



CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ON ADVISORY BODIES

AGENDA

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2023

CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ON ADVISORY BODIES REGULAR MEETING – 5:00 PM

MEETING PARTICIPATION INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT THE END OF THE
AGENDA

CITY HALL
RIESLING ROOM
1052 S. LIVERMORE AVENUE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Livermore will convene a City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies special meeting on September 26, 2023, beginning at 5:00 pm, in the Riesling Room at 1052 S. Livermore Avenue.

This special meeting is being called by Mayor John Marchand. /s/ John Marchand

Ben Barrientos, Council Member
Robert W Carling, Council Member

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL

Council Member Ben Barrientos
Council Member Robert W. Carling

3. SPECIAL MEETING ITEM

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ON ADVISORY BODIES REGARDING THE SPECIAL MEETING ITEM WILL BE PROVIDED BY A COUNCIL MEMBER.

3.1 Approval of draft minutes - June 22, 2023 Special Meeting.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies approve the draft minutes.

Staff Report

Attachments:

[1. 2023-06-22 Draft Subcommittee Minutes](#)

3.2 Interview of applicants for appointment to the Livermore Airport Commission, the Livermore Housing Authority, and the Human Services Commission.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies interview applicants for the Livermore Airport Commission, the Livermore Housing Authority, and the Human Services Commission.

Staff Report

Attachments:

- [1. Keith Johns - Airport Commission](#)
- [2. Elizabeth McWhorter - Human Services Commission](#)
- [3. Darin Bishop - Airport Commission](#)
- [4. Marvin Evans - Livermore Housing Authority](#)
- [5. Carla Welch - Livermore Housing Authority](#)
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- [7. Madhavi \(Mini\) Chopra-Bhutani - Livermore Housing Authority](#)
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4. ADJOURNMENT

5. HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ON ADVISORY BODIES MEETING

You can participate in the meeting in a number of ways:

Comments are limited to one comment per person per item regardless of format or time submitted (this includes email and e-comment submissions prior to the meeting as well as live comments during the meeting).

Special Meetings, Workshops - The public will have the opportunity to address the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies regarding the item that is the subject of the special meeting or workshop. Public comments are limited to a maximum of 3 minutes per person.

Platforms to Participate in Meetings:

Submission of Comments Prior to the Meeting:

Email Comments may be submitted by the public to the City Clerk's Office (cityclerk@LivermoreCA.gov). Items received no later than 12:00 pm on the day of the meeting will be provided to the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies and available on the City website prior to the meeting. These items will NOT be read into the record.

eComments may be submitted by the public using the eComment link [here](#). Comments may be up to 1000 characters in length and will be accepted up until 4:00 pm the day of the meeting. These items will NOT be read into the record and are viewable by the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies and the public upon submittal.

Submission of Comments During the Meeting:

Speakers are limited to a maximum of 3 minutes per person. To submit a comment you must complete a speaker card for each item. Speaker cards are available in the City Hall lobby. Indicate on the card the item number you wish to comment on and submit the card directly to the City Clerk prior to the start of the item. Please note that the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies is prohibited by State law from taking action on any items that are not listed on the agenda. However, if your item requires action, the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies may place it on a future agenda or direct staff to work with you and/or report to the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies on the issue.

If you would like to deliver written materials to the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies as part of your public comments, and are commenting in person, please provide 3 copies to the City Clerk with your speaker card.

The City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies Agenda and Agenda Reports are prepared by City staff and are available for public review 72 hours prior to the City Council

Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies meeting in the Civic Center Library, 1188 South Livermore Avenue, Livermore, and at the City Clerk's Office, 1052 South Livermore Avenue, Livermore. The Agenda is also available on the City's website, <http://LivermoreCA.gov/agenda>.

Under Government Code §54957.5, any supplemental material distributed to the members of the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies after the posting of this agenda will be available for public review in the City Clerk's Office, 1052 South Livermore Avenue, Livermore, and included in the agenda packet available on the City's web site at <http://LivermoreCA.gov/agenda>.

PURSUANT TO TITLE II OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (CODIFIED AT 42 UNITED STATES CODE SECTION 12101 AND 28 CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS PART 35), AND SECTION 504 OF THE REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973, THE CITY OF LIVERMORE DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE ON THE BASIS OF RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, ANCESTRY, SEX, DISABILITY, AGE OR SEXUAL ORIENTATION IN THE PROVISION OF ANY SERVICES, PROGRAMS, OR ACTIVITIES. TO ARRANGE AN ACCOMMODATION IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PUBLIC MEETING, PLEASE CONTACT THE ADA COORDINATOR AT ADACOORDINATOR@LIVERMORECA.GOV OR CALL (925) 960-4170 (VOICE) OR (925) 960- 4104 (TDD) AT LEAST THREE (3) BUSINESS DAYS IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING.



**CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ON ADVISORY BODIES
STAFF REPORT**

ITEM NO. 3.1

DATE: September 26, 2023
TO: City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies
FROM: Marie Weber, Deputy City Manager/City Clerk
SUBJECT: Approval of draft minutes - June 22, 2023 Special Meeting.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies approve the draft minutes.

SUMMARY

DISCUSSION

ATTACHMENTS

[1. 2023-06-22 Draft Subcommittee Minutes](#)

Prepared by: Debbie Elam
Assistant City Clerk

Approved by:

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Marianna Marysheva
City Manager

Fiscal Review by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Tina Olson".

Tina Olson
Administrative Services Director

MEETING MINUTES



CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ON ADVISORY BODIES
June 22, 2023

SPECIAL MEETING

1. **CALL TO ORDER** – The meeting of the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies was called to order by Council Member Evan Branning at 5:01 pm.

2. **ROLL CALL** – Present: Council Member Robert Carling and Council Member Evan Branning, also in attendance Nancy Blair of LARPD, and Alexa Sumitra Commissioner LAYAC

3. **SPECIAL MEETING ITEM**

3.1 Approval of draft minutes – April 19, 2023 Special Meeting.

Recommendation:

Staff recommended the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies approve the draft minutes.

Council Member Branning opened the public comment period.

There were no speakers and the public comment period was closed.

3.2 Correction of appointment term for a member of the Commission for the Arts.

Recommendation:

Staff recommended the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies, approve changing the term for Commission for the Arts member Rajagopal Kowligi from an unexpired term ending January 1, 2025, to an unexpired term ending January 1, 2027.

Council Member Branning opened the public comment period.

There were no speakers, and the public comment period was closed.

ON THE MOTION OF COUNCIL MEMBER CARLING AND SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER BRANNING AND CARRIED ON A 2-0 VOTE THE CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTMENT BE EXTENDED.

3.3 Interview of applicants for appointment to City Advisory Bodies.

Recommendation:

Staff recommended the subcommittee interview applicants for the Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission

Council Member Branning opened the public comment period.

There were no speakers, and the public comment period was closed.

THE CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ADMINISTERED THE INTERVIEWS. THE FOLLOWING WERE RECOMMENDED FOR APPOINTMENT BY CITY COUNCIL:

Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission - 5 Youth Vacancies

Appointment to regular terms ending September 1, 2025

- Ashwin Guar
- Jessica Seburn
- Ojasvi Sharma
- Isha Sahu
- Adelyne (Addie) McMichael

4. ADJOURNMENT - at 5:48pm

City Council Rules of Procedure 7.10.2c

If no Council Members are eligible to approve the minutes for a City Council meeting, then the City Clerk shall attest to the accuracy of the meeting minutes and enter them into official minute books of the City Council.

ATTEST: _____

DEBORAH L. ELAM, ASSISTANT CITY CLERK



**CITY COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ON ADVISORY BODIES
STAFF REPORT**

ITEM NO. 3.2

DATE: September 26, 2023

TO: City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies

FROM: Marie Weber, Deputy City Manager/City Clerk

SUBJECT: Interview of applicants for appointment to the Livermore Airport Commission, the Livermore Housing Authority, and the Human Services Commission.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies interview applicants for the Livermore Airport Commission, the Livermore Housing Authority, and the Human Services Commission.

SUMMARY

The City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies will interview the applicants and make recommendations for appointment by City Council.

DISCUSSION

The City Council Subcommittee on Advisory Bodies will interview the following applicants and make recommendations for appointment by City Council:

Livermore Airport Commission 2 Vacancies (Pilot)

Regular terms ending November 1, 2027.

- Keith Johns
- Darin Bishop

Livermore Housing Authority 2 Vacancies (At-Large)

Regular terms ending January 1, 2028.

- Marvin Evans
- Wanda Thompson
- Carla Welch
- Madhavi (Mini) Chopra-Bhutani

Human Services Commission 5 Vacancies

Regular terms ending November 1, 2027.

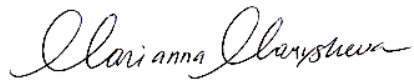
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Prepared by: Debbie Elam
Assistant City Clerk

Approved by:



Marianna Marysheva
City Manager

Fiscal Review by:



Tina Olson
Administrative Services Director

Advisory Body Application**Profile**

Keith

First Name

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Middle Initial

Johns

Last Name

Pronoun (s)

Email Address

Home Address

Suite or Apt

Livermore

City

CA

State

94550

Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

What district do you live in? (If you do not know, please use the locator map**here:**<https://www.livermoreca.gov/home/showdocument?id=9380&t=637980465688676789> *☒ District 4

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Airport Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

8

Do you work in Livermore?☒ Yes ☐ No

Self

Employer

Flight Instructor

Job Title

Education

High School Diploma - Mills High School, Millbrae CA 1989 Bachelor of Music - UC Santa Barbara, 1994

Master of Music - Northwestern University, 1995 Private Pilot - 2000 Instrument Rating - 2001

Commerical Pilot - 2002 Flight Instructor - 2009

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

8/7/2023

Question applies to Airport Commission

Are you a pilot?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to Airport Commission

Are you a tenant at the Livermore Municipal Airport?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

As a flight instructor and hangar resident I feel I can offer a unique perspective on the interests of the airport community and the relationship to the broader community. I would like to see better public education of the benefits the airport offers to our community and to help clear up much of the misinformation many community members have about how we operate.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your interpretation of the purpose of this Advisory Body. To learn more you may visit the website found here: <https://www.livermoreca.gov/departments/city-clerk/advisory-bodies>, then click the link on the left hand side and chose the Advisory Body you are interested in (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

The Advisory Body exists to serve the City Council on future development, promotes the Airport as an economic development tool and disaster recovery facility that benefits the Tri-Valley, and to advise the Airport staff on matters of safety, operational considerations, and noise abatement procedures, among other things.

