

Washington State Genealogical Society

recognizes

Derek Knutsen

of Cashmere, Washington

**for exceptional and consistent support of the technical operation of
the Wenatchee Area Genealogical Society**



Derek Knutsen, a computer science professional, has provided critical expertise, training, and guidance to the Wenatchee Area Genealogical Society (WAGS). He is responsible for maintaining the computers and keeping up with security, maintenance and capacity for the Society's growing array of databases.

Derek has worked with the WAGS webmaster for many hours, improving their web and server efficiency. Additionally, he has made professional and easy-to-understand presentations and recommendations to the WAGS Board regarding their server software and network options.

Besides his work for WAGS, he also manages the computers at the Cashmere Museum, and serves on the Cashmere City Council -- all in addition to his full time employment with a software development firm in Indiana.

Given this 29th day of June in the year 2013, at the annual meeting of the Washington State Genealogical Society at Yakima, Washington.

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