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Dear Mayor, Deputy Mayor, and Councillors,

I am writing to express my interest in the opportunity to serve as a member of the Kincardine Municipal Council. As a dedicated resident of Kincardine since 2018, and having grown up in the small town I understand and appreciate the unique sense of community that defines our area. This experience has fostered my deep connection to the values and the quality of life that Kincardine offers.

As a program manager with Bruce Power and with over 10 years of project management experience, I bring a comprehensive understanding of the key elements required for effective decision-making and governance. My expertise in managing scope, cost, and schedules has equipped me with the skills to assess complex issues, prioritize competing needs, and deliver projects on time and within budget—skills that are directly applicable to the responsibilities of a councillor. In addition, my background in contract management and stakeholder engagement ensures that I can navigate agreements and foster strong relationships, both of which are critical in maintaining transparency and accountability within municipal operations.

In my role as president of the Kincardine Curling Club, I have developed a complementary set of skills, particularly in leading a non-profit organization. Managing the club has taught me the importance of balancing financial obligations while serving the interests of a diverse membership base. It has also enhanced my ability to work collaboratively with a board of directors, make decisions through consensus, and operate within a framework of policies and by-laws. These experiences have sharpened my ability to lead with fairness, listen to different perspectives, and find solutions that reflect the needs of the broader community.

My passion for this community, combined with these professional and volunteer experiences, has motivated me to pursue this role. I have set down roots in Kincardine and have witnessed its charm and potential firsthand. When I travel outside of Bruce County, I often hear people speak about Kincardine as a beautiful, welcoming town, and I share in that pride as a resident. Now, I want to take the next step in giving back by helping to guide and support the town's continued growth and development.

Thank you for considering my application. I would be honored to contribute to the ongoing success of Kincardine and serve the community that I am proud to call home. I look forward to the opportunity to discuss my candidacy further.

Sincerely,

Kevin Fournier