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Two Trails  
Video Statement: none

**1. Please describe in light of the responsibilities of the RESNET Board why you are the right person to be a member of the RESNET Board of Directors**

I believe I am the right person to be a member of the RESNET Board of Directors because I understand the importance of bringing all involved parties to the table. Meaning, we need bukliders, trades, suppliers, raters, providers, etc to all be on the same page with the same end gaols in mind. I believe this is the best path to success.

**2. Why is this the right time for you to serve on the RESNET Board?**

I'm approaching my one year mark as a Licensed HERS Rater. I feel like I am still new and energized enough in this industry to effect real change.

**3. Please explain your knowledge and/or experience in terms of each of the primary responsibilities of the RESNET Board**

Maintain strategic vision of organization - Apply the best policies and practices in regards to RESNET and HERS ratings. Be adaptable to new technologies or knowledge that may change curret practices.

Fiduciary oversight of organization- Ensure RESNET funds are used in the most effecient way possible. In ways that both grow RESNET and increase the effectiveness orf its policies.

Governance oversight of organization's compliance to the RESNET® By-laws, the laws and regulations of the State of California and the IRS rules for (501)c3 organizations- Ensure all RESNET board activity follows all rules and laws where applicaple.

**4. Describe your experience in either leadership and/or serving on the board of a non-profit organization.**

I have not served on the board of a non-profit organization but I have often volunteered. I have not held a formal leadership role at a non profit but as a natural leader, if I volunteer at a non profit event, I will inevitably lead.

**5. What would you contribute to the RESNET Board?**

I think the most helpful aspect I could provide to the board is a different perspective. Often times, when we get used to our industry or our roles, we fail to think creatively or outside the box and may miss new ideas or perspectives that would benefit everyone in the long run.

