

Brenda DeVore's involvement in the Ellensburg community spans over 15 years when she was the Aveda Sales Representative for Salon Fenix. Today her son Chase is studying Law Enforcement at CWU. The Wildcat college experience has provided opportunities for the DeVore family to explore Ellensburg and connect with local business and residents. Her career centers around community engagement, event planning, retail development consulting, waste reduction, sales, marketing, fundraising, volunteer coordination and customer care. DeVore most recently served as the Community Engagement and Events Manager at the Greater Issaquah Chamber of Commerce and Event Director for the Salmon Days Festival. Her second passion, exceptional cuisine, was fulfilled by serving and event planning at Heirloom Cookshop in Snoqualmie, WA. Brenda has co-hosted on Evening Magazine and was featured in the Issaquah Sammamish Magazine, Macaroni Kids e-news and Issaquah Reporter. Her passion and tips for living a zero-waste lifestyle can be found in archived monthly articles for the Issaquah Highlands Connections newspaper Green Living section. Additional clients include Downtown Issaquah Association, Recology, The Shops at Swedish, Seattle Homes and Lifestyles Magazine, Fern Life Center, First American Title, Aveda Corporation and Issaquah Sammamish Magazine. When asked why Ellensburg? The enthusiastic response is the quality of life and the genuine people that have welcomed she and her family to this vibrant community. Outside of the office, Brenda, her husband Dave and two boys are avid outdoor enthusiasts and can be found biking, fishing, golfing, hunting, hiking and paddle boarding.