## CITY OF COSTA MESA

## **CULTURAL ARTS COMMITTEE**

### 11 Members/3Alternates

Name/Address/Telephone	Term Expires
1. Anthony S. Manrique	October 2011
2. Barbara Steck	October 2011
3. Ryan Baron	April 2012
4. Irene Engard	April 2012
5. VACANT	April 2012
6. Debora Wondercheck	October 2012
7. Eduardo Iniestra	October 2012
8. Kathleen Eric	April 2013
9. Frank Gutierrez	April 2013
10. Monica Morita	April 2013
11. Justin Fox	April 2013

## **ALTERNATES:**

Name/Address/Telephone	<u>Term Expires</u>
1. Craig Jago Beauchamp	October 2011
2. VACANT	October 2011
3. VACANT	October 2012

## STAFF LIAISON:

Lisa McPherson, Recreation Supervisor Administrative Services Department

## **COUNCIL LIAISON**:

Eric Bever, Council Member

COMMITTEE: Cultural Arts Committee

REPRESENTATION: At the October 5, 2010 City Council Meeting; Council

appointed an additional regular member (orginal status is 11

regular members & 3 alternate).

PURPOSE: The Cultural Arts Committee works with City Council to

support cultural arts programs and to bring art awareness to the residents of Costa Mesa, The City of the Arts. This Committee works to establish programs, events and information that help residents access the arts in many

different venues, and through multiple sources.

MEETING SCHEDULE: The Committee meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at

6:45 p.m.

#### MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of the Cultural Arts Committee is to enhance, promote and support our rich artistic community of Costa Mesa, the City of the Arts.

#### 2011 GOALS/OBJECTIVES:

- 1. Implement and maintain an Artist and Gallery Association City Website Web page (located on Cultural Arts Committee City Webpage)
  - Directory of Costa Mesa Artists (Free Membership- includes artist name; art media; email address and website info)
  - Networking opportunities for Costa Mesa Artists (meet & greet mixers at CM galleries)
  - Directory map of Costa Mesa Galleries and event advertisement
  - Networking opportunities for Costa Mesa Gallery owners (meet & greet mixers at CM galleries)
- 2. Continue to obtain Sponsorship donations
- 3. Implement "Food and Art" related event
- 4. Create a Sub-Committee to oversee displayed art in the City Hall Youth Art Gallery
- 5. Conduct 2 Juried Artist Showcases and Art in the Park
  - Incorporate Performing Art at each Artist Showcase
  - Provide a Art Broker to sell Art at Artist Showcases
  - Integrate local businesses and galleries involvement in each Artist Showcase and Art in the Park
- 6. To obtain measurable achievements (i.e. surveys)
- 7. Staff Liaison continues to monitor and promote upcoming Committee and CM Gallery/Artist events on Facebook page.

#### LONG TERM

- 1. Permanent Art Gallery to display art work of Costa Mesa artists
- 2. Provide City Council with advice relative to issues relating to Cultural Arts

#### 2010 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 1) Artist Showcase
  - Artist Showcase XIII was held at Whittier Law School (3333 Harbor Blvd) on Saturday, March 13 from 6-10pm. All art was juried and 40 artists exhibited juried selected piece(s) (72 pieces shown) of art. A featured artist was selected to use their art piece as the graphics for the flyer and allowed to display all three submitted pieces. Mesa Art and Engard Arts displayed pieces. The venue and water were donated. eVocal entertainment was utilized. Over 300 people visited the showcase.
  - Over 300 artists are emailed on upcoming Artist Showcases
  - Fifteen new artists were selected to show art pieces.
- 2) Sponsorship program was approved by the Community Foundation to assist in offsetting future events and projects cost. Brochure was designed and distributed.
- 3). Provide four "Art in the Park" events during the Summer Concerts in the Park series. Donated face painting, craft supplies and paints for each of the four concerts. Mesa Art donated 4 four x four display boards for participants to paint; design was created by SOY participants. Hurley donated T-Shirts for participants to purchase for \$5 to paint; \$470 was raised.
- 4) Cultural Arts Committee Facebook page promoted Vanguard University Theatre and Arts & Learning Conservatory productions, Engard Arts and Mesa Arts openings, Art in the Park and Artist Showcase XIII.
- 5). Youth Art Gallery booked for entire year

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Cultural Arts Committee	·.	City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626

1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

I have had the pleasure of working in Costa Mesa since 1981 and living in Costa Mesa since 1995.