Question applies to multiple boards

Review the City Council's 5-Year Strategic Plan (You may review them here: <https://www.livermoreca.gov/government/city-council/five-year-strategic-plan>) Briefly describe how you anticipate this Advisory Body will assist the City Council in implementing the plan. (If you are applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I feel the Airport Commission could be valuable in assisting the City Council in several key areas. 1. Economic, educational, and social benefits to the city through such proposals of new educational facilities at the airport linked to Las Positas College. 2. Disaster preparedness. If a major disaster occurs, the airport will be a key driver of relief efforts to our community. 3. Environmental Stewardship. Livermore Airport should be a leader in sustainability, through encouragement of transition to alternative fuels, to more solar projects on the airport, and beyond. The next 25 years will see a rapid change in air transportation and our airport should be a model for smaller airports to emulate.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I don't have any expectations other than learning as much as I can about what is going well, and how I can best serve the Advisory Board. I hope my perspective as a daily user of the airport as a flight instructor can bring insight into how we can engage the pilot community to support the current and future goals of the airport and change some hearts and minds of those that don't see what an asset it is to our broader community.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

It is my hope that the Advisory Board can assist the City with the implementation of some of the new proposed development projects and further development of better noise abatement implementation through better signage and pilot education. It is also my feeling that we can do a better job of educating the public about how pilots enter and use the traffic pattern, and what is and is not actually happening at the airport. There is so much misinformation in the broader community and the NIMBY's are controlling the narrative. We can change this.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

Honestly I am not familiar with the Youth Advisory Commission, but youth engagement is vital to our society. As a former music educator and current flight instructor I have spent over 25 years engaging with young people. I am currently active with our local EAA Chapter 663 at the airport, where we offer scholarships for young future aviators, first flights for youth through Young Eagles, and are currently building an aircraft with local kids interested in aerospace. You can find more information about these programs at <https://www.eaa663.org/young-aviators.html> I would love to find more ways to get young people involved at the airport.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

Upload a Resume

Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Other

Declarations

Appointment

I acknowledge that I may be recommended for appointed to any Advisory Body at the discretion of the City Council.

☒ I Agree

Personal Privacy

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☒ I Agree

Question applies to multiple boards

Please let us know if there is any kind of accommodation you require.

None. Thank you for your consideration.

Profile

Elizabeth _____ McWhorter _____
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Pronoun (s)

She/Her/Hers

Email Address

Home Address

Suite or Apt

Livermore _____
City

CA _____
State

94551 _____
Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

What district do you live in? (If you do not know, please use the locator map here: <https://www.livermoreca.gov/home/showdocument?id=9380&t=637980465688676789> *)

☒ District 2

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

6

Do you work in Livermore?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Las Positas College _____ Curriculum & Student Learning
Employer Outcomes Specialist
Job Title

Education

PhD Higher Ed Admin & Student Affairs, Indiana University Bloomington MA Ed Leadership & Admin program, Cal Poly SLO BA Political Science, Cal Poly SLO

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

All from Nov. '22 to Sept. '23

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

After serving for ~1 year on the HSC (completing a partial term), I'd like to continue my service. And previously, I was a Livermore arts commissioner. I've enjoyed both experiences. Also, I am a volunteer in the human services space; I am passionate about this work and I'm proud to serve on this advisory body and help better assess & address basic needs.

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I understand that this advisory body is a forum for discussing social and human service needs in Livermore -- supporting the work completed by local service agencies; submitting an annual report to City Council; advising on solutions to community needs; and recommending grant funds for nonprofits that provide services to low-income, senior, homeless, veteran & disabled neighbors. I see the grant priorities are public health, housing, homelessness, and safety net access.

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I anticipate this AB will assist the City Council in implementing these Goals and Priorities: "Homelessness and Affordable Housing" - Establish a homelessness strategy, engaging local partners to develop a coordinated response, and expand diversity of affordable housing opportunities. Also "Modernization, Training and Workplace Enhancements" - Develop a systematic approach to modernizing the City's aging business systems, reviewing processes for alignment with industry best practices, and providing our workforce with tools & training necessary to effectively deliver services to the community. It is clear that housing is a big focus, and housing needs are still great; as an AB, we can amplify this message/need. Also, there is strength in our commissioners/membership -- e.g., I work at and serve as a volunteer-leader at Las Positas College, our local community college, and we [and our CC District's Tri Valley Career Center] offer many opportunities for workforce development free of cost, including noncredit & apprenticeship programs; and support other basic needs via a mini market (daily free food for students), free professional attire for students (LAEP), and a monthly pop-up drive-thru food pantry "The Market" (open to all); and I help market and assist at LPC Veterans events (open to the community). LPC serves neighbors who are unhoused, foster youth, seniors, and veterans. There is potential for greater collaboration there.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

As a member of this AB, I expect to do the following: Serve on this advisory body on social conditions and make recommendations to City Council in the community (esp. low-income neighbors); advise Council on social needs that affect the delivery of human services and unmet needs; and advise Council on expenditure of funding from the US Dept of Housing & Urban Development (HUD), incl. the Community Devel. Block Grant Program & HOME Investment partnership. Embedded in these expectations/contributions is reviewing/rating HSC grant applications submitted by service providers.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

It is my hope that we can increase awareness of human services issues and better connect our unhoused and food-insecure neighbors with resources via our partnerships with and grant-funding of local human services agencies/nonprofits.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

The question states, "What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?" This does not seem to apply to me as stated. But if it's meant to be "commission" more generally, here: Ever since I was a kid, I have enjoyed helping others / neighbors in need, and I have never stopped lending a helping hand since K-12. Also, I'm rallying a new generation to take part as well (my own children & my 4-H'ers)!

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.



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N/A

RELATED SERVICE

- Commissioner, Human Services Commission**, Livermore CA Nov. 2022-Present
- Support housing security, review grant applications from service providers, etc.
- Volunteer, The Market** [pop-up food pantry], Las Positas College 2018-Present
- Help with setup, intake, food distribution, and cleanup. Partnership with Alameda Co. Food Bank.
- Member, Student Equity & Achievement Committee**, Las Positas College, Livermore CA Fall 2018-Present
- Promote equity & inclusion for students, including tri-hosting LPC's 1st Annual First Gen College Day
- Project Leader, Alameda Co. 4-H Teen Project**, CA AY 21-22 - Present
- Lead 4-H youth from Castro Valley, Dublin, Hayward, Livermore, Pleasanton, & Oakland – topics/activities include career exploration; socials; community service (Goodness Village; Kids Against Hunger)
- Scholarship Reviewer, Pedrozzi Scholarship Foundation**, Livermore CA 2018 cycle-Present
- Review/recommend scholarships for students via a grant management software by Foundant
- Commissioner, Commission for the Arts**, Livermore CA 2018-22
- Support the arts via city grants, high school art awards/scholarships, etc.
- Co-Advisor, Alameda Co. 4-H Teen Ambassadors**, Alameda Co. CA AY 21-22

RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

- Curriculum & Student Learning Outcomes Specialist**, Academic Services April 2021-Present
Las Positas College, Livermore CA
- *Program planning & implementation*: Coach faculty & program coordinators in developing/assessing Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) & Service Area Outcomes (SAOs), running reports for Program Reviews -- for continuous improvement of teaching & learning. Program Review Reader ('21-22, 22-23): Read Program Reviews in academic & student services areas; discuss w/ fellow readers & respective Dean
 - *Support IDEAA* (Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, Antiracism, Accessibility) & advancing curricula. Co-introduced Equity & Credit for Prior Learning (*incl. Credit by Exam*); building Equity & CPL into Curric-UNET, eLumen, & website; work w. sustainability interns/fellows on sustainability/EJ inventory [curricula items]
 - Highly knowledgeable about *CA Community College policies*; responsible for reporting curricula to CCCC
 - Prepare reports for *CLPCCD Board approval* (curriculum; Classified Senate); occasionally present too
 - *Special Project supporting diverse students*: Implementing Calif. AB 396 at LPC (AY 22-23). Pulled/submitted [to LPC Dean of Student Services & CCCC] a list of LPC academic programs qualifying as *LPIEs* (*Local Programs that Increase Employability*), ensuring CTE students become eligible for CalFresh benefits
 - *Accounting principles*: Wrote a Federal Work-Study position to assist with curriculum; co-negotiated the funding (2 funds); taught the FWS student how to do their timesheet; added FOAPs & signed off on TS's
 - Serve on committees: Student Equity & Achievement, President's Advisory Council on Race & Equity, hiring teams, UndocuAlly Task Force, Curriculum, SLO. Co-Advisor of Film Club [& co-wrote innovation *grant proposals*]. Help with events: Club Rush, conferences, Día de los Muertos festival (created and followed a *budget* for the mask station; instructed mask-making), film fests, welcome week, Earth Week
 - *Use/maintain info retrieval systems* (Banner, CurricUNET, eLumen, Chancellor's Off. Curriculum Inventory System)
 - *Supervised* a Fed Work Study student assistant in Spring 2022, incl. professional development / training / resource-sharing: connected to Tech Loan Program when his laptop crashed; sent LPC announcements; shared his exit-interview concerns w. Equity Director (impact of high gas prices; lack of interview attire)

Outreach Specialist – Career Technical Education, Academic Services
Las Positas College, Livermore CA

- Represented LPC career tech education programs in 10 CTE program areas; helped with ESL outreach too
- *Established cooperative relationships* (industry partners, arts consortia, festivals, small businesses, 4-H, high school counselors, Regional Occupational Programs, homeschool networks, chambers of commerce, Tri-Valley Ed Collaborative, Eden Housing communities, public libraries, Tri Valley Non Profit Alliance, etc)
- *Devised recruitment strategies* for high schools, continuation schools, adult ed, ROPs, Eden Housing communities, homeschool networks; & helped students matriculate to LPC via FastPass registration events
- Co-developed Year to Career (Y2C) guide versions 1 & 2; e-presented at 1st CLPCCD Y2C outreach event
- Co-led CTE Advisory Board meetings, hearing of trends from industry partner reps & needs from students
- Worked w. Ed Partnerships Manager on MACC adult school referrals & support of systems-impacted folks
- *Special Project supporting diverse students*: LPC Tech Loan Program (early pandemic: reported demand for free loaner laptops and WiFi hotspots; helped get the program going; refer students in need)
- *Special Project supporting diverse students*: COVID Emergency Student Outreach Team (Early on, reached out to LPC students whose instructors lost touch w. them; connected w. resources; complied w. FERPA)
- *Helped w. Early College Program activities*: CATEMA (Career and Technology Education Management Application articulation credit assistance); Middle College (LPC Career Ed program outreach/recruitment)
- *Use/maintain info retrieval systems* (ELENA, Google Suite [incl. Forms, Sheets], Handshake, ThankView)
- *Designed/administered survey*: LPC Commercial Music Survey of employers to inform curricula; analyzed data
- *Worked with the Arts & Humanities student assistant* on several projects; gave resume writing feedback
- Managed CTE A&H outreach budget (logo items, activity materials, decorations, event/booth fees, etc.)

Community Outreach & Development Coordinator [part-time]
Livermore Lab Foundation, Livermore CA

Nov. 2017-Sept. 2019

- STEM nonprofit: Fundraises, supports scientific advancement (partners: CSUEB, Congressman Swalwell's Office, Donor Network West, Girls Who Code, LLNL, LLL Women's Assoc., LPC, LVJUSD, UCOP, UC Merced)
- Managed socials: LLF Facebook, Twitter, eNews, website; & *used Hootsuite & Neon CRM info retrieval sys.*
- *Supported K-16 enrichment programs* (LLNL intern program; poster symposia; scholar-researcher roles)
- Co-led *fundraising* efforts to support internships (incl. meal stipends) for lower-income high schoolers
- Helped get this nonprofit startup off the ground; interviewed /helped select its first Executive Director

Equity/SSSP Interim Special Project Assistant [part-time], Student Services
Las Positas College, Livermore CA

Dec. 2018-May 2019

- Worked on *projects/programs/services for diverse students* (LGBT, low-income, BIPOC, parents, AB540)
- Attended committee/club meetings (incl. Program Review; ICC), gave input. Helped at campus events.
- Assisted Equity Director with writing the Equity Plan, pulling data, updating DI populations & language
- *Budget*: Did requisitions, honorariums (for Black History Month presenters), reconciled budgetary items – *fiscal record keeping* via Banner student info system software & a hard-copy binder for backup
- Took notes/captured data at Guided Pathways student focus group (Equity Director & a Counselor led)
- Brainstormed/researched innovative ideas & briefed Director, incl. career closet, student ambassadors

EDUCATION

PhD, Higher Ed & Student Affairs Admin (Public Admin Minor), Indiana University, Bloomington IN
M.A., Educational Leadership & Administration program, Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo CA
B.A., Political Science (Pre-Law focus, Spanish Minor), Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo CA

Profile

Darin R Bishop
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Pronoun (s)

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State

94550
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Question applies to multiple boards

What district do you live in? (If you do not know, please use the locator map
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☒ District 4

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Primary Phone

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Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Airport Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

32

Do you work in Livermore?

