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## GCHD Environmental Health Specialist Retires after 30 Years

A heartfelt goodbye to Daniel Wilson, EH Specialist and Registered Sanitarian (RS).

MOSES LAKE, WA – Grant County Health District congratulates Daniel Wilson, Environmental Health Specialist, RS (Registered Sanitarian) on his well-earned retirement after 30 years of service with GCHD. Daniel worked across many Environmental Health programs, dedicating a majority of his time to our On-Site Septic System program - if you have installed a septic system in the last 3 decades, Daniel has likely reviewed your design and signed off on the final inspection! Daniel's efforts and commitment to Grant County Health District will leave a strong and lasting impact, continuing to benefit our communities for years to come.

During Daniel's 30 years of service with Grant County Health District he worked in every program under the Environmental Health umbrella and witnessed many changes from typewriters to tablets and memos to instant messages. He inspected food establishments, pools, schools, septic systems, public drinking water systems, and private wells. Over his career he reviewed hundreds of designs and plans, including not only onsite septic designs, but also food establishments, new schools, and drinking water systems, always through the lens of making Grant County a place to thrive and be healthy. Daniel's accomplishments and devotion to the health and safety of Grant County was inspirational, becoming a natural leader and partner to protect and improve our communities. He was a mentor for many people in the past 30 years who will carry on his legacy of commitment to improving public health.



Daniel leaves us with the following words of wisdom and encouragement, "We can't change the past and we don't have the ability to change the future. We can only create change in the moment of now. With enough meaningful now changes, our futures take care of themselves with good consequences".

The team at Grant County Health District wishes Daniel a happy and fulfilling retirement.

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