

**Name** :Erickson, Robert

**Mailing Address** :

**Email Address** :

**Board Name** :Impact Fee Advisory Committee

**Daytime Phone**:

**Is your mailing address different than your physical address? :**

No

**How long have you been a city resident? :**A total of 19 years

**In which ward do you reside? :**

Ward 3

**Are you registered to vote? :**

Yes

**Current Occupation** :Attorney

**Current Employer** :Rhoades & Erickson PLLC

**Briefly describe your educational background :**

BA Political Science, Public Administration Certificate, 1997, The University of Montana  
BS Business Administration, Management Emphasis, 1997, The University of Montana  
Communications Studies Minor, 1997, The University of Montana  
Juris Doctor, 2003, Tulane University Law School  
Environmental Law Certificate, 2003, Tulane University Law School

**List of community service experience :**

Missoula Open Space Advisory Committee, 9-year member and former chairperson  
Kiwanis Club of Missoula, Board Member Leadership Missoula 31 Graduate Western  
Montana Bar Association Pro Bono Program Montana Bar Association, Fee Arbitration  
Committee Member

**What is your interest in serving on this board, commission or committee? :**

I'm a lawyer with a real estate development and land use planning background. Considering the calculation, assessment, and spending of impact fees seems to dovetail perfectly with my background and professional exposure. I hope to provide a neutral voice that advocates for Missoula citizens overall. Also, I have a strong affinity for volunteer public service.

**What special knowledge, interest, or experience do you possess that would qualify you for a position on this board commission, or committee? :**

For almost 20 years portions of my law practice have concerned land use development and real estate and related transactions -- most of that in Missoula. I am familiar with how development proposals and project move forward and are processed, including impact fee considerations. I have seen how the expenditure of impact fee proceeds can contribute to smart development and accentuate proposed projects for the greater good of Missoulians overall. Although not directly related, I served on the Missoula Open Space Advisory Committee for nine years, acting as chairperson for three years. That experience, as well as experience working on other boards and groups, has helped me work effectively with others on boards and otherwise.

**Reference 1 Name :**Elizabeth Erickson

**Reference 1 Phone :**

**Reference 2 Name :**Quentin M. Rhoades

**Reference 2 Phone :**

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**Attachments:**

- Erickson Resume 2023.pdf

**ROBERT ERICKSON**  
Missoula, Montana 59801

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

***Attorney/Owner***

Rhoades & Erickson PLLC, Missoula, Montana

2016 to present

Commercial and civil litigation; business and real estate transactions and disputes; land use and development; water law; probates and estates; civil appeals; and mediations

***Attorney***

Phillips Law Firm, P.C. and Beal Law Firm, PLLC, Missoula, Montana

2015 - 2016

Commercial and civil litigation; business and real estate transactions; insurance disputes; probates and estates; and water law

***Attorney***

Sullivan, Tabaracci & Rhoades, P.C., Missoula, Montana

2009 - 2015

Commercial and civil litigation; business, real estate, land use and construction transactions and disputes; land use and development; administrative and environmental law; probates and estates; water law; and civil appeals

***Attorney***

Scott & Kienzle, P.A., Albuquerque, New Mexico

2003 - 2009

Commercial and civil litigation; insurance subrogation; real estate, development and land use disputes; business and real estate transactions

**EDUCATION**

**Tulane University Law School**, New Orleans, Louisiana

**Juris Doctor, *cum laude***

2003

**Environmental Law Certificate**

2003

Tulane Environmental Law Journal, a Managing Editor

Pro Bono Criminal Litigation Clinic, Student Attorney

**The University of Montana**, Missoula, Montana

BS Business Administration, Management

1997

BA Political Science, Public Administration Certificate

1997

Communications Studies Minor

1997

**SELECTED COMMUNITY AND PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT**

Missoula Open Space Advisory Committee, Chairperson

Kiwanis Club of Missoula, Board Member

Leadership Missoula 31 Graduate

Western Montana Bar Association Pro Bono Program

Montana Bar Association, Fee Arbitration Committee Member