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Hello Everyone

The Glen Ellen Forum has made great strides since it's start:

- *we're an official 501(c)(3) non-profit, and can apply for county tax dollars via grants*
- *We have a number of active committees*
- *We have increased visibility and communication with county and local representatives*
- *Our website (WordPress based) has plenty of content and is growing*
- *Our Facebook page has 500 + followers*
- *And our email list has 600+ subscribers*

While I'm extremely proud of the Forum's accomplishments, after much consideration I have decided it is time for me to step down as chair. I believe I have brought it as far as I can after over one and half years as chair. The ideal person, with a positive attitude and full support, will be able to continue to bring the Forum forward and create a stronger community for everyone in the area.

I apologize if anyone feels let down by my decision, but I would be happy to share my personal reasons one-on-one with any of you.

Thank you

Michael