

My name is **Patty Hanson** and I live in Joe Rich with my husband Murray J Hanson, we have been married for 36 years. We owned and operated an orchard in East Kelowna for 22 years before moving to this serene part of Kelowna in 1997. We have 3 grown daughters and 4 grand children who are the light of our life. Family truly is everything and the joy that you experience cannot be described in any magnitude.

I am currently employed by *Canadian Blood Services* on a part time basis, I have worked for this company for 11 years and am a member of HEU, prior to that I was employed with *London Drugs* for 12 years where I was part of the Management team.

I have taken the *Super Host Program* and *Canadian Red Cross CPR* training and have been recertified with *St. John's Ambulance First Aid Training*. I have also done *Volunteer* work in the community and worked with the Mentally Challenged.

I served as *Regional District Director* for Central Okanagan East for two terms from 2002 to 2008, where I gained a ton of information and expertise on the Regional Board. I was active in both Ellison and Joe Rich and thoroughly enjoyed the experience. I had open communication with all areas that I represented and supported all of you on the Regional Board. While I was Director I sat on the *Governance Committee; Okanagan Regional Library; Transportation Committee and the Okanagan Basin Water Board*.

I ask that you Vote for **PATTY HANSON** on November 19, 2011 for REGIONAL DISTRICT DIRECTOR.