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Chilmark Board of Selectmen,

I Christopher M. MacLeod of Chilmark would like to present my intention of filling the vacant seat on the Chilmark Planning Board caused by the unfortunate passing of the previous member. My resume and reasons follow below.

I am a newly registered voter in Chilmark though I have been a resident for the past 15 years, as I officially became a U.S. citizen in June 2015.

The only committee that I have served on in my time on the island is a 2 year term on the vestry committee at Grace church in V.H. Though I will add; that as a carpenter/contractor on M.V. I have dealt with many different people on many different issues.

My reasons for applying for said position are thus. I have been contemplating a board/committee position for a couple years. I finally acquired my citizenship and also have become healthy and strong enough, I believe, to be a helpful and effective participant in any board. For 15 years I have been unable to vote which meant I was standing on the sidelines. I now would like to be an active participant.

I would very much like to give back to my town, which has given so much to me, my wife and children.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours;

Chris MacLeod