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I am interested in getting involved with the reorganization study through service on the health, safety and welfare subcommittee, and possibly elsewhere if needed.

My wife, Renee, and I have owned a home in the Sable Ridge subdivision (corner of SR135 and Fry Road) for 19 years. We live in both Greenwood and White River Township, receiving services from both entities, including Greenwood Civil, White River Township Fire District, and Johnson County (e.g., Library).

I have attended Greenwood Common Council and Greenwood Park Board meetings for 3 years, and many White River Township Board and White River Township Fire District meetings for 2 years.

During the 1970s, I earned a bachelors degree (BA) in political science from Oakland University in Rochester, MI, and a masters degree (MPA) in public finance and budgeting from the graduate School of Public and Environmental Affairs (SPEA), Indiana University (IU), Bloomington, IN.

As a result of my educational background and continuing self-study, I have expanded my expertise and experience in several relevant areas, which will only be touched upon here.

Following graduate school, I spent several years with both IU (SPEA as well as the School of Business) and my own business (Public Financial Management Corp.) providing consulting/technical assistance services in the areas of budgeting, cash management and investment, property and casualty risk management, and organizational performance measurement and management to several Indiana cities, towns, school corps., libraries, and public transportation corps.

This was followed by several more years as an employee benefits and health care consultant with The Nyhart Co., a well respected regional third-party administrator, and William M. Mercer, Inc., the largest employee benefit consulting firm in the world.

I then provided nearly a decade of service to Anthem Health (now a subsidiary of Wellpoint, Inc.), the largest health insurer in Indiana and the U.S. Responsibilities at various times included business research and development, hospital and physician payments, and interface within actuarial services.

Unfortunately, I have been presented with several health issues in recent years which has significantly slowed my capacity to meet work challenges until quite recently. Later this year, I will be starting a wholesale consulting practice in several niche areas.

Thank you for your consideration.