☐ Yes ☒ No

United Airlines Captain
Employer Job Title

Education

Bachelor of Science

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

8/7/23

Question applies to Airport Commission

Are you a pilot?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to Airport Commission

Are you a tenant at the Livermore Municipal Airport?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Desire to use my 4 decades of aviation experience to continue providing best possible advisory input to City Council so that Livermore Airport will always remain a vital and valued asset to both the city and the local aviation community.

Question applies to multiple boards

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Provide advisory input to City Council and Airport staff regarding matters concerning the airport and aviation related activities there.

Question applies to multiple boards

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I anticipate that the airport commission will continue to advocate for improvements to the airport that keep it much like it is now, a "small town" airport that is excellent for general aviation, flight training and local corporate aviation needs. Also for improvements that increase the ability of the airport to be useful from an emergency and public service standpoint. On the other hand, due to continued noise complaints, I also anticipate that the airport commission will continue to discourage addition noise sensitive residential development within the Airport Protection Area.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Attend meetings, continue to maintain contacts with airport businesses, tenants and pilots as well as trying to stay informed on all issues that pertain to the City of Livermore.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I have learned not to set expectations of outcomes in my position of Airport commission member, we are an advisory board, and the City Council, Airport Manager and staff always do what they decide to do.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

I am not applying to the Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

Upload a Resume

Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Other

Declarations

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

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Question applies to multiple boards

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none

Profile

Marvin Evans
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

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Question applies to multiple boards

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☒ District 3

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Primary Phone Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Livermore Housing Authority: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

6

Do you work in Livermore?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Northpointe Bank Area Manager
Employer Job Title

Education

Some College

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

August 9th, 2023

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I am currently serving on the board, and I would like to continue to serve a full term on the board.

Question applies to multiple boards

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To provide housing and housing help for very low-, low-, and moderate-income citizens of Livermore.

Question applies to multiple boards

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Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I will continue to serve and contribute to the committees I am currently serving.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

We are currently working on expanding our housing supply and issuing more vouchers.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

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How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Other

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Question applies to multiple boards

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Profile

Carla _____ Welch _____
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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Livermore Housing Authority: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

2

Do you work in Livermore?

☒ Yes ☐ No

ABODE _____ Outreach Navigator _____
Employer Job Title

Education

Currently Laney College social science associates. 10 years of nonprofit community experience.

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

09/13/2023

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Working with the community's that face the most disparities resonates strongly for me. I have lived experience as well as powerful success that would help me navigate and bridge the gaps with this sensitive population. I feel my career experience as a director of community programs, peer support specialist, and outreach navigator gives me an understanding that could strongly add to an already sterling and diverse advisory board.

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The purpose of this Advisory Body appears to be providing guidance, expertise, and recommendations on specific topics or issues to assist the Livermore Housing Authority in making informed decisions or policies.

Question applies to multiple boards

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To aid in the implementation of Livermore's Strategic Plan as a member of the advisory board, I will consider the following actions: 1. **Understanding the Plan:** Thoroughly familiarize myself with the Strategic Plan, including its community pillars, goals, and objectives. This will enable me to provide informed input and suggestions. 2. **Aligning Recommendations:** Ensure that any recommendations or advice I provide align with the goals and objectives outlined in the plan. My role is to support and enhance the plan's implementation, not deviate from it. 3. **Regular Monitoring:** I plan to stay updated on the progress of the plan's implementation by reviewing reports and updates provided by the responsible departments. This will help me identify areas where my advisory input could be valuable. 4. **Community Engagement:** Facilitate community engagement and input into the plan's execution. Gather feedback and suggestions from the community and present them to the advisory board for consideration. 5. **Resource Allocation:** Assist in making informed decisions regarding resource allocation. Help prioritize projects and initiatives that align with the plan's goals and long-term fiscal sustainability. 6. **Advocacy and Communication:** Advocate for the Strategic Plan's importance within the community and among stakeholders. Communicate its value and impact to ensure continued support. 7. **Collaboration:** Collaborate with other advisory board members and relevant stakeholders to ensure a cohesive approach to plan implementation. 8. **Evaluation and Feedback:** Continuously evaluate the progress of the plan and provide feedback on what's working well and what may need adjustment. Be open to adapting strategies as needed. 9. **Transparency:** Promote transparency by encouraging regular reporting on the plan's progress to the City Council and the community. 10. **Expertise:** because I have vast expertise in working with the population experience housing insecurities my insight becomes broadly relevant to the plan (e.g., sustainability, finance, community development), I offer my specialized knowledge to enhance decision-making. I believe my role on the advisory board is to act as a valuable resource and advocate for the successful execution of the Strategic Plan, ensuring it reflects the community's values and contributes to the city's long-term vision.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I expect to strengthen each link that builds the goals of our community's 5 year plan I have a ability to see the big picture at all times with attention to detail reducing problems in effectiveness in carrying out and implementing such plans.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

My expectations for the Housing Commission Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes include: 1. ****Affordable Housing Initiatives:**** Expectations of progress in developing and implementing affordable housing programs and policies to address housing affordability challenges in the community. We have a population of homeless that cause incampment litter in some of most beautiful natural spaces. I'd like to reclaim these space for the safety of our children and the our community. I believe forming an initiative were we can offer day labor stipend's to the homeless for litter pick up etc. This also creates a first step towards self-sufficiency. There are similar programs in other cities that have yielded successful results . I'm looking to bridge the gaps in how we can help the poor in our community by giving them the ability to show up. We're giving this money anyway through bus passes food etc.... Most homeless can't afford to even get to where are resources are for them. This lowers crime in the area and also meets this population where there at. In the urgency of daily needs. 2. ****Housing Policy Recommendations:**** Anticipate the advisory body to provide well-informed recommendations on housing-related policies and strategies that align with the city's goals. 3. ****Community Engagement:**** Expect efforts to engage the community, gather input, and ensure that housing decisions are inclusive and responsive to residents' needs. 4. ****Addressing Homelessness:**** Outcomes related to addressing homelessness issues, including strategies for shelter, support services, and housing for those experiencing homelessness. 5. ****Housing Equity:**** Expect a focus on promoting equity in housing, including initiatives to reduce housing disparities and improve access to safe and stable housing for all residents. 6. ****Data and Reporting:**** The advisory body should provide data-driven insights and regular progress reports on housing-related matters to inform decision-makers and the public. 7. ****Collaboration:**** Outcomes should reflect collaboration with other stakeholders, such as local government agencies, nonprofits, and developers, to advance housing solutions. 8. ****Advocacy:**** Expectations of advocating for funding and resources to support housing programs and projects that align with the commission's goals. 9. ****Policy Impact:**** Anticipate that the advisory body's work will have a meaningful impact on local housing policies and practices, that lead to improved housing conditions in Livermore. 10. ****Transparency:**** Outcomes should include transparent communication about the commission's activities, achievements, and challenges to build trust with the community. I believe my expectations reflect the overarching goals of the Housing Commission Advisory Body to address housing-related issues comprehensively and effectively within our community.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

Youth Safety: Promoting safety awareness and initiatives, such as anti-bullying campaigns, safe recreational spaces, and community policing, is vital. Social media bullying has been spilling over since children were stunted in community growth during the pandemic. I believe creating a team to intercede in the community as a response to stop violence is necessary. There has been a spike in fights as well as self-harm. Whether it be through overdosing or suicide the depression and isolation is a silent killer. The youth community needs more light shed on it. I believe that just having one police officer is inadequate I believe that having only one school liaison is just too much for one officer to handle. I also feel that criminalizing as reaction means we waited too long as adults to respond. Instead teaching social skills creating supportive kindness culture for the youth should be broadened. Ben's Bells is an award system used in many other communities to award better behaviors. This system awards youth. This is just one possible approach . I'd like to see a call of action from our youth commission. I believe a focus group's could be a step in the right direction to gaining strategy in this area. I'd like to bring this to the agenda.

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How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Newspaper ad

Declarations

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CARLA WELCH



PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Conscientious professional with extensive experience advocating for social and economic well-being of individuals and families. Skilled at providing guidance, support and assistance. Strong communication and management skills and committed to inspiring community service.

SKILLS

- Report Preparation
- Needs Assessment
- Business Development
- HIPAA Guidelines
- Public Outreach
- Schedule Management
- Resource Advocacy
- Community Health Improvement

WORK HISTORY

Outreach Navigator, 08/2023 - Current

Abode Services – Tri-Valley Area, CA

- Provide direct outreach to community members facing housing insecurity in the Tri-Valley Area.
- Coordinate individual referrals to obtain community services, advocate for client needs and resolve roadblocks.
- Partner with local organizations and government agencies to expand access to social and community services.
- Analyze trends and data to inform decision-making and program development.
- Implement strategies to increase public awareness of social and community service programs.

Community Health Worker, 12/2020 - 06/2022

Roots Community Health Center – Oakland, CA

- Collaborated with external organizations to coordinate health and social services for community members impacted by housing insecurity.
- Developed and maintained relationships with community partners to build program scope and improve health outcomes.
- Addressed patient concerns and provided support to vulnerable demographics.
- Provided crisis intervention and supportive counseling services to assist clients facing issues and problems.

Director of Community Programs, 01/2021 - 01/2022**Resilience Project – Oakland, CA**

- Conducted community workshops to promote economic and emotional self-empowerment to victims of sex-trafficking.
- Demonstrated extensive knowledge of recovery and wellness principles and facilitated therapeutic, peer-support groups.
- Assisted individuals in identifying and re-engaging with family, friends and other natural supports to build support system.
- Fostered relationships with partner agencies and other interested parties to build pipeline of supportive services.

Bartender and Server, 01/2017 - 01/2019**Counter Burger – Pleasanton, CA**

- Upsold high-profit items such as appetizers and mixed drinks to enhance sales numbers.
- Worked with POS system to place orders, manage bills, and handle complimentary items.
- Seated customers in timely manner by managing reservations and waitlists skillfully.
- Followed health and safety protocols crucial for maintaining safe and sanitary environments for customers and staff.

Business Development Consultant, 10/2010 - 02/2017**Diamond Chef Co – Pleasanton, CA**

- Planned marketing initiatives and leveraged referral networks to promote business development for restaurants facing bankruptcy.
- Met with current clients to assess needs and develop improvement plans.
- Improved bottom-line profitability by growing customer base and capitalizing on upsell opportunities.
- Communicated with local organizations to build networks and develop leads.

