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Name:	Anne Wilkins
Equestrian interest:	Dressage
Previous Board / Committee experience:	<p>Current:</p> <p>Board member of EWA for nearly 2 years Board member for the Grains Industry Funding Scheme President of Moora Horseman's Association Treasurer for Badgingarra Primary School P & C</p> <p>Past:</p> <p>Secretary for Durack Division of the Liberal Party Grower Group Alliance Strategic Advisory Group member, 2015 to 2017 GRDC RCSN Geraldton member, 2012 -2015 Executive member of Oilseeds WA Association Executive member of Trade committee, Grains Industry Association WA (GIWA) Committee member of Grains West Expo</p>
Reason / objectives for interest in representing EWA on the Board of Directors or on a Committee:	<p>I am nominating for the Board of Directors as I am very passionate about the equine industry and the future growth and prosperity of the sport. I have ridden and competed all my life so I would like to contribute to the industry.</p> <p>I have significant experience in not-for-profit organisations and expertise in memberships, strategy, governance, corporate and industry partnerships, and fund raising. I also have good political connections through my role on the Durack Executive.</p>
Equestrian history:	<p>EWA member for 15 years Currently competing at medium dressage level Am just starting to compete in eventing and show jumping Breeding warmbloods – bred my current mare and did an embryo transfer with my mare in January 2019. Now have a 10 month old filly by Sir Donnerhall. Previously competed in many horse shows – hacking in Victoria, NSW and Qld. Was a pony club member in Melbourne for many years.</p>
Business experience:	<p>Currently a consultant in the agribusiness sector. Previously was a CEO for a local, not-for-profit grower group for 5 years. Won the WA Grower Group of the Year in 2017. Worked for the Department of Agriculture for 10 years in senior positions in Grains Industry Development, Market & Trade Development.</p>
General comments:	<p>November 2017 - Australian Institute of Company Directors Graduate, Perth September 2014 - Graduate Certificate in Rural Leadership, James Cook University, Qld November 2004 - Masters of Business (Agribusiness), Monash University, Melbourne November 1994 - Post Graduate Diploma in Agricultural Economics, University of New England, Armidale, NSW November 1987 - Agricultural Science degree, La Trobe University, Melbourne</p>