Throughout my life I have had a passion for the arts, and as the executive director of The All-American Boys Chorus I have the opportunity to work at something that I love to do.

Costa Mesa is the cultural center of Orange County; with the marvelous Orange County Performing Arts Center and South Coast Repertory theaters in our midst.

As the City of the Arts it is important for Costa Mesa to cultivate and engender a love for the arts among our own citizenry, especially young people. This goal is best accomplished by increasing awareness of, accessibility to, and participation in the performing and visual arts across a broad spectrum of programs, venues and events at the local level.

I have greatly enjoyed being a member of the Cultural Arts Committee, and I would be honored to continue working on further developing the many fine arts-related programs already in place in Costa Mesa, and also work with the other members of the committee to create and foster new avenues and methods of bringing the arts to more residents of Costa Mesa.

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2. Indicate any experience or qualifications you possess that might apply to the Commission/Committee/Board you are interested in serving on. A resume may also be attached to this form. This is strictly optional.

In 30 years as the business manager and then executive director of The All-American Boys Chorus I have developed, produced and directed many events related to the performing arts (concerts, tours, camps, festivals), as well as helped in collaborations with Opera Pacific, the Pacific Symphony Orchestra, William Hall Chorale, Orange County Women's Chorus, Men in Black, summer-time Orange County Fair, spring-time Orange County Fair Youth Expo and the Festival of Children held each September at South Coast Plaza.

I have worked on the development of the AABC's Music Outreach program, which we have implemented locally and throughout the United States on over 25 concert tours and which has involved over 35,000 children since 1995.

l served on a committee that was jointly put together by the Western Fairs Association and the California Arts Council to explore ways to bring more of the arts into county fairs throughout the state as a means of increasing public awareness of the arts.

l studied piano for 12 years and played in the National Guild of Music Teachers piano adjudications for 8 years as well as the Certificate of Merit program. I also currently am the piano accompanist for The All-American Boys Chorus on tour.

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Costa Mesa is self named 'cit-1 of the auts'. In our borders we have the Segerstrom Center, South Cost peper tory, California Aits. Institute, Pacific Simphony, and a number of venues/businesses that be part of the world of music, painting, photography, culinary aits, automotive art, custom wood/metal/fabrication, and more.

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When I saw the ad in the Costa Mesa city newsletter looking for volunteer for Cultural Arts committee, I had the desire to serve on the committee to be part of an organization for youth and artists. The mission for this committee touches close to my heart establishing a Youth Gallery in City Hall and maintaining a directory of local artists.

I am a Costa Mesa resident who is a full-time artist working at the Irvine Fine Arts Center as contract art instructor, teaching art to all ages (Grades Pre-K- 12 and adults). I am also a resident artist for the Costa Mesa High School's ceramics program. In addition, I am currently enrolled in the California State University, Long Beach teaching credentialing program for Single Subject in Art to become a high school art teacher. I also participated in the Community Development' art program for low-income families as art instructor as a way of contributing back to the community that I treasure and live in.

My experiences as public and private school teacher and as instructor for various organizations put me at the heart of youth education. My daily contact with students and parents keeps my reality in check and provides me an accurate perspective of their educational goals and needs.

I teach all ages and have a great affection for my students; however, I have decided to teach high school students long-term because I know it is such a difficult age. There is much help needed in guiding and mentoring these students. The Youth Gallery at the City Hall would be an opportunity to affirm our city's youth who have shown artistic talent and potential and to assist them in growing their dreams of becoming an artist.