EDUCATION

Associate of Science: In Progress - Social Sciences: 06/2022**Laney Community College - Oakland, CA**

Advisory Body Application**Profile**

WANDA

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THOMPSON

Middle Initial

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Livermore Housing Authority: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

37 YRS

Do you work in Livermore?☒ Yes ☐ No

PREFERRED BROKERS

Employer

VICE PRESIDENT - CO
OWNER

Job Title

Education

License Realtor and Mortgage Broker - worked with several cities under the BMR programs, helped senior's, veterans, first time buyers for the past 37 years, familiar with HUD housing and programs.

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

will attend Sept Meeting

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

My interest is helping people improve their quality of life. I believe with my years of experience in helping families with affordable housing, assisting with their possible means for grants, and other options for individuals as well as families would make me an asset to this committee. I have taught many first time buyer classes through HUD in different counties. Also I'm particularly familiar with HUD and BMR guidelines.

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My years of experience could be an asset especially helping the low income housing, senior housing as well as affordable housing - familiar with HUD and Veterans Housing programs.

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Be a part of the Community Support with housing - a General Plan as well as financial needs - find out what the community needs are and/or concerns about affordable housing. Educate the community about what Livermore's 5 year plan strategic plan is.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

My expectations is to educate the community that Low income housing does not impact certain neighborhoods, educate our First Responders, Teachers, City workers that they too can live in the city that they work in. Show other resources that are available - helping out with rent payments or behind in their mortgages.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Expectations....educate the community more about affordable housing and low income housing how it helps a city thrive as well as giving the opportunity for families to live here and/or perhaps work here. When the communities here about low income housing - most panic - educate the community is important.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

I raised two boys in the Livermore Community and was on several boards. Getting the youth more involved in the community would show more appreciation on where they live. Like cleaning up graffiti, mentoring a youth in need.

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How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Other

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Profile

Madhavi ("Mini")
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☒ District 1

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Livermore Housing Authority: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

5

Do you work in Livermore?

☐ Yes ☒ No

None
Employer

Foreign Attorney
Job Title

Education

LL.M. (Santa Clara University); LL.B. (Honors).

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

October 11, 2023

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I've been a renter and a homeowner, both, in the Tri-Valley Area. I deeply feel the blessing of having a consistent roof over one's head and the crucial role it plays toward keeping families integrated and raising children in a stable environment. If allowed an opportunity to serve, I'm excited to learn how the Livermore Housing Authority (LHA) works at the grassroots to help administer various Federal and State Government's low-income housing programs and initiatives. I am excited to learn how the LHA partners with other public and private agencies to further and actualize its goal of enabling access to public and affordable housing to at-risk individuals and families. I am also very keen to learn about the public outreach programs the LHA is currently running toward protecting the rights of tenants and landlords in Livermore's. I am curious to learn what role, if any, the Livermore Housing Authority plays in facilitating public access to official sources of information related to affordable and public housing programs and policies.

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As I understand, the role of the Livermore Housing Authority (LHA) lies at the foundation of various Government programs and initiatives, including the federally-funded Housing Choice Voucher Program Section 8. Being a grassroots-level Government agency, the LHA plays a very important role in advising the City Council of Livermore on public policy relating to housing and inclusion, and also by helping the City Government in mobilizing their housing related resources to at-risk individuals and families - specifically, at-risk elders, disproportionately-burdened single parents, and the differently-abled - for whom the various affordable and public housing programs are designed.

Question applies to multiple boards

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Goals 7 to 9 the City of Livermore's Citywide Strategic Plan (2023-2028) directly and explicitly relate to public access to and inclusion in housing in Livermore. Because the Livermore Housing Authority is, literally, the gatekeeper to various Government-sponsored housing vouchers and housing subsidies in Livermore, it must leverage from its presence as a grassroot-level public agency as well as from its partnerships with other local bodies to advise the City Council of Livermore and facilitate the City of Livermore in achieving Goals 7 to 9 of the Citywide Strategic Plan.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Studies and statistics indicate that high and unaffordable rents are often precursors to homelessness - a state of being, sometimes so chronic, that it leads to disintegration of the family unit. When families disintegrate, children suffer the most. As a member of the Livermore Housing Authority (LHA), I would like to dedicate my energy toward pushing for policies that make rents affordable and housing accessible to especially the most vulnerable among us - women, single mothers, differently-abled, and elders. I would like to proactively endorse policies that give a fair opportunity of home-ownership and equitable access to housing to all, particularly to those individuals (for example, teachers and first-responders) who daily commute long hours to come to work at Livermore's various big and small businesses for jobs that do not pay them adequately to sustain in the Bay Area's continuously skyrocketing cost of living. In past years, the City Council of Livermore has faced enormous resistance, including costly litigation and mass signature petition for a potential referendum, from some in the community who oppose public and affordable housing developments because they do not want to share their neighborhoods and prime commercial space (the Downtown) with low-income individuals and families. If allowed an opportunity to serve, I will push for the Livermore Housing Authority to leverage on its resources to disseminate accurate and official sources to community members and citizens, so that they can make informed voting choices with regards to all equity and inclusion initiatives that address housing insecurity in our City. Last, I also expect to use my background in law to read and interpret housing statutes and policies in a manner that furthers the goals and objectives of the LHA and the City of Livermore's Citywide Strategic Plan (2023-2028).

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Being a Livermore resident for the past seven plus years, I already see a lot of positive change in the process. The City of Livermore's past recognition as the 2021 All-America City reflects very positively on the collaborative role that our City's grassroots-level agencies, such as the Livermore Housing Authority (LHA), play to enable and support the City's various equity and inclusion initiatives. As a housing advocate, my biggest moral boost, lately, has been to see the City of Livermore prevail in courts of law (third-party) in unreasonable lawsuits filed to thwart their crucial and high-stake housing projects like the Eden Downtown Housing Project. It is my expectation that LHA's decisions and public outreach programs should be consistent with, and in furtherance of, the goals and vision of our current General Plan and the Citywide Strategic Plan (2023-2028). It is also my expectation that the LHA leverages on its position to engage variously with the community - for instance, encouraging community members to participate in and bring their questions and concerns to the monthly public meetings; creating more creative channels to filter correct and accurate sources of information that our community members should have access to, so that they can make informed and better choices as voters and stakeholders, etc.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

This question does not relevant to me as I am not applying for the Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

Upload a Resume

Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Newspaper ad

Declarations

Madhavi ("Mini") Chopra-Bhutani

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

Personal Privacy

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☒ I Agree

Question applies to multiple boards

Please let us know if there is any kind of accommodation you require.

Profile

Madhavi ("Mini")
First Name

Chopra-Bhutani
Last Name

Pronoun (s)

She/Her

[Redacted]
Email Address

[Redacted]
Home Address

[Redacted]
Suite or Apt

Livermore
City

CA
State

94551
Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

What district do you live in? (If you do not know, please use the locator map here: <https://www.livermoreca.gov/home/showdocument?id=9380&t=637980465688676789> *)

☒ District 1

[Redacted]
Primary Phone

[Redacted]
Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

7

Do you work in Livermore?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Self-Employed
Employer

Legal Consultant
Job Title

Education

Masters in Law (LL.M.)

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

October 10, 2023

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

If allowed an opportunity to serve, I'm excited to learn how the Human Services Commission (the "Commission") works at the grassroots to utilize and disburse the various public and private fund grants it receives for the community. I am excited to learn how the Commission partners with other public and private businesses to further and actualize its goal of enabling access to human services to at-risk individuals and families. I am also very keen to learn about any public outreach programs the Commission is currently running for the greater common good of our community in Livermore. I am curious to learn what role, if any, the Commission plays in facilitating public access to official sources of information related to their diverse human services initiatives.

Question applies to multiple boards

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As I understand, the role of the Human Services Commission (the "Commission") lies at the foundation of the various public and private fund grants it receives to further public access to human services in our community. Being a grassroot-level Government agency, the Commission plays a very important role in advising the City Council of Livermore on public policy relating to human services and on how to enable the most optimal public and private partnerships to strengthen and support access to these human services.

Question applies to multiple boards

Review the City Council's 5-Year Strategic Plan (You may review them here: <https://www.livermoreca.gov/government/city-council/five-year-strategic-plan>) Briefly describe how you anticipate this Advisory Body will assist the City Council in implementing the plan. (If you are applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Goal 8 of the City of Livermore's Citywide Strategic Plan (2023-2028) directly and explicitly sets out the expectations that City Council of Livermore's has the Human Services Commission (the "Commission"). The Commission should, at all times, strive for the greater common good. Being a grassroots-level Government agency and in furtherance of the Livermore Citywide Strategic Plan (2023-2028), the Commission should play a proactive role in advising the City Council of Livermore on public policy relating to access human services, and on ways to obtain more funding and grants, and on how to enable the most optimal public and private partnerships to strengthen and support access of community members to human services.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Studies and statistics indicate that a high cost of living is the most inevitable precursor to a poor and unstable quality of life, and to the most vulnerable among us falling through the cracks. As a member of the Human Services Commission (the "Commission"), I would like to dedicate my energy toward pushing for policies that make housing services affordable and housing accessible, specifically to the most vulnerable and typically marginalized among us - elders, disproportionately-burdened parents, and the differently-abled.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I reckon the Goodness Village at the CrossWinds Church and the launch of the 19,000 square feet Open Heart Food Bank facility as among the City of Livermore's greatest success stories in providing access to human services. Our City has done very well and I feel very proud as a citizen and stakeholder. My expectation from the Human Services Commission (the "Commission") is to advise the City Council of Livermore on ways to incentivize our private community partners and to establish the best practices in disbursing precious grants and resources for our community in Livermore. My hope and expectation is that Livermore leads other Bay Area cities in creating and sustaining the best model of governance when it comes to helping, capacity-building, and empowering our residents and business providers with access to human services.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

This question is not relevant to me as I am not applying for the Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

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Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

None Selected

Declarations

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

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☒ I Agree

Question applies to multiple boards

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Profile

Marc Ross
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Pronoun (s)

he/him/his

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[Redacted]
Home Address

[Redacted]
Suite or Apt

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State

94550
Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

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☒ District 1

[Redacted]
Primary Phone

[Redacted]
Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

6

Do you work in Livermore?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Covered California Health Program Specialist I
Employer Job Title

Education

See resume.

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

I'm a member of HSC.

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I wish to continue my work I'm currently doing on the HSC.

Question applies to multiple boards

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The HSC advises the City Council on human services being provided throughout the city, as well as advocates on behalf of those citizens receiving the services provided. We also have a responsibility that the public money being used is directed properly to the proper grant applicants and that the money is being properly allocated to the resources agreed to in their contracts.

Question applies to multiple boards

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We will work closely with the staff of Community Development as it pertains to Goal 8.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I plan on continuing my advocacy for our unsheltered and providing those who need resources the avenues with which to get them in a timely, compassionate and empathetic way. We as a community are lucky in that regard because we have really committed and experienced providers, but there is always rooms for growth and improvement. I look forward for our city having expanded resources with Vineyard 2.0.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

This is a good question and one I think about often. I don't know of a good measurement for success or accomplishment. Perhaps our greatest success will be the day we do not need such a body in our government.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

This question is not relevant to my application.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.



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Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Other

Declarations

Marc Ross

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

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Question applies to multiple boards

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None.

