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ASWWU Statement: “Vacancy for AS Vice President for Sustainability Position”

Bellingham, WA — On November 18, 2020, Nora Harren resigned from her position as the AS Vice President for Sustainability on the AS Executive Board. Harren served in this position since the Board elections in Spring 2020. Following her resignation, AS President Abdul Malik Ford stated, “On behalf of the AS Executive Board, I would like to thank Nora for the time and energy she dedicated to this position. None of us imagined doing our work through the current circumstances, but wish her the best on all future endeavors.”

The AS Executive Board discussed the vacancy at their regular meeting on December 4, 2020, where they agreed that holding a special election to fill this position would be most appropriate. Ford expressed, “The ASWWU Office of Civic Engagement is equipped to facilitate this election, ensuring a new VP for Sustainability can be brought on board as soon as possible.” The ASWWU Office of Civic Engagement will set forth an elections timeline, which will be distributed to all students when appropriate.

Students who are interested in this vacancy are encouraged to watch ASWWU media channels for filing information and logistics. Ford noted, “The Board is excited to work with a student in this position who is team-oriented, self-motivated, and eager to work alongside students in public service.”

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