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Snohomish County Boards & Commissions Application Form

SNOHOMISH COUNTY BOARDS & COMMISSIONS APPLICATION FORM

NOMINEE: Please fill in this section

Name of Board/Commission: Veterans' Assistance Fund Executive Board

New Appointment

Snohomish County Council District (Please choose one): 4

Name: Jim Cornwell

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City: Bothell

State: WA

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Current Employer: Retired

Occupation: Retired

High School

Education

Licenses held (if applicable) none

Why would you like to serve on this board/commission? As Chapter Secretary of The Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 423, I am highly involved in Veteran issues. I currently participate in many of our programs designed to serve underserved veterans. As part of our Hammers Group I assist in constructing access improvements for the veterans not otherwise able to obtain such improvements. I participate in various services our chapter provides to Sebastian Place in Lynnwood. I would like to sit on this Board and report back to my Chapter of the things our county is doing for indigent veterans.

Please explain why you are a qualified candidate, including relevant professional experience, to serve on the board/commission. I've been on boards in my past. I was one of eight Board Members on the Alderwood Manor Youth Club Board of Directors when we negotiated the facility to be taken over by the Boys and Girls Club of Snohomish County. As the current Secretary of the local chapter of The Vietnam Veterans of America I am one of seven Directors administering the chapter's day-to-day operations. I also engage in advocating for veterans through my position within the Chapter.

Please list community involvement/volunteer activities The Vietnam Veterans of America (Chapter Secretary)

How did you learn of this opportunity? A couple of our members have spoken of the entity. Questions were raised at General Membership Meetings which I offered to research. That work led me to discover this fund and the associated goals.
I spoke to Michael Salceda over the phone and obtained more information.
The mission of our chapter is to help veterans and work on this Board seems to fall in line with our mission.

Do you currently serve on a Snohomish County board or commission? * No

**2.03.060SCC - Candidates for appointment to county boards or commission must meet the following requirements:*

(1) Possess qualifications for the appointment sought, as shown by the candidate's written documentation and any hearing testimony;

(2) If a reappointment, demonstrate the continuing benefits of retaining the board

member as discussed in the executive's recommendation and a satisfactory attendance record, as determined by adopted criteria of the particular board;

(3) Reside or work in Snohomish County, or show evidence of special interest in Snohomish County, PROVIDED That a candidate may not be a County employee.

****People joining identified boards and commissions will be required to complete a background check. Boards and commissions identified as subject to requiring background checks include Children's Commission, Community Services Advisory Council, Council on Aging, CDMH (Chemical Dependency and Mental Health Program Advisory Board), Climate Action Advisory, Developmental Disabilities, Evergreen State Fair, Human Rights, Marine Resources, Performance Audit, and Planning Commission.**

By signing this Application Form, Nominee acknowledges that he/she will comply with all county policies, county code, and state law. Nominee also acknowledges that any record, including personal e-mail, prepared, owned, used, or retained by Nominee in the conduct of Board/Commission business is a public record, and Nominee agrees to produce said records to County upon request. Failure to comply with the above provisions may result in Nominee's removal from Board/Commission.

Signature Jim Cornwell

Date October 27, 2025

Please attach resume if [DD 214 - James M Cornwell.PDF](#) available and either submit this form or print it and mail to

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