MARC ROSS

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Covered California, Health Benefits Exchange [HBEX] – Sacramento, California

Outreach and Sales Health Program Specialist I

July 2023 – Current

Bay Area/NorCal Field Representative and previously LA Field Representative

December 2015 – July 2023

- Act as area liaison between Covered California and enrollment partners (Certified Application Entities, Navigator Grantees, and Certified Insurance Agents); local, state and federal elected officials; local and state government agencies; qualified health plans [QHPs] and qualified dental plans [QDPs]; and other stakeholders. Assist with strategies on enrollment and retention; provide education and supportive services and technical assistance. Work with many different internal departments for resolutions and research
- Plan biannual kickoff events with upwards of 350 stakeholders. Responsible for securing donated event spaces in partnership with local community partners and developing content for presentations. Transitioned to online during COVID. Team awarded a “Summit Award”, our agency’s highest award, for our effort in 2019
- Fulfill speaker requests for public panels and perform other public speaking events on program and policy updates
- Monitor enrollment network and report on technical issues found within CalHEERS
- Evaluate QHP and QDP applications on marketing and sales for certification into marketplace
- Responsible for researching, monitoring and improving Help On Demand and Storefront programs
- Provide feedback to senior and executive management on suggestions for program improvements
- Assist with administrating Marketing, Outreach, and Enrollment Assistance [MOEA] Advisory Group

Richard Heath and Associates [RHA], Health Benefits Exchange [HBEX] – Fresno, California

Contracted Compliance Representative & Grant Field Monitor

February 2014 – November 2015

Grant Field Monitor:

- Assisted in the implementation of the Covered California Navigator Grant program by overseeing a portfolio of 5 Grantees totaling \$1.74 million in public grant funding. All 5 Grantees met program goals and requirements
- Ensured quality program delivery and effectiveness by regularly meeting with Grantees to discuss campaign plans, staffing plans, program budgets and compliance
- Identified local events and coordinated with both the Grantees and outside organizations to expand outreach efforts

Compliance Representative:

- Monitored and audited enrollment entities for Covered California, complying with all federal and state regulations
- Assisted in development of quality assurance database, cataloging deficiencies of enrollment entities on a statewide level and submitted weekly incident reports
- Wrote policies and procedures for newly formed compliance unit

United Farm Workers — Los Angeles, California

Policy Intern

Nov. 2010 – Nov. 2011

- Represented the interests of farm workers on the Los Angeles Food Policy Council (LAFPC)
- Coordinated with stakeholders and members of the LAFPC to collaborate on UFW initiatives
- Researched food procurement policies of major U.S. cities and assisted in developing LAFPC protocols

Downtown Women’s Center — Los Angeles, California

Nutritional Specialist

Sept. 2008 – Dec. 2009

Promise Jobs Culinary School — New Brunswick, New Jersey

Chef Instructor

June 2007 – June 2008

EDUCATION

California State University, Long Beach, CA, Master of Public Administration**Rutgers University**, New Brunswick, NJ, Bachelor of Arts in History/Political Science**Culinary Institute of America**, Hyde Park, NY, Associate of Baking and Pastry**VOLUNTEER WORK**

Livermore Human Service Commission, Commissioner 2019 – Current, Chair January 2022 – February 2023**Interfaith Housing**, Board Member 02/2023 – Current

Advisory Body Application**Profile**

Prateek

First Name

Gupta

Last Name

Middle Initial

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State

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Question applies to multiple boards

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Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

2

Do you work in Livermore?☒ Yes ☐ No

Self-Employed

Employer

Senior Product Marketing
Manager

Job Title

Education

Attended San Jose State University for engineering and MIT for Management.

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

09/12/2023

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I'm interested in serving on the Human Services Commission for the City of Livermore, CA advisory board because I have a strong passion for making a positive impact on our community. Specifically, I'm deeply committed to improving the lives of children and families in our city. Over the years, I've witnessed the importance of accessible and effective human services in supporting vulnerable populations. I believe that by serving on this commission, I can actively contribute to creating a better quality of life for residents, particularly children who are often the most affected by the decisions made in our community. My previous experience as SJC Airport Commissioner has provided me with valuable insights into the needs of our community members and how we can address these needs through various programs and initiatives. I am enthusiastic about collaborating with other commission members, local organizations, and government agencies to develop and implement strategies that enhance the overall well-being of Livermore's residents. In summary, my interest in serving on the Human Services Commission is driven by a genuine desire to make Livermore a more inclusive and supportive place for all its residents, with a particular focus on the well-being of children. I am eager to contribute my time, skills, and dedication to this important mission.

Question applies to multiple boards

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I want to help the people in Livermore, CA. I care about making our community better for everyone, especially children. Being on the Human Services Commission can let me do that.

Question applies to multiple boards

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Skill development, Local entrepreneurship will be my top priorities.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I will focus on providing skill development programs for our work force for better opportunities.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I would like the board to be active towards community betterment and making sure everyone who works in Livermore have a voice.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

I want to help the people in Livermore, CA. I care about making our community better for everyone, especially children. Being on the Human Services Commission can let me do that.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

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Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Newspaper ad

Declarations

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

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☒ I Agree

Question applies to multiple boards

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None!



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ATTACHMENT 10

CONTACT



DEVELOPER CONTENT &
RELATIONS CHAMP

WORK EXPERIENCE

Head of Developer Relations | FEB 2023 - JUL 2023

Vaticle.com | San Francisco

- I have helped produced videos courses, conducted webinars and field marketing tasks
- Scaled the blogs from 2/month to 10/month
- Grew our Slack community to 12,000 from 8,000
- Helped with TypeDB.com branding and GTM messaging & Strategy

Developer Marketing Lead | July 2022 - DEC 2022

MinIO | San Francisco

- In the last 6 months, I have helped produced over 40 videos for our YouTube.com/@MinIO.
- Scaled the blogs from 4/month to 18/month.
- Grew our Slack community to 22,000 from 16,000.
- Got the partner marketing & PRs for our 1Bn docker pulls and re-did the docs.

Head of Developer Content | OCT 2019 - JUN 2022

Consulting - QuestDB, Fossa, Ankr, Near | San Francisco

I am leading the marketing at large at Hack.VC portfolio companies. I am building the content machine, documentation, and managing the entire product marketing tasks.

- Redesigned the website for Enterprise Customers
- Created over 50 tutorials & launched a community webinar
- Grew the site credibility in Database ranking on the entire web
- Brand & Messaging for Product Pages and different campaigns

Dir. of Developer Content | JUN 2018 - OCT 2019

Pusher.com | San Francisco/London

I lead the developer marketing efforts to increase our brand awareness in the enterprise developer community.

- Grow 72,000 organic views/month to 500,000/month
- Produced over 200 technical tutorials with community
- Resulted in 6000 monthly organic signups with content
- 40% of customers came from organic content
- Successfully launched 2 products with GTM, Demos, Sales Docs

Director of Developer Content | JUN 2015 - MAR 2018

Pluralsight.com | San Francisco (Remote)

I lead Pluralsight.com/guides from concept, creation, launch & scaling to more than 1 million page views with 80% Organic Web Traffic

- Recruited & managed technical authors from around the world to create high quality tutorials for developers.
- Published over 200 tutorials
- Created boardroom presentations and sales documentation

EXPERTISE

Product Marketing
Paid Marketing Campaigns
Online & Offline Ads
GTM Strategy
Product-led Content
Sales Enablement
B2B & B2D Marketing
Content Production
Developer Marketing
SEO based Organic Growth
Technical Editing & Writing
Content Strategy
Digital Marketing
Product Landing Pages
Product - Video Courses
Community Building
Virtual Events & Webinars

EDUCATION

Massachusetts Institute of
Technology
San Jose State University

REFERENCE



PREVIOUS COMPANIES

COO at Airpair.com (YC)

Advisory Body Application**Profile**

Gregory

First Name

P.

Middle Initial

Scott

Last Name

Pronoun (s)

He/Him

Email Address

Home Address

Suite or Apt

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CA

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Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

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Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

8

Do you work in Livermore?☒ Yes ☐ No

Self-Employed

Employer

Gardener/Maintenance/Labor

Job Title

Education

B.S. Plant Science. College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, University of California Davis.

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

February 2018 to March 2020 I missed very few meeting between those dates.

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I was continuously homeless in Livermore and the Livermore vicinity for 6 years 9 months (10/1/2015 to 6/21/2022). I survived 27 months of the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic while homeless. While homeless I attended most Human Services Commission meetings from February 2018 to March of 2020 before the pandemic lock down. I spoke on homelessness at the City of Livermore City Council meetings at the Community Forum from late September 2017 to early March 2020. I missed two of those meetings in between.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your interpretation of the purpose of this Advisory Body. To learn more you may visit the website found here:<https://www.livermoreca.gov/departments/city-clerk/advisory-bodies>, then click the link on the left hand side and chose the Advisory Body you are interested in (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

A lot of the purpose of the Human Services Commission seemed to me to be to distribute grant monies to various groups. This seems a logistical challenge given the limit to the funding.

Question applies to multiple boards

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If one of the City of Livermore's goals is diversity, I ask: "How many that have been on the Human Services Commission have been homeless?"

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

The Human Services Commission and the attendant organizations need to realize that there needs to be a change to the approach of fundamentally solving homelessness and the housing crisis.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I have to have an open mind here. To set expectations or outcomes is not having an open mind. The current approach to homeless is not fundamentally solving the problem. Far too many resources are going to far too few. I strive to have an open mind. Do you all?

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

Upload a Resume

Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Newspaper ad

Declarations

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

Question applies to multiple boards

Please let us know if there is any kind of accommodation you require.

Only as I have for you all - respect.

Advisory Body Application**Profile**

Michael

First Name

Pereira

Middle Initial

Last Name

Pronoun (s)

Email Address

Home Address

Suite or Apt

Livermore

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94550

Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

What district do you live in? (If you do not know, please use the locator map**here:**<https://www.livermoreca.gov/home/showdocument?id=9380&t=637980465688676789> *☒ District 4

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

16

Do you work in Livermore?☐ Yes ☒ No

Veeva

Employer

Systems Administrator

Job Title

Education

Associate Degree

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

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Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I'm currently the President for St Michael's St Vincent De Paul Society Conference which serves those in need with food and financial help; clearly can see their is a need to improve those who have lower income that live in our community. I do also coordinate and partner with City Serve and Tri Valley Seek and Save when we support individuals in tough economic situations.

Question applies to multiple boards

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To better serve the community in terms of affordable housing , providing better support and resources for low income individuals and families.

Question applies to multiple boards

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The Human Services Commission advisory board will certainly contribute to goals seven and eight for the "Safe Community" pillar in terms of better housing and coordinating support with non profits. In addition, the "Economy that Prospers" pillar goals two and three by implementation of supporting business growth . We should also consider a training programs for our potential community labors needing skills for certain jobs for the businesses that operate in Livermore. Finally for the pillar "A City that Works", goal four to work with other agencies from other levels of government. In addition the media to promote what has been accomplished so far in Livermore. My observation compared to other nearby cities we have done improvements for homelessness. One example is the tiny home units at Goodness Village; certainly Livermore supported this project and could do more to promote these improvements publicly.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

My expectation is to serve the community by action and hopefully produce results that improve those which economically challenged in our community

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Similar to my expectations, to make a difference for those who are struggling economically and provide more opportunity and security for Livermore community. The goal would be a to make it well balance environment for all residents.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

Upload a Resume

Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Word of Mouth

Declarations

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

Personal Privacy

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☒ I Agree

Question applies to multiple boards

Please let us know if there is any kind of accommodation you require.

