



Art Woolf

I have lived in Westford, where my wife and I raised our two children, for 40 years and have been a VEC member for that entire time. Before retiring in 2019 I spent my career in the economics department at UVM, where I started teaching in 1980.

In addition to my academic career, I spent three years as State Economist for Governor Madeleine Kunin during her last three years in office. I have also provided economic consulting services to state agencies, private companies, attorneys, and non-profit organizations.

My professional career as an economist gives me a good background to deal with current and future issues affecting VEC. Vermont public policy, and VEC's own goals, are moving the state and VEC members to an increasingly electricity-based economy for our transportation, heating and cooling, cooking, and other needs.

This major change in how we use energy and electricity will have significant impacts on VEC and its members. As we make these changes, we need to ensure that our electricity supply remains reliable, resilient, and as affordable as possible. My training as an economist will, I hope, provide a useful perspective on the VEC Board.

I am happy to discuss these and any other issues relevant to my candidacy for the VEC Board by phone at 802-879-1375 or email at awoolf@uvm.edu.