DCHS Board Candidate Profile

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Statement of Intent - Policy Interests & Priorities

- I have had a life-long interest in animal welfare, and am full agreement with the vision, mission, and values of the Dane County Humane Society. Since becoming a BOD member in 2021, I have been thoroughly impressed with the dedication and professionalism of the DCHS staff and volunteers, and look forward to contributing to the welfare and the advancement of the organization.

Dane County Humane Society Background and Experience

- Previous history of donations to DCHS
- BOD member since 2021

Professional Background & Education/Training

- BA, English, University of California, Berkeley
- Ph.D. Neuroscience, University of California San Francisco
- N.I.H. Post-doctoral Fellow, Department of Neuroscience, UW Madison

Memberships and Affiliations

- Former owner and CEO of Locus, Inc.
- International Loran Association: Former President, BOD member, Chair of Congressional Relations Committee
- Agrace Hospice: former Chair/member of Foundation BOD, member of Agrace BOD, Chair of "Care for All" Endowment campaign
- Habitat for Humanity: BOD, member of Family Selection and Development Committees; chair of Compensation and Succession Committee
- Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin: Be Visible Committee member
- Downtown Rotary: Chair of Dinner and Discussion Fellowship
- PLATO (Participatory Learning and Teaching Organization) UW Extension: former BOD member, current Course Coordinator
- University of Wisconsin Foundation: Established Roth-Martinelli Charitable Remainder Unitrust and sponsored full-tuition scholarships for disadvantaged UW students.
- Bascom Hill Society, UW Foundation
- Van Hise Society, UW Foundation
- Various conservation organizations: National Wildlife Federation, Nature Conservancy, World Wildlife Fund, Wisconsin Greenfire, League of Conservation Voters, and Friends of Hoyt Park