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Hailey Planning Department Announces LEED Professional Accreditation

(Hailey, Idaho) Mariel Platt, City of Hailey Planner since October 2007, has earned the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design Professional Accreditation. LEED Accredited Professionals have demonstrated a thorough understanding of green building practices and principles and the LEED Green Building Rating System.

The Mayor has declared the benefit this accreditation brings to the city, “Mariel has the expertise to review applications for LEED certified buildings submitted to the city for approval, as well as the knowledge to successfully steward city buildings through the LEED certification process.” The City of Hailey allows applications for projects eligible to be certified according to the LEED Rating System to be Fast Tracked through the city entitlement process.

LEED is an internationally recognized green building certification system, developed by the U.S. Green Building Council, providing third-party verification that a building or community was designed and built using strategies aimed at improving performance across all the metrics that matter most: energy savings, water efficiency, CO2 emissions reduction, improved indoor environmental quality, and stewardship of resources and sensitivity to their impacts.

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