



Town of Brighton

7688 S. Big Cottonwood Canyon Road
Brighton, Utah 84121

Town Council

Dan Knopp, Mayor
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Re: Application for Membership in the Central Wasatch Commission

Dear Central Wasatch Commission,

The Town of Brighton hereby applies for membership in the Central Wasatch Commission. Pursuant to Resolution 2018-04-B, Brighton meets the application and membership criteria. The Town of Brighton was incorporated in December 2019, and thus meets the requirement of being a governmental entity in Salt Lake County.

It is the only municipal jurisdiction in Big Cottonwood Canyon, and it has a legal jurisdiction within the boundary of the commission as is required for membership. Mayor Knopp would be the only individual representing the Town of Brighton.

The Town of Brighton encompasses a large portion of Big Cottonwood Canyon and includes two world renowned ski resorts Brighton and Solitude. The citizens of the Town of Brighton face many of the key issues that the CWC is addressing including recreation, traffic, transportation and environmental impacts of visitors as well as the desire to host those visitors in our beautiful canyon. The Town of Brighton also includes forest service land within its boundaries.

The Town of Brighton would be a valuable contributor to the Central Wasatch Commission. We urge you to consider our request for membership on the CWC.

Respectfully,

Dan Knopp,
Mayor, Town of Brighton