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Hello to all the membership!

I would like to inform you, the membership, that I have decided to announce my retirement. I will officially retire on August 17, 2023.

It has been an incredible journey as an employee of 32 years with the WSD and roughly 25 or 26 with my involvement in WANTE. From my first meeting in January of 1999 as a rep and various positions on Executive/Council to that of President twice. Once was not enough.....

I thank **you the membership** for allowing me to advocate on your behalf over those years. We won and lost some, such is the nature of the business.

I have had the pleasure of meeting many of you and some in difficult moments. It has given me great satisfaction that some have even turned to wonderful friendships.

Whatever the opinions or issues and all BS aside, it has been a privilege to represent you!!

I have full confidence in the new and upcoming Executive/Council to continue to represent the members' needs on behalf of the Association.

Brittany Morrison will step into the role of President on August 18, 2023, I wish her all the best in her new role. Brittany knows if needed I am but a phone call away.

As it reads on my emails...

Live Long...self-explanatory

And Prosper... at whatever brings you pleasure in life...." We only get one!"

Goodbye/Adeus!!!

**Luis Tome
Member of Wante**