

Kim Anderson
Small Utility Consultant - Environmental

Sandy, Oregon

Skills

- Board Administration
- Mediation and Facilitation
- Program Development and Management
- Community Relations
- Stakeholder Collaboration
- Small System Operation and Administration
- Policy Analysis and Development
- Technical Assistance and Training

Experience

Kim Anderson joined RCAC in 2023. She provides technical, managerial, and financial assistance to small, disadvantaged community water and wastewater systems so they can operate sustainably and deliver quality services to the communities served. She works closely with rural residents and local leaders to assist them to develop and manage water and wastewater systems. She also prepares and delivers training as needed to build the capacity of local partners.

Prior to joining RCAC, Ms. Anderson was the Government Relations Manager of a mid-sized drinking water utility in the Portland metropolitan area. She also served as the manager and operator of a community water cooperative in the Sandy, Oregon area. Ms. Anderson has 23 years of experience in the water industry including development and implementation of community engagement and low-income assistance programs, conducting salary surveys, and researching and developing policies, procedures, resolutions and ordinances. She has extensive experience with board operations and management and public records and meetings law. She is also experienced in risk management, providing engineering support services, emergency response planning, and legislative advocacy.

Education

Bachelor of Arts, Communication – Marylhurst University, Marylhurst, OR
Certificate in Conflict Resolution – Marylhurst University, Marylhurst, OR
Certificate in Business and Management – Marylhurst University, Marylhurst, OR