Hoodland Park District Director



Bri Dittlinger

Occupation: I am a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, and am currently employed at a local community mental health center as a program director for multiple outpatient mental health programs. I am also one of the new owners/operators of the local wine bar and bottle shop here in Welches: Cooper's Wine Bar.

Occupational Background: I earned my Bachelor's of Social Work from Murray State

in Kentucky [2014] and my Master's of Social Work from the University of Missouri-Columbia [2016]. I bring experience with grant writing, fundraising, budget management, program development, and event planning to the park district board.

Educational Background: Murray State University, social work, BSW; University of Missouri-Columbia, social work, MSW

Prior Governmental Experience: None

I am a native of Missouri, and have been a Welches resident since July 2019. My spouse Kevin, and our fur babies, Baloo and Mowgli, moved here with our RV to pursue the next step in our professional careers, and enjoy the natural beauty of the Pacific Northwest. Kevin and I braved the current housing market with the help of local realtor team Porch Light to find our first home here in Welches in June 2021.

I am a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, and work currently as a program director of mental health programs at LifeworksNW.

I am one of the new owners/ operators of the local wine bar and bottle shop here in Welches: Cooper's Wine Bar, I am a member of the Hoodland Women's Club, and in 2020 Kevin and I began the Hoodland Adult Sports League meetup group, and are excited to continue the competition and fun this spring and summer!

I bring experience with grant writing, fundraising, budget management, program development, and event planning to the park district board. I enjoy hiking, road tripping, and playing sports in my free time, and am thrilled to bring more recreation opportunities and services to the villages of Mt. Hood.