

## Statement of Interest for the RSSAC Caucus

**Name:** Wes Hardaker

**Affiliation/Current Position:** PARSONS and B-Root RSSAC alternate

**Relevant Qualifications:**

- Author of some DNS(SEC) protocol specifications
- Decades of DNS operational experience
- A decade of experience developing DNS software
- B-Root operator
- Instructor of DNS and DNSSEC workshops and lectures

**Motivation:**

The entire Internet is dependent more on the DNS than any other global infrastructure. The successful and long-term viability of the DNS root is of critical importance, and I have strong commitments to ensure its operation remains stable.

**Availability:**

Fluctuates as needed from 5-10 hours a week up to a full 40 hours when required.

**Formal Roles and Interests in the Work of RSSAC:**

B-Root operator and alternate RSSAC representative