Advisory Body Application**Profile**

Maxwell

First Name

Nelson

Middle Initial

Last Name

Pronoun (s)

He/Him

Email Address

Home Address

Suite or Apt

Livermore

City

CA

State

94550

Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

What district do you live in? (If you do not know, please use the locator map**here:**<https://www.livermoreca.gov/home/showdocument?id=9380&t=637980465688676789> *☒ District 3

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

1.5

Do you work in Livermore?☐ Yes ☒ NoCalifornia Community Colleges
Chancellor's Office

Employer

Legislative Analyst

Job Title

Education

Santa Clara University School of Law (J.D.); University of Minnesota (B.A., Political Science)

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

09/13/2022

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I am passionate about public service and am seeking opportunities to contribute to my local community. I have extensive history working in disability services prior to attending law school, which provides me some familiarity with human services related issues. I believe my work and education history would be an asset to the Commission while providing me opportunities for growth and greater connectivity to the Livermore community.

Question applies to multiple boards

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The Human Services Commission advises the City Council on social services and need in the local community by receiving assessments of those needs from city staff and other local NGO agencies. The Commission works with agencies and grantees to develop and evaluate strategies for addressing social needs in the community. The Commission also serves as a venue for residents to discuss issues affecting social conditions in the Livermore community.

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One of the Community Pillars of the Five Year Strategic Plan is supporting a Safe Community that Thrives. This Pillar includes several goals, including Goal 8, Expand and Improve Access to Human Services, which connects directly to the work of the Human Services Commission. Among other goals, including those in other Pillars such as the Economy That Prospers Pillar, implementation will be helped by the Human Services Commission through its planning and direct action toward accomplishing the objectives of the goals. For example, the Human Services Commission plays a leading role in taking on Objective #1 in Goal 8 of the Safe Community that Thrives Pillar by working with organizations to ensure Livermore's residents have access to needed services. Other Pillars may implicate the work of the Human Services Commission to the extent the Commission's work can support the goals. For example, the Human Services Commission's work affects the Economy That Prospers Pillar by providing residents the services often necessary to transition into wage-earning work.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I expect to be among intelligent and dedicated commissioners and city staff who believe in and advocate on behalf of the importance of human services to city residents. I believe my education and background will allow me to contribute thoughtful and analytical participation that will look at the whole of all issues to problem-solve. I look forward to engaging with other Commission members, city staff, community members, and representatives from organizations to learn and understand the issues affecting social need in Livermore. To that end, I will further contribute with patience, attention, and collaboration with the many stakeholders who support the work of the Human Services Commission.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I expect the Human Services Commission's accomplishments or outcomes relate to its ability to support work that meets social needs of Livermore's residents, whether that include housing, hunger, mental health, and other basic needs supports. The Human Service Commission's work is successful when it leads to real tangible impacts on the ground that improve the social conditions and wellbeing of those who most need and rely upon city or other government services. My contributions to the Commission will be most gratifying when Livermore's residents who are in the most need receive the supports necessary to sustain their wellbeing and improve their lives.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.


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How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ City Website

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EDUCATION

Santa Clara University School of Law - Juris Doctor

May 2021

Admission to State Bar of California December 2021

Awards: CALI Award for Advocacy Fall 2019, Top 15% of Class - Con Law II, Emery Merit Scholarship, 2018 RPF Scholarship.

Leadership: Treasurer, International Law Students Association; Board Member & 3L Class Rep., If/When/How.

Writing: Associate, Journal of International Law; Journalist, The Advocate Newspaper.

Public Speaking: Honors Moot Court Internal; Galloway Moot Court; Honors Moot Court External Negotiation.

Study Abroad: International Criminal Justice, Human Rights Law, Humanitarian Law, and Intellectual Property Law

University of Minnesota - B.A. in Political Science, Communications & Sociology minor

May 2016

Awards: Dean's List

EXPERIENCE

California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office, Legislative Analyst, Sacramento, CA

Jan. 2023 - Present

- Track and analyze state and federal legislation, grants, and rulemaking.
- Advocate for or against legislation with stakeholders, legislators, and legislative staff.
- Lead efforts for legislation sponsored and supported by the Chancellor's Office.

Office of the Independent Police Auditor, Analyst II, San Jose, CA

May 2022 - Jan. 2023

- Audit police department investigations into SJPd misconduct using legal and policy analysis.
- Recommend policy changes that promote justice and improve policing.
- Pose questions in officer interviews and determine allegations based on facts of complaints.
- Conduct community outreach to raise awareness of the office and its function.

Law Office of Sweta Khandelwal, Legal Writer, San Jose, CA

June 2021 - April 2022

- Conduct research and write informational articles about immigration and nationality law for use on attorney's website.

Law Offices of Seth P. Chazin, Criminal Defense Researcher, San Francisco, CA

January - April 2022

- Conduct research on various issues, defenses, and strategies for California criminal defense attorney.

Panetta Institute for Public Policy, Policy Research Fellow, Monterey, CA

Jan. - May 2021

- Developed, and presented legislative solutions for commercial trade disputes between China and the United States.

N.D. of California Racial Justice Working Group, Jury Venire Volunteer, Bay Area, CA

Nov. 2020 - Feb. 2021

- Researched laws and methods for achieving fair cross-section in jury venire in the Northern District of California.

International Human Rights Clinic, Researcher, Santa Clara, CA

Aug. - Dec. 2020

- Researched and wrote submission to the IACHR and the OHCHR on police violence against Afro-descendants.
- Edited and submitted amicus curiae brief to the IACHR for torture victim of U.S. CIA's "extraordinary rendition" program.

AOPS Academy, Assistant, Santa Clara, CA

Oct. 2019 - June 2021

- Assisted teachers and admin, consulted clients, and resolved conflicts.

Hansra Cardenas LLP, Law Clerk, Cupertino, CA

Nov. 2019 - March 2020

- Researched employment, personal injury, and contract law and presented findings in written memos and oral presentations.
- Drafted legal documents, including complaints, motions, answers, and reviewed discovery documentation.
- Advised supervising attorneys on litigation strategy for state and federal court cases.

Ally People Solutions, Employment Consultant, St. Paul, MN

Dec. 2016 - July 2018

- Developed and implemented customized employment strategies for a caseload of over 25 clients with disabilities.
- Mediated issues between clients and employers, negotiated employment agreements for clients with business owners.
- Received 2017 Employment Support of the year award.

Minnesota DFL, Field Organizer, St. Paul, MN

May - Nov. 2016

- Developed and implemented campaign strategy and messaging for candidates from local to presidential level.

Minnesota Senate, Intern, St. Paul, MN

Jan. - May 2015 & 2016

- Conducted policy research and negotiated policy proposals with stakeholders.
- Focused on policy issues related to health and human services, education funding, and environmental protection.

Advisory Body Application**Profile**

Umashankar

First Name

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Last Name

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Livermore

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Primary Phone

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

19

Do you work in Livermore?☐ Yes ☒ No

SAP

Employer

Director

Job Title

Education

Bachelors in Computer Science and Engineering MBA in Technology Management

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

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yes

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

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Interested to continue in Human Services Commission

Question applies to multiple boards

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NA

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HS Advisory will and should play key role in the programs helping solve Homelessness and provide Affordable Housing. Recommend to city council needs of the community and bring back the voice from the community.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

- Will be very much interested to serving the needs / promote city's programs and activities serving the community

Question applies to multiple boards

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To Serve as Commissioner in Human Services Commission. Would like to understand/help/lead the activities for human service needs/outreach activities for the community. Would like to understand the requirements of socially and economically disadvantaged, the youth and seniors of the community.

What issues are of greatest interest to you and how would you see them addressed by Livermore Area Youth Advisory Commission?

Community Outreach Programs and Improving Homelessness programs and initiatives.

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☒ Other

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I will be also interested in Planning Commission if vacancy opens up

UMASHANKAR MEDA

Director, Information Security and Compliance

Accomplished technology leader with broad expertise collaborating with global, cross- functional internal and external stakeholders to drive innovative solutions for seamless operations. Results-oriented team leader and adaptable team player with proven success managing multiple simultaneous projects and programs. Analytical problem-solver with exceptional interpersonal and communication skills to Connect across social Fabric. Core Strengths include:

Business Intelligence | Data Analytics| Technology Architecture | Change Management |Cloud Computing | Open Stack Infrastructure | Data Security| ISO27K, SOX Compliance Requirements | Big-Data Platforms |Asset Management, Hardware EOL | Agile / DevOps Strategy Value-Driven IT Management IT as a Shared Service| Risk Assessment | |Leadership | Stakeholder Engagements
Leadership/Organizational Management

CERTIFICATIONS/TRAININGS

ICAgile Certified Professional (ICP)
ICAgile Certified Professional in Foundations of DevOps (ICP-FDO)
Cisco Security Knowledge Empowerment (SKE) and White Belt Security Ninja
Certified Project Management Certification by George Washington University
Stanford Program Management, Cisco PRO-ACT BOST Certified
AWS Cloud Practitioner 2018

EXPERIENCE

SAP, San Ramon, CA **04/2019 - Present**

Director at SAP SuccessFactors

Lead Risk Management PMO at SAP SuccessFactors

Symantec, Mountain View, CA **01/ 2019 – 04/2019**

Senior IT Program Manager, Consumer Business Unit Program / Engagement Management managing Business Intelligence projects across multiple functions for Lifelock and Norton Consumer Business Unit.

- Projects Delivery - Manage Agile PODS for Business Intelligence Programs / Insights, Pricing and Analytics Programs planning and delivery for LifeLock and Norton Consumer Products. Includes Consolidation of Products, New Product Introductions and Migration to Next Gen Platform and Cloud (Microsoft Azure Platforms)

CISCO SYSTEMS, San Jose, CA

Senior IT Program Manager, Global Infrastructure Services

2017 – 2019

Program / Engagement Management consulting experience managing enterprise level IT projects across multiple functions/customers.

- Lead Infrastructure Implementations - planning and delivery for Enterprise Data Warehouse, Business Intelligence Platforms, Service for Next Gen Customer Registry, Master Data Management, Big Data platforms including Hadoop, HANA, and Teradata.
- Lead **Supply Chain Manufacturing** IT Processes working closely with Partners and Suppliers to provide hybrid Infrastructure Solutions including Risk and Security Controls.
- Lead Security Compliance Audit. Managed IT Operations for **SOX Compliance and effective SOX controls, Set up Processes for ISO27001K Compliance**. Recommend risk-based evaluation

of the current footprint and effectiveness of the company's SOX controls. Experience setting up processes and frameworks for Compliance related to **PCI DSS, ISO 27001, HIPAA** regulations.

- Infra deployments/capacity management – MS Suite and O365, Datacenter Capacity, Enterprise Systems Management, Windows and Apple Devices, Servers, Vmware solutions, NetApp Storage, Cisco Networks; VOIP, security appliances, endpoint security solutions, MDM systems, and similar architectures. and forecasting, ISO27001 audit for IT operations/capacity management.
- Multi Cloud Infrastructure Planning for Enterprise Scale - Cisco Private Cloud, Amazon Web Services, Google Cloud and Microsoft Azure
- **Operational Readiness** lead for Cisco's Month End, QTR End processes and as Change Management Lead for monthly / quarterly releases. **Lead CAB** – Change Advisory Board – Reviews for IT Changes and Approvals.
- **Lead Agile Program Management** – Cisco Operational Processes, Framework and Drive discussions to conclusion and follow ups.
- **Infra Asset Management** - Identify Key Risks, Open Items and drive Hardware decommissioning, Regulatory Compliance, Data Sanitizations and Tracking.
- Served as Program Lead for Cisco Customer Zero IT Track for Data Center – UCS, Hyperflex, Intersight Platforms
- Partnered with IT Customer Advisor program team providing Infrastructure solutions
- Named IT Champion for Collaboration by CTO.

