

Brandon Walter Fills Water Wastewater Department Job

With the hiring of Brandon Walter, the vacancy in the Klickitat PUD Water-Wastewater Department is filled.

Brandon previously worked as a Tech III in the city of Goldendale's Public Works Department.

Six years ago, Brandon participated in a job training assistance program through Columbia Gorge Community College in The Dalles. His on-the-job training included time at the KPUD Water-Wastewater Department, where he gained valuable experience.

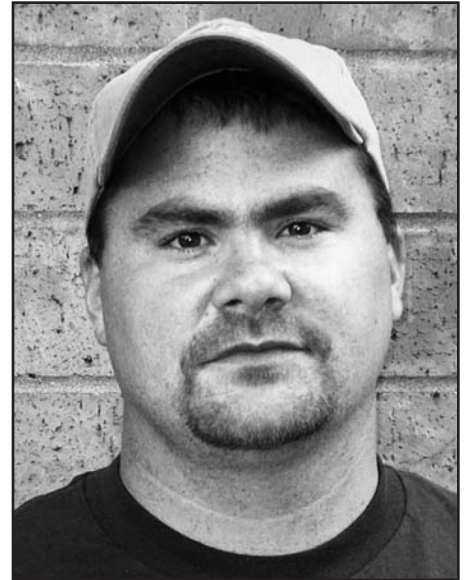
He says he has waited for an opportunity to join the department ever since.

In his free time, Brandon enjoys fishing, hunting and coaching youth sports.

Brandon has participated in the Goldendale Police Reserves for the past five years.

Brandon and his wife, Amanda, have two children, son BJ and daughter Makayla.

Join us in welcoming Brandon to the Klickitat PUD family. ■



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Dale Ransom Starts Full Time At Landfill Plant

Dale Ransom was hired July 21 to fill the position of LFG O&M Technician I at the H.W. Hill Landfill Gas Plant in Roosevelt.

Dale previously worked with Klickitat Valley Grain Growers for 20 years doing retail sales, working in the grain elevator, driving truck, doing fleet maintenance and everything in between. For the past two years, Dale worked part time maintaining the generators at the LFG site.

Dale has been married for 20 years to Paula, who has worked for the Goldendale Dental Clinic since last October. Previously, Paula was a full-time mom and home-schooled both of their children.

Dale and his family live on a small farm on the Glenwood highway with their two children, Adrienne, 18, and Rebecca, 16.

The girls are still involved with



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FFA and 4-H and raise livestock for projects.

Adrienne attended the University of Idaho last year and is interested in the medical field. Rebecca is a sophomore this year at Goldendale High School.

In his time off, Dale enjoys being in the outdoors. His favorite pastimes are hunting, fishing and camping. He also enjoys motor sports, including riding motorcycles and snowmobiles. He belongs to a bowling league, and lately has enjoyed playing golf.

Dale is a volunteer for the Rural 7 Fire Department. He is serving his second term as one of the fire commissioners for Rural 7 Fire and Rescue and is an emergency vehicle accident prevention instructor with the department.

Dale is eager to serve his community while working for Klickitat PUD. Join us in welcoming Dale as a full-time employee. ■