

To: Nominating Committee
Portland Jr. Winterhawks

From: Georgia Bailey

January 28, 2018

Dear Nominating Committee,

I respectfully submit my name for nomination for the position of Treasurer of the Portland Jr. Winterhawks.

Each season for the past 8 ½ years, I have had the privilege of watching our association grow and evolve. I have served our hockey community as PJW Treasurer since May 2017, PJW Registrar 2015 – 2017 and Team Manager for 4 seasons.

During my time on the board I have had opportunity to identify areas of opportunity and work toward improvements. We have a very strong base on which to build. With a bit of fine tuning to improve efficiency, increase transparency and focus on strengthening our core we can be great. Our current system is reactionary, moving from one program to the next with little time to take a step back and reflect. We need to learn from our successes as well as our stumbles planning thoughtfully for our next steps. My professional career as a Mortgage Servicing Supervisor aligns with the functions of treasurer. Financial statement analysis, vendor management, budgeting and forecasting are my regular tasks. I take the responsibility of handling our association finances seriously and will continue to look for ways to reduce costs; making sure your money is utilized in the most productive and efficient manner.

I have 2 boys that have played with the Jr. Winterhawks since they were Mites/Minis and have participated in multiple PJW programs: Metro, Varsity, Rep/Travel & Selects. They currently compete in the Winterhawks Varsity & PeeWee Metro Leagues. Our hockey family has been such an integral part of our lives. We are so thankful for the friendship and support we have received. It would be an honor to continue representing your family on the Portland Jr. Winterhawks board of directors.

Thank you for our consideration.

Sincerely,

Georgia Bailey