To our local artists, this organization offers support through cultural arts programs and brings artawareness to local residents and businesses. The opportunity of networking with other local artists would allow Costa Mesa resident artists, including myself, to make connections and to participate in the important mission of supporting our student artists.

I have a passion to organize and plan events for artists to show case their work and assisting local businesses and galleries to get more involved.

I have served on numerous committees and worked with many organizations to plan, organize, and host events of all types.  As a Senior Office Assistant in government agency, I assisted in the organization of events from the planning stage to finish (e-mail communication, scheduling, creating a committee, and delegating assignments).  Currently, I am attending the California State University Long Beach teaching credential program for Single Subject in Art with the goal to become a high school art teacher.  Whether as a teacher, an artist, or as an art teacher, I cannot allow myself to bypass this opportunity to affirm and support children who have shown artistic potential by providing information or instruction based upon my many years of experience. I am finding that I have become a better artist and person because of all of the encouragement and instruction that I have provided others. The more that I listen to my own teaching, the better of an artist I have become and the greater the output of creative juices.						
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I am educated and trained in visual and Photographic arts, ceramic, la silversmithing. For the Past 40 year, I continued to educate myself in disciplines; using this knowledge to educate others and for income.  I have lived in the Costa Mesa (Socometro) area for 35 years, 17 exclu- verde.	MULTIPLE
I HAVE BEEN ATTENDING BOTH THE CULTURAL ARTS AND HISTORIC COMMITTEE'S NEARLY A YEAR. WHEN UNABLE to ATTEND, I FOLLOWED THESE TWO COMMITTEE ACCENDES/MINUTES (WHEN POSTED) AT THE CITY'S WEB SITE: ALSO ONLINE, CA	s Hirough
Publications. I have attended numerous events sponsored by both, and a sponsored events suggested by each committee; when noticed.	1
During 2011, I have been especially active with the Cultural Arts and of the sitting members. Per Councilman Bever's suggestion, I have been suggestions: Lending whatever support (to both committees) allowed by by laws. When asked, I have volunteered my time to assist the busy member of put forward information allowing them the necessary time for pleyecuting scheduled projects/events.	n submitting under the City's bers with research
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without the restrictions and limitations placed on non-members.

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## Qualifications:

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#### EDUCATIONS

Starting at VILLA Park High School with extended art classes, I moved on to Fullerton College; taking woodworking and construction science. Not only completing my general studies, I, along with my wife, received a cosmetology license.

Over the past 30 years I have studied numerous art styles and taken classes as varied as ceramics to lapidary and silversmithing to glass blowing and polymer clay. I have attended Orange Coast, Golden West and Saddleback College's; also numerous privately taught courses to home my skills and keep up with current trends within the Arts community.

Along with my involvement at the Hair Salon, I own a construction consulting business where I use more than 30 years of construction experience to assist in waterproofing needs and issues. We own a salon/boutique in Lido Village; which seconds as an Art Studio and for civing private art instruction.

### RESENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

I Have recently been appointed to the Board of a newly formed Non-Profit Arts School, "Greystone Academy of Arts and Design", as Secretary. I will be assisting in the building and managing an aggressive program that will reach children and young abults whom are gifted artist and do not have access to advanced instructions; helping to develop their skills with an extensive apprenticeship type program similar to that of the Masters.

I am prove having been a small part in my daughter's art career. She has taught Locally for 5 years and will receive her Master (MFA) at the end of this year. I make myself available assisting her when introducing a project that lends itself to my training and experience.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.