IT Manager, PMO and Global Infrastructure Services – Americas 2014-2017

Managed \$15+M annual budget for Americas IT Infra implementations, partnering with regional IT teams in over 5 countries, service teams, operations, and business stakeholders.

- Drove deployment of more than 1000+ Cisco UC Telepresence Endpoints for Cisco sites in all of Americas, establishing end-to-end accountability in delivery infrastructure services to stakeholders and customers.
- Led team of 15+, supervising and mentoring project/program managers and analysts for solution excellence.
- Oversaw PMO activities / IT infrastructure projects implementation and budgets within Americas region and IT clients, managing field implementations and infrastructure delivery; implementations and day zero support, as well as Infra release environments
- Managed IT Field implementations for Rio 2016 Olympics Cisco Sites at Brazil.
- Guided application deployments on Application Centric Infrastructure (ACI) network that is deployed, monitored, and managed to benefit various teams in IT organization such as SDN network, Cloud and DevOps, and security.
- Established and influenced systems and automation approach in delivery of infrastructure services, working closely with teams such as database, compute, storage, networking, voice, data center, WPR, security to successfully deliver latest technologies.
- Managed M&A post-merger IT infrastructure integration implementation for Americas, including project management, deployment, risk management, project development and handover to operations.

IT Manager, Enterprise Data Services/ Data Security, 2013 – 2014

Delivered data security services and solutions to secure and protect Cisco's IP in alignment with information security organization's goals and objectives.

Data Security Cloud Service for Cisco IT:

- Oversaw deployment of monitoring of all Cloud services in use, including SaaS, IaaS and PaaS, understanding usage with detailed statistics such as service access count, upload and download volume, and user count.
- Enabled services in highest demand and kept current on Cloud usage and risk with pre-built or custom reports based on service category, risk, usage and time.
- Detected security breaches and insider threats, partnering with risk controls and InfoSec data governance team to ensure compliance with Cisco's data privacy, security, and governance policies.
- Directed enforcement of approved security and contingency recovery issues, and was responsible for reduction in risk of data leaks and compliance violations.

- Developed and implemented security standards, procedures and guidelines, and participated in establishment of security policy.
- Managed reporting, partnering with InfoSec on investigation and resolution of data security incidents.
- Named service owner for enterprise data security as service (EDaaS).

IT Project Manager, Enterprise Data Services**2006-2013****Enterprise Data Warehouse/BI Platforms:**

Managed onsite and offshore architecture operations/EDW database and infrastructure project teams for IT enterprise data warehouse with over 25,000 users on Teradata data warehouse. Managed engagement with cross-functional, Teradata and other external teams.

- Oversaw platform infrastructure of Teradata platform, Sarbanes Oxley (SOX) processes and compliance, and ETL process and cubes for reporting solutions.
- Guided Teradata and ecosystem deployments in global data centers, Teradata software and hardware upgrades, floor sweeps, and backup/recovery platforms.
- Spearheaded setup of platform capacity planning and high availability BI platforms for resiliency, managing end-to-end delivery and support of database management systems which included overall strategy, planning and execution in line with technology, data and information security policies.
- Drove efficiency in solution and delivery capabilities, establishing metrics, dashboards, and adherence to SLAs. Managed people, budgets, expenses, processes and tools for database managed services and team.
- Maintained 24x7 Tier 3 support, coordinated with operations support, and served as point of escalation for production issues.
- Supported and ensured compliance to database management standards and guidelines, including: database security-related configuration policies and procedures; and scalability, recoverability and disaster recovery strategies such as capacity and scalability planning.
- Controlled provisioning and management of large enterprise data warehouses.
- Managed capacity of various Teradata environments aggressively, ensuring optimal capacity utilization and availability, and highest performance.
- Led world-class BI onsite and offshore QA teams, following Sun model, and effective practice of Quality Assurance (QA) processes such as data subsets, data labs Agile methods and integration with BI tools.

Global Data Center Program:

Served as GDCP prime responsible for supply chain IT alignment with GDCP program, including architecture strategy, planning of all apps/systems and ecosystems migration to global data centers.

- Oversaw change management within IT application teams, providing communications and metrics to leadership in operating and steering committees.
- Named compute services prime and lead for life cycle Infra, resiliency and security.

FRONTRANGE SOLUTIONS**MANAGER, LOCALIZATION 2003 – 2006**

Managed localization team for IT service management enterprise application, leading quality engineering team in intense startup environment using Agile methodologies and testing high-load web applications. Required team to focus on requisite testing approaches such as unit, regression, smoke and integration.

- Led team of 15 resources worldwide in delivering updates to site on schedule while achieving quality objectives. Led automation teams to solve testing functions via different automated methods.
- Established team as center of expertise and excellence, defining team direction based on current and emerging organizational requirements.
- Implemented, defined and maintained best-of-class processes, procedures and tools to assist with Worked closely with in-country marketing managers and US products

NETWORK ASSOCIATES**Software Project Manager 1999 – 2003**

- Assigned to Magic IT service support product which combined best-in-class help desk software with core ITIL best practices, managing and implementing localization of Magic Service Desk and Client Services software applications into multiple languages such as Japanese, Spanish, French and German.
- Established user interface, programming conventions, and documentation standards. Implemented ITSM/CRM applications in vertical markets such as healthcare.
- Developed test cases and test plans for web application performance test. Developed document.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

- ▯ MBA, Technology Management, University of Phoenix
- ▯ Bachelor of Computer Science and Engineering, Bangalore University Bangalore (India)
- ▯ ICAgile Certified Professional (ICP)
- ▯ ICAgile Certified Professional in Foundations of DevOps (ICP-FDO)
- ▯ Cisco Security Knowledge Empowerment (SKE) and White Belt Security Ninja Certified
- ▯ Project Management Certification by George Washington University
- ▯ Stanford Program Management, Cisco PRO-ACT BOST

Profile

First Name

Middle Initial

Last Name

Pronoun (s)

she/her

Email Address

Home Address

Suite or Apt

City

State

Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

What district do you live in? (If you do not know, please use the locator map

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☒ District 2

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

33 but also worked hear since 1985

Do you work in Livermore?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Employer

Job Title

Education

MA in non-profit management. Also speak some Spanish.

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Meeting Attendance: you must attend at least one meeting prior to submitting an application. Which meeting(s) did you attend?

Attended many in the past but not recently. Out of town until the 15 but willing to attend after that.

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I have been very involved with nonprofit social service my entire life including 12 years as Executive Director (ED) of Tri-Valley Haven, 9 years as E D of Hope Hospice, several years as ED of Compass Community Services in San Francisco, a program for homeless families, and two year as Development Director of Axis. In addition I worked with CalTrans doing a bus lift demo. project to provide accessible public transit. Have served on a number of non-profit boards including United Way of the Bay Area. Lived and worked in Costa Rica for six year. I can provide more detail if needed.

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The Human Services Commission helps make decisions regarding the distribution of grants. It is the responsibility of HSC members to become knowledgeable about local non-profit organization both to help make good decisions about the use of limited financial resources but also to help the community understand what our local nonprofits are providing to our communities.

Question applies to multiple boards

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The non-profit community is a pivotal community actor in helping to move our city toward improved equity for all. This city has been a model of responsibility when it comes to those who are going through hard times and need a helping hand to get back on their feet. Non-profits are masters at stretching a dollar providing an excellent "bang for the buck" when money is invested in their programs. I look forward to updating my knowledge about innovations that are being made and also to contribute ideas as needed and wanted.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I would be an active member enthusiastically working with the Council, staff and nonprofit leaders to assure the highest quality of services possible in our community. We have seen and are experiencing increased bifurcation between the "haves" and the "have nots" in our social. I have worked my entire life to develop and run program that help people get the helping hand they need to improve their lives and go on to thrive.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

- Responsible handling of money both for awarding grants and for monitoring use. - Collaborating with non-profits to improve their programs and outcomes. - Be an ambassador in the community to educate and inform the public about the work of the Human Services Commission and the non-profit providers.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.

Upload a Resume

Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Newspaper ad

Declarations

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

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Question applies to multiple boards

Please let us know if there is any kind of accommodation you require.

Not that I know of at this time.

Advisory Body Application

Profile

Marti

First Name

Sutton

Middle Initial

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Pronoun (s)

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Suite or Apt

Livermore

City

CA

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Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

15

Do you work in Livermore?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Not Employed

Employer

N/A

Job Title

Education

California State University, Chico, Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

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7/11/2023

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I am an active member in the nonprofit community and see first-hand all the incredible work our community does to help those in need. I have seen the HSC evolve over the years and I want to continue to work on the Commission to ensure that our providers and community members have the resources and support that they need to succeed. One of my main goals is to ensure that the now depleted SOE funds are replenished and that a long-term funding solution is found so that we can continue to fund essential services. I would also like to see the grant cycle to move from 1 year to 2 (+) years. A grant cycle that is more than 1 year will be a huge benefit for our providers as well as free up City staff. This would also allow the HSC to do more community outreach throughout the year to hear what is working and what is not working in our community.

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As a member of the HSC our mission is to advise City Council of the needs in our community. We do this by working with City Staff to identify human service needs in the community, work on solutions and then report these finding to City Council. One of the large tasks the HSC has is to review and score the grant applications for CDBG, HOME and other grants. These recommendations are then presented to Council for approval. The HSC also reaches out to the community to understand their concerns about issues such as housing, food scarcity and other human service needs so that we can work with staff and advise Council on the problems and solutions.

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In the Strategic Plan one of the main overall themes is safety and quality of life. All of our residents have the right to feel safe in Livermore. Our service providers play a big role in keeping our community safe. They provide housing, food, counseling, homeless services and they do this all when their clients are in crisis. The HSC can listen to our providers to understand what kind of support they need and listen to our residents when they see a hole in our safety nets. HSC can work with staff to present solutions to Council. For instance, the HSC found a couple of years ago that ESL residents struggled to get services because of language barriers. This information was given to Council and now the City has made an effort to provide information in other languages, especially Spanish. This information came from the HSC doing outreach to the public.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

As a member of the HSC I know how important it is to attend the monthly meetings. If we don't have quorum, then our work is halted for a month. I also always put aside the time to carefully review the grant applications and score them. As a community member that works with a large number of nonprofits I will continue to listen to their concerns as well as the concerns of their clients. I think it is so important that we listen to our community about their concerns and help find solutions.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

There are 3 areas where I think the HSC can improve. As mentioned above we need to find a long-term solution to the SOE funding. This money is crucial to our community. Secondly, we need to move away from 1-year grants and allow providers to apply for multiple year grants. And lastly, with the Tri-City Needs Assessment report coming out soon it is imperative that HSC finds ways to work with the other 2 cities to meet the goals of the report and reduce poverty in our area. The three cities need to come together and find innovative solutions so that all of our community members feel safe and secure.

