



#### CANDIDATE STATEMENT OF

#### KEITH CONGLETON

I have been a resident of the City of Dover for almost twenty-nine years. During this time, I have seen a lot of change in Dover and in the entire Sandpoint area, some for the better, and some not. My reason for running for City Council is twofold. First of all, I feel that ALL residents of Dover deserve representation. This includes the area of Dover north of US 2 (Syringa Heights, Cedar Ridge, Canoe Cove, etc.) as well as historic Dover, Dover Bay, and Rocky Point. Secondly, while growth is inevitable, and in most cases necessary, said growth must be responsibly managed. Infrastructure must also grow to keep up with the greater demands, and the character of the area should be preserved as much as possible.

I retired after a career in banking and construction. I was a mortgage banker for twenty-five years, and the last ten years of my career I was the business manager for a company that built custom single-family homes and small commercial buildings. In this capacity, I had much interaction with our local municipalities and the county, arranging for permits, dealing with development plans, stormwater management plans, and other issues.

I hold a bachelor's degree in economics and business, with a strong background in accounting. My educational and work experience will be valuable in helping to create ordinances and regulations; managing and assessing growth, and in budgeting and fiscal responsibility.