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AT A LOCAL UNIVERSITY, SO I KNOW HOW IMPORTMENT IT IS TO GET

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## **ARPIT MEHTA**

#### **EDUCATION**

#### University of California, Berkeley

Attendance: August, 2001 - May, 2005

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Arpit Mehta Photography & Design | Orange County & Los Angeles, CA

July 2006 - Present

Freelance Contractor

- Building a growing portfolio of fashion, editorial and wedding photography
- Designing website templates and logos, as well as creating print and presentation media for various freelance projects
- Creating brand identities and helping with brand management on a consultant basis

#### BJ's Restaurants | Huntington Beach, CA

November 2009 – December 2009

Accounts Payable (Temp)

- Worked with vendors on resolving statements
- General filing and organizing of general ledgers, corporate invoices and restaurant batches

#### WestStar, Inc. | Los Angeles, CA

June 2006 - July 2007

Sales and Marketing

- Experienced in assorting diamonds on semi-regular basis, including matching diamonds for jewelry
- Designed brochures and ad-media (using Adobe Photoshop) to increase brand awareness
- Expanded customer base via trade shows and sales calling and worked with customers to increase business

#### Filter MMM | Hollywood, CA

January 2007 - June 2007

Graphic Design Intern

- Created graphic headers for weekly newsletters along with house ads and special design projects
- Wrote news stories, concert reviews, and submitted photographs for website usage

#### Universal Records/Flagship Recordings | Orange County, CA

June 2006 - December 2006

Marketing and Online Promotions Intern

- Created awareness for band, Tremolo, via various online social communities
- Created ad media and maintained/updated band webpage to increase exposure and traffic to said communities

#### Safe Home World | Pleasanton, CA

September 2005 - December 2005

Marketing and Advertising

- Created company logo and updated/maintained company website
- Designed brochures and ad-media (using Adobe Photoshop) to create brand awareness
- Established Re-Seller Program for GuardEagles brand as part of a team

#### **QUALIFICATIONS & ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Training in, and experience with Microsoft Office, Apple iWork, Adobe Photoshop CS5 and Lightroom 3
- Conversational and written Hindi
- Accomplished musician and music engineer
- Published writer and photographer
- Experience with public speaking, business writing and creation of business plan

Application for Commission/Committee Appointment  Name:	City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626
I am interested in serving on the Cultural Arts Committee because a supporter and lover of the arts, I feel that I have a strong understand important the arts are to the overall health and well being of a committee that many of our local Costa Mesa artists and I would truly of a committee that would strive to support them.  There are many ways to enhance the cultural arts within a city and I than happy to serve on this committee and explore the ways in which I cannot think of a better way in which to serve Costa Mesa than by to this committee.	ing of just how nunity. I am renjoy being part would be more h to do just that.
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	I feel that I'm qualified to sit on this committee due to my extensive knowledge of
	the fine arts and music. I am a classically trained pianist and I received a BA from
	the University of California with a minor in art history. I take advantage of art
	shows throughout many of our Orange County coastal communities and I know
	many local artists personally
	I am a homeowner here in the city and have no plans to relocate. I work at Hoag
	Hospital. I would like you to know that if I am placed on the committee, I would be dedicated to fulfilling the commitment.
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#### Lisa Grant

I am enthusiastic about the Cultural Arts Committee's current agenda regarding the Arts in Costa Mesa. I would like to advance and continue my participation in the art community of Costa Mesa via the Cultural Arts Committee and its agenda. As an artist, art and museum studies student, and recognized public historian, I feel that I can bring a fresh eye to the Committee, an eye aimed at both reinforcing and expanding Costa Mesa's current art community, and broadcasting that community to the rest of the world. An end result of more global attention to our art community could be more visitation and dollars earned for the City and the City's art community.

Regarding my interested in bringing the Arts of Costa Mesa to an international stage of recognition, I feel that I am in a unique position to facilitate this as the Assistant Director of the Costa Mesa, CA — Wyndham, Victoria, Australia Sister City Education Exchange Program. I recently returned from the Exchange trip with seven outstanding Estancia High School students. Extraordinary works of art were witnessed, from Australian Aboriginal paintings in a museum to student art to the modern painted Laneways of Melbourne. Like Costa Mesa, Wyndham not only produces its own artists, but is adjacent to a major city with even more to offer. It seems natural that a country with one of the oldest painting traditions in the world should partner in artistic exchange and awareness with our Costa Mesa, The City of the Arts.

