



## 2023 Steering Committee Letter of Intent

In addition to the questions below, please write a letter of intent (in the space below or attached separately) regarding your desire to serve in a leadership role (Steering Committee Leadership or Public Lands Delegate). Please include why you want to serve, any public service experience, and/or any special training or experience relevant.

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Expiration of Current Term: 2023 Are you term limited?: No  
Committee(s): TRED Position(s): Vice-Chair

I am interested in continuing my service as Vice-chair on the Tourism, Resorts and Economic Development (TRED) committee to bring a rural mountain resort perspective to the committee. I would like to be considered for that position in 2023. I believe that tourism affects mountain communities differently than many other parts of the state with the dichotomy of wanting to promote tourism while also trying to mitigate the effects of overuse. Tourism is inextricably tied to our economic development but so is preservation of our natural spaces, affordable housing and workforce development. We need to look at these issues together to find the right balance for our communities. I have lived in the mountains of Colorado for over 30 years and can say that the issues have never been what they are today. Much of this is due to Covid-19 and the impact it has had on housing and workforce in our communities while the entire State is looking for a place to get outside to stretch and breath fresh air. I would like to continue in my role as Vice-chair another year to continue addressing the issues impacting our communities and our economic development which I believe the TRED committee is best positioned to do.

I have been a commissioner for 8 years and have experience in a variety of leadership roles on multiple committees. I have the time to devote to this committee and will do my best to reach out to my fellow commissioners to hear and bring their perspectives forward as well.

**Please submit to Katie First at [kfirst@ccionline.org](mailto:kfirst@ccionline.org) by January 13, 2023**