My name is Bob Choate and I am asking for your vote for a position on the OBOA. I
am a native of Alleghany County, growing up on our dairy farm on Hwy. 18 N.
graduated w/BA in Business Adm. from Mars Hill College
served 6yrs. in NC National Guard
Professionally I worked 27 yrs. at Western Carolina Center in Morganton NC as
Chief of Support Services. (responsible for departments: Business office,
Housekeeping, Dietary, Maintenance, IT, and Security. Extensive experience
on building new buildings and renovations.)
I concluded my 30yr. career in state government at Broughton Hospital
working in a similar position .
Served 20yrs. as a city councilman in Morganton, NC
Returned to Alleghany Co. to serve 4yrs. as Exec. of the Alleghany Chamber
of Commerce.

Clubs/honors

25 yrs. as a Rotarian served as president and received the Paul Harris Award.

Received the Order of the Long Leaf Pine, the highest award a civilian can receive in NC.

Currently my wife Mary and I live in Peachtree City GA. where I have served the last 21 yrs. on our HOA Bd. in various capacities . (we have 435 homes)

Mary and I purchased our home 12 yrs. ago at 192 Laurel Cottage Lane. We also were original social members when Olde Beau first opened. Rejoining again in 2011.

I would appreciate your support and would look forward to serving on the OBOA

W. Craig Greer Biography

Address: 15 Iris Drive, Roaring Gap

Current: Member of the OBOA

Chair, OBOA Architectural Review Committee

Professional Life:

Healthcare Operations Executive

2004 - 2019

Held various Executive Leadership positions with major Hospital Systems in Anchorage, AK; Roanoke, VA and Gastonia, NC. Experience included both hospital inpatient operations and outpatient services.

County Government Executive Management

1988 - 2004

Chief Executive for municipal county governments. Worked with elected boards of commissioners to effectively lead governmental operations in such areas as economic development, public works and emergency services.

Education:

Masters of Public Affairs, University of North Carolina at Greensboro Bachelor of Arts, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Community Boards and Activities:

United Way (past chair)
Alexander Co. Rotary
Region I Solid Waste Commission
Honorary Member Chickaloon Tribe
Youth Little League Coach (7 years)
Member, Crystal Spring Baptist Church

Mocksville Jaycees Smart Start (past vice-chair) Yadkin-Pee Dee River Basin Assoc. North Carolina Association of Counties Youth Basketball Coach (6 years)

Keli and I are year-round residents of Olde Beau and Alleghany County after having moved here in June of 2020. My goals as a board member are to: 1) make decisions that are in the best interest of our residents (whether full or part-time); 2) bring a planning/customer service outlook to everything we do; and 3) be an advocate for our facilities, services and all things Olde Beau. I thank each of you for this unique opportunity.