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Governor Tim Walz

President of the Senate

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Ashley Peters

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment, and ability, I have appointed you to the office of:

Public Member Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council

Effective: March 14, 2023 Expires: January 4, 2027

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

Signed and sealed March 9, 2023.

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Governor

Steve Simon

Secretary of State

Filed March 9, 2023 Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State Steve Simon

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Reappointment

Ashley J. Peters

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ruffed Grouse Society & American Woodcock Society National Director of Communications & Marketing	Sept. 2020 - Present St. Paul, MN
National Audubon Society	Sept. 2013 – Sept. 2020
• Engagement Manager for Upper Mississippi River Initiative	Jan. 2018 – Sept. 2020
Communications Manager for Minnesota State Office	Oct. 2015 – Sept. 2020
Communications Associate for Louisiana State Office	July 2014 – Oct. 2015
Communications Coordinator for Restore the Mississippi River Delta Campaign	n Sept. 2013 – July 2014
Southeast Alaska Guidance Association Statewide Manager for AmeriCorps Individual Placement Program	Aug. 2012 – Sept. 2013 <i>Juneau, AK</i>
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Communications and Outreach Specialist for Division of Parks and Trails	Feb. 2010 – Aug. 2012 St. Paul, MN
Conservation Corps Minnesota Field Specialist for Boundary Water Canoe Area Wilderness/Superior National Forest	March 2009 – Oct.2009 Grand Marais, MN
Southeast Alaska Guidance Association Team Leader for Alaska Service Corps BOARDS, COMMITTEES, VOLUNTEER WORK	March 2008 – Dec. 2008 Juneau, AK
Women's Forest Congress Delegate and Presenter Outdoor Writers Association of America, Board Member Climate Change Advisory Council, ServeMN/Ampact Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council, Councilmember Sportsmen for the Boundary Waters, Board Member	2022 – Present 2020 – Present 2019 – Present 2018 – Present
EDUCATION	
University of Minnesota, Humphrey School of Public Affairs Master of Public Affairs	Minneapolis, MN 2021
Truman State University Bachelor of Arts, Communication MAR 1 0 2023	Kirksville, MO 2007

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November 15, 2022

Governor Tim Walz and Lieutenant Governor Peggy Flanagan

Re: Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council Public Member Position

To Governor Walz and Lt. Governor Flanagan:

I am excited to re-submit my application for the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council. I have been working in natural resources since 2008 and I have a wide range of communications and community engagement skills that highlight my fitness to serve on the Council. My public affairs expertise will be valuable in raising the visibility of Legacy Amendment accomplishments.

In addition to my professional skills, I am re-applying because my generation will be greatly impacted by the decisions made today. My job, hobbies, and ultimately my happiness depend on the restoration, protection, and enhancement of habitat for wildlife. More than that though, I understand that the health of Minnesota's natural resources often correlates to the quality of life for its residents. The work we do is important for wildlife, certainly, and it is just as important for our people, including future generations.

I regularly hunt, fish, hike, camp, and go birding on Minnesota's public lands and waters. During the past decade, I have worked closely with conservation programs and program staff who are tasked with proposing, implementing, and evaluating conservation projects. Communicating the success of those programs takes considerable planning and consensus-building long before the announcement of an achievement. My strategic planning and public outreach skills will continue to assist the Council in raising the profile of Outdoor Heritage Fund and Clean Water, Land, and Legacy Amendment accomplishments.

Thank you in advance for your consideration. The Council provides an opportunity to connect diverse communities, all across the state, and I would be privileged to continue contributing to those efforts.

Please refer to my résumé for additional information on my experience and qualifications.

Sincerely,

Ashley J. Peters

Director of Communications & Marketing
Ruffed Grouse Society & American Woodcock Society
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Agency Name: Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council

Position: Public Member

Part II: Applicant Information

Name: Ashley Jean Peters Phone: (952) 715-1209 County: Ramsey

Mn House District: 64A US House District: 4

Recommended by the Appointing Authority: False

Part III: Appending Documentation

Cover Letter and Resume

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Part V: Signature

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Signature: Ashley Jean Peters **Date:** 11/15/2022 5:53:04 PM

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