly board meetings? Meetings are currently held both virtually and in-person in The Dalles, OR and Moro, OR.	
4. What skills, connections, resources, and expertise would you like to bring to the Board? And, how do you feel you would contribute to the Board's success?	
5. What are your interests that you would like to further develop through Board membership?	

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6. Why do you feel you would be the best representative of this sector in our five-county region?

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