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Letter of Intent

To: Mayor Yvonne Ridge, members of Charlotte City Council  
Concerning: vacancy on Charlotte City Council

Greetings:

The point of this communication is to inform the council of my willingness to commit to occupying the council seat made vacant by the last election. I have no political ambition, no party affiliation, and no personal ax to grind. I offer my service solely because I have knowledge of this town, the rules of good governance, and an informed understanding of civic issues both current and historic.

I have some history here. I served the interests of Can Do! as its Chair, and have been involved in the initial phases or shifts of many efforts now established as definitively Charlotte; like the Michigan Nordic Fire Festival, Charlotte Rising, and Windwalker. I remain on the board of Friends of Charlotte Performing Arts Center.

I am a graduate of the University of Michigan, class of '93 and a veteran of the U.S. Air Force. I have three bachelor's degrees -- two in history and one in English. I'm semi-retired, but still sing, teach and write for a living. I sing for the Catholic Church and others. I write books and essays. My current project is a Michigan historical fiction novel concerning a corner of Genesee County.

Lately, I've been helping First Congregational play its part in the revitalization of Charlotte, philosophically and esthetically; exchanging asphalt for a 45' labyrinth, green space and concert stage. What drives me is getting people to gather through music and thought.

If members of this council so choose, I am willing to complete the now vacant term and attend to all relevant duties, responsibilities and obligations.

Peace,

  
Curt Scott