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I'm In-House Counsel at McKinstry and I live in Puyallup. I serve on WSBA's Member Engagement Council and I was Co-Chair of WSBA's Diversity Committee. I'm Past President of the Filipino Lawyers of Washington and a Washington Leadership Institute Fellow. I'm committed to serving WSBA members of District 10.

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Candidate for District 10

WHAT IS YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE ROLE OF THE WSBA BOARD OF GOVERNORS AND HOW DO YOU INTEND TO FULFILL THE ROLE AND ITS OBLIGATIONS?

The Board of Governors is WSBA's governing body, subject to the Washington Supreme Court's authority and supervision and limits imposed by statute and case law. Duties include determining policies, approving budgets, regulating lawyers and legal professionals, reviewing and approving general matters.

I will voice the perspective, values and circumstances facing District 10, keep members informed of issues before the Board and actions affecting members. I'll help the Board be a more diverse and representative body while fulfilling WSBA's mission to serve the public and the members of the Bar, ensure the integrity of the legal profession, and champion justice.

HOW HAVE YOU DEMONSTRATED YOUR UNDERSTANDING AND SUPPORT OF THE WSBA MISSION TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC AND THE MEMBERS OF THE BAR, TO ENSURE THE INTEGRITY OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION AND TO CHAMPION JUSTICE?

As Co-Chair of the WSBA Diversity Committee I took action to support attorneys standing up to champion justice.

In 2018, the Oregon Bar Bulletin published a statement signed by Oregon Specialty Bars in response to the rising violence and hate-acts following the Portland MAX train attacks and Charlottesville Unite the Right Rally. Leaders who signed were harassed, received threats of violence. Some resigned out of fear.

Our WSBA Diversity Committee issued a statement of solidarity with the Oregon Specialty Bar Associations against white nationalism and the normalization of violence. Attorneys must be able to stand up for their constituents without fear.

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