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How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Other

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Experience

Board Of Directors

Tri-Valley Nonprofit Alliance, Livermore

February 2021-

Board Chair, April 2022 -

- TVNPA provides community nonprofits with opportunities to meet, educate and collaborate with one another
- Member of Tri-Valley Fund Selection Committee: review and score applications, the Fund distributes \$25,000 each quarter
- Work with TVNPA CEO in strategic planning, fundraising and outreach in the community
- Assisted in establishing a nonprofit center in the community, **CommonPoint**, that provides affordable office space to local nonprofits

Council Member

Women's Philanthropy Council

December 2020 -

CSU, Chico

- Founding Member of Council; Supports women's programs at the University through financial support and bringing awareness to women's initiatives on Campus
- Assist in organizing conferences and speakers

Executive Board Member

Business Advisory Board to the Dean

February 2019 -

CSU, Chico College of Business

- Support the Dean of the College of Business by providing strategic guidance to keep the College's programs aligned with current marketplace needs and realities, supporting the academic and professional success of students
- Worked with COB to establish the Professional Attire Fund

Commissioner

Human Services Commission, City of Livermore

March 2016 -

Chairperson, 2021, Vice Chair, 2020

- Advise City Council on expenditure of the City's annual Housing and Community Development Block Grant Funds
- Make recommendations to City Council on community needs, consistent with Housing and Community Development and City policies and types of services, based on social conditions and human needs in the community.

Board of Directors

Las Positas College Foundation, Livermore

August 2012-June 2020

Chairperson, July 2017- July 2019

- Chair Board Meetings and Executive Committee meetings
- Work with Board on Strategic Plan for Foundation; work closely with Executive Director to achieve goals
- Oversee Foundation Endowments, including Mertes Endowment (\$6.8M)
- Present Foundation accomplishment to LPC staff and faculty

Treasurer, June 2013- June 2017

- Worked closely with outside accountant on financial reports and budget for Board approval
- Wrote Financial Policy and Procedures document for Foundation
- Created Financial Strategic Plan to improve Foundation's fundraising opportunities and community outreach
- Chaired Auction Committee and managed online Auction for Gala

Committee Member

Beautification Committee, City of Livermore

June 2012- March 2016

Chair, January 2015-December 2015

Vice Chair, January 2013- December 2014

- Worked with City Staff on City to maintain parks, review tree appeals and improve overall outdoor space
- Coordinated Arbor Day presentations to over 1200 Livermore second graders
- As Committee Chair presented Annual Report to City Council and expanded outreach for Beautification Awards

Treasurer

Sunset Elementary PTO, Livermore

June 2009-June 2011

- Responsible for bank accounts and all financial reports to members, donors and tax consultant
- Developed and managed overall budget as well budgets for fundraisers; worked with Committee Chairs to ensure goals were met for each event; increased profits by \$175,000 over 2 years
- Organized and recruited volunteers for PTO activities

Treasurer

Livermore Valley Winegrowers Foundation

November 2010-August 2011

- Oversaw financials and analyzed all financial records for the purpose of auditing past actions and filing taxes
- Assisted in the planning and implementation of Foundation's Auction for over 200 guests at Wente Vineyards

President

BayKids, San Francisco

December 2001-June 2004

- Organized and recruited new volunteer Board members for this children's charity; presided over the Board of Directors
- Worked with Executive Director to plan and expand program from one to three hospitals
- Communicated with media in order to extend support; planned and initiated first BayKids fundraiser

Director, Financial Planning

Learning Network, San Francisco

September 1998-January 2002

- Prepared and analyzed all monthly, quarterly and annual financial reports using Hyperion Software
- Produced multi-million dollar company budgets and analyzed data for projects including HR issues
- Acting Controller, October 1999-July 2000
 - o Managed the finance and accounting departments; Responsible for GL and Balance Sheet
 - o Prepared, analyzed, and generated all financial reporting, including budgets

Project Manager

Wells Fargo Bank, Private Client Services

November 1997-August 1998

Investment Management Services, San Francisco

- Interacted with other departments and /or external sources to gather information for use in planning and implementing projects; organize conferences for portfolio managers
- Provided complex support to Business Manager, including compiling data to create presentations, charts, reports, and briefing materials

Corporate Secretary and Assistant to the President

February 1996-May 1997

**The National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy
(est. Feb, 1996), Washington, D.C.**

- One of the founders to this national non-profit; assisted in establishing 501(c)(3) organization
- Drafted original budget for organization and assisted in fundraising; interviewed and trained new staff
- Organized press briefings with Members of Congress and White House Officials

Administrative Associate to Senior Fellow

Urban Institute, Washington, D.C.

February 1995-May 1997

- Created and oversaw office budget; managed day to day operations of center
- Researched domestic issues for presentation and papers

Confidential Assistant to Program Associate Director

August 1994-February 1995

**Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of
the President, Washington, D.C.**

- Managed schedule and prepared daily briefing materials for Associate Director; assigned work to staff and monitored staff projects

Education

California State University, Chico, Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

Profile

Valerie G Jonas
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

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she/her/hers

[Redacted]
Email Address

[Redacted]
Home Address

[Redacted]
Suite or Apt

Livermore
City

CA
State

94550
Postal Code

Question applies to multiple boards

What district do you live in? (If you do not know, please use the locator map
here:<https://www.livermoreca.gov/home/showdocument?id=9380&t=637980465688676789> *)

☒ District 4

[Redacted]
Primary Phone

[Redacted]
Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

29

Do you work in Livermore?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Retired Retired
Employer Job Title

Education

BA, Duke University

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you currently on a City of Livermore Advisory Body?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Question applies to multiple boards

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I have attended numerous past meetings in prior years, I will also attend the upcoming Sept. 12 meeting

Interests & Experiences

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I have worked in the human services field in the Tri-Valley for the past 13 years at Axis Community Health. In my development role, I worked on grants, community data, city/county/state/federal contracts, community outreach, and coordination of services with fellow providers. I am recently retired from my role as Chief Development Officer (July 31). I eager to continue serving our community and am passionate about addressing the needs and creating opportunities for vulnerable populations, that ensure and secure access for all.

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The Human Services Advisory Body provides ongoing review of the needs of vulnerable populations, creating strategies that address those needs, and provides input to elected officials. More specifically, the HS Commission looks at the utilization of the MSC, oversees the utilization of social services funding and makes recommendations to City Council on funding use and successful strategies. The HSC is the central removing barriers to accessing services and collaborating with area providers. This work helps to sustain people from falling into poverty and it support the missions of area non-profit agencies.

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The HSC is central to goals 6-9, ensuring access to housing and human services for all community members. It is the role of the HSC to promote and facilitate accessibility to all needed resources for vulnerable citizens, and to understand the barriers that differing community members face when seeking basic human needs, such as housing, food, and medical care--and services that support access to these needs (e.g., transportation, language assistance). The HSC conducts needs assessments, reviews data on service utilization, and seeks out innovative strategies that all support these goals.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

My expectation and anticipated contribution as a member of the HSC is that I will utilize the knowledge and experience I have gained during my work in the safety net services to work collaboratively with other commissioners to find productive and effective ways of addressing the needs of our city's vulnerable populations. I have extensive experience on non-profit boards, working with government entities, and serving on committees/councils. I believe I can make constructive contributions to the work of the commission in achieving its objectives and goals, communicating with stakeholders, and advocating for community members in need of services.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

My expectations are that the HSC will carry out its proscribed duties to address housing needs, human services grant making that addresses priority needs, as well as addressing specific needs of the city's unhoused population. I expect the HSC will continue to provide support to our elected officials and work collaboratively with city staff and area non-profit providers. The HSC is in the midst of an updated Needs Assessment which I think will be pivotal to the work of the HSC in coming years.

What else would you like the City Council to know about you? If you would like to provide additional information (resume, personal website, etc.) please use the Upload Resume button.



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Question applies to multiple boards

How did you hear about this vacancy?

☒ Newspaper ad

Declarations

Appointment

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☒ I Agree

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Question applies to multiple boards

Please let us know if there is any kind of accommodation you require.

I do not require any accommodation, thanks.

Valerie G. Jonas

Valerie Jonas recently retired (July 2023) from Axis Community Health where she served as Chief Development Officer since 2010, overseeing community relations, advocacy, grants, fundraising and capital projects. Axis, a non-profit organization, is the major provider of primary care, mental health, and dental services for low-income and uninsured Tri-Valley residents. Ms. Jonas has worked closely with the City of Livermore through the years on the provision of health care services, including serving on the Mayor's Task Force on COVID.

Prior to joining Axis, Ms. Jonas worked with several Bay Area nonprofits, including as Regional Director for Jewish Federation of the East Bay and as consultant to the Bankhead Theater during the pre-development phase.

She has served on many nonprofit boards, including Pacific Chamber Orchestra, South Florida Epilepsy Foundation and Jewish News Weekly of Northern CA. Presently she is a board member of Tri-Valley Non-Profit Alliance and serves on the Livermore Valley Arts Honorary Arts Commission. She also volunteers at the Tri-Valley Haven Food Pantry.

Ms. Jonas is a graduate of Duke University (B.A., magna cum laude) and recipient of an American Field Service Scholarship for study in Istanbul, Turkey. Originally from Lakewood, New Jersey, she has resided in Livermore since 1994.

September 2023

Advisory Body Application**Profile**

Ashley

First Name

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Middle Initial

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Last Name

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She/her

Email Address

Home Address

Suite or Apt

Livermore

City

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State

94550

Postal Code

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Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Human Services Commission: Submitted

Years residing in Livermore

4

Do you work in Livermore?☒ Yes ☐ No

Self-Employed

Employer

Freelance journalist

Job Title

Education

BA Sociology, concentration in Community Change (San Jose State University) MA Spanish Language and Literature (San Jose State University)

Question applies to multiple boards

Are you a registered voter in the City of Livermore

☒ Yes ☐ No

Question applies to multiple boards

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☐ Yes ☒ No

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9/12/2023

Interests & Experiences

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Briefly explain your interest in serving on the Advisory Body(s) you have selected. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

Last year I served as the special education parent representative for Altamonte Creek Elementary School on the LCAP Committee, and I was enlightened to the level of need within our community. I would like to serve as a commissioner on the Human Services Commission to further the great work that Livermore has done to meet the needs and challenges within the city. I am a resident, homeowner, and mother, and I'm invested in the health and well-being of those who live here.

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I understand the Human Services Commission's purpose to be a council of advisors to the city council as it pertains to the needs of citizens within public health, homelessness, employment, and other important factors. The Commission is also a place to hear the concerns of residents as it pertains to the same issues.

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I anticipate that the Advisory Body of the Human Services Commission will assist the City Council in implementing the Council's 5-year strategic plan by providing grants and other support to organizations that are doing the important work outlined in the plan. The Advisory Board will also serve as a support to the Council by checking in on the progress of each goal often.

Question applies to multiple boards

Describe your expectations and anticipated contributions as a member of this Advisory Body. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I hope to contribute my background in diversity, equity, and inclusion as well as my passion for education and community to the overall goals of both the Commission and the Council. I will volunteer my time beyond the duties of the Commission to ensure that my time served is meaningful and productive to the goals of the City of Livermore.

Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly describe your expectations of this Advisory Body's accomplishments or outcomes. (If applying for more than one Advisory Body, please include a response for each Advisory Body.)

I expect that the Advisory Board will accomplish many of the things it outlines within the timeframe it gives itself. I expect that the Board and its members will lead with empathy, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills to get as close to the "goal line" as possible and support as many people and organizations as they can within their limits and responsibilities.

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