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TO: KMAS, KRXY, SHELTON-MASON COUNTY JOURNAL, THE OLYMPIAN, SHELTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, NORTH MASON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CITY OF SHELTON, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, THE SUN

RE: Mason County Civil Service Commission Vacancy

The Board of Mason County Commissioners is seeking individuals to complete a vacated position on the Mason County Civil Service Commission. This term will expire in December, 2006.

To qualify, the individual must be a United States citizen and a resident of Mason County for at least the past two years and an elector in Mason County. This person cannot be employed by Mason County and shall serve without compensation.

The general purpose of the Civil Service Commission is to establish a merit system of employment for county deputy sheriffs and other employees of the office of county sheriff.

The Mason County Civil Service Commission meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Mason County Commission Chambers, 411 North 5th Street, Shelton.

Interested parties may obtain an application at the Mason County Commissioners' Office, 411 North 5th Street, Shelton, or by calling 427-9670, ext. 419 or visit the Mason County website at <u>www.co.mason.wa.us</u>.

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