I would like to bring new ideas, explore and participate in the ongoing activities of the Committee, and inject my enthusiasm for Cultural Arts into the community.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

#### Lisa Grant

Costa Mesa Resident since 1975

Matriculated through Costa Mesa schools: Adams, TeWinkle, Estancia, Orange Coast College

Mixed media artist

B.A., English, Emphasis Literature, The University of British Columbia, 1997

Study Sculpture under Costa Mesa artist and OCC instructor Laurie Hassold

Plan to achieve BFA in Sculpture and Master's Certificate in Museum Studies with a focus on Public Art

Featured in article by William Lobdell in The Los Angeles Times on 30 March 2001, for work as a Public Historian in the field of Holocaust Studies

Assistant Director of the Costa Mesa, CA – Wyndham, Victoria, Australia Sister City Education Exchange Program, 1997 – Present

\* Detailed CV attached

### Lisa Grant

#### Education

BA 1997 The University of British Columbia (First Class)

#### **Awards**

- 2011 Certificate of Recognition, Coastline Community College Art Gallery, Huntington Beach, CA
- 2010 Special Award for Promising Artists, Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, CA
- 1999 Certificate of Recognition, Survivors of the Shoah Visual History Foundation, Los Angeles, CA (from Steven Spielberg)
- 1992 In-store Visual Display Award, Geffen Records, Huntington Beach, CA
- 1991 In-store Visual Display Award, Capitol Records, Huntington Beach, CA

### **Group Exhibitions**

- 2011 "Mass Appeal" Student Art Exhibit, Frank M. Doyle Arts Pavilion, Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, CA
- 2011 Student Art Exhibition, Coastline Community College Art Gallery, Huntington Beach, CA
- 2011 Mixed Emotions, The Cottage, Laguna Beach, CA
- 2011 Centered on the Center, Huntington Beach Art Center, Huntington Beach, CA
- 2010 Buy the Running Foot, Orange County Center for Contemporary Art, Santa Ana, CA
- 2010 By Nature Free..., PÜRRE, Costa Mesa, CA
- 2010 The Night Gallery at RUIN, The Monte Cristo Club, Los Angeles, CA
- 2010 "Mass Appeal" Student Art Exhibit, Frank M. Doyle Arts Pavilion, Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, CA

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Lobdell, William. "Payment for the Holocaust: Costa Mesa Paralegal Helps Survivors Get Their Due." Los Angeles Times 30 March 2001, Orange County ed.: B1+.

Grant, Lisa, with Arie Bucheister, eds. <u>Guide to Holocaust Reparations</u>. Los Angeles: Bet Tzedek Legal Services and the Conference on Jewish Material Claims Against Germany, Inc., 2000.

#### **LISA GRANT**

#### **EDUCATION**

B.A. 1997

English, Emphasis Literature, The University of British Columbia,

Vancouver, B.C., Canada

#### **EXPERIENCE**

2011-Present Frank M. Doyle Arts Pavilion, Orange Coast College, Student Intern, Costa Mesa. CA

Employment of studies and practices in Curatorial Studies

2010-Present Coastline Community College Art Gallery, Student/Volunteer, Huntington Beach, CA

Gallery sitting; Art Gallery Production class; address gallery and guest needs; assist in hanging art shows; promoting art shows; additional duties as requested

2007-Present Costa Mesa, CA – Wyndham, Victoria, Australia Sister City Education Exchange Program, Volunteer Assistant Program Director, Costa Mesa, CA

Educational programming, policy creation and implementation; supervision of teens overseas; research and writing; interviewing students; photography; fundraising and community outreach

2008 Mosaix, Inc., Mosaicist, Irvine, CA

Cut and inlaid glass pieces for contracted restaurant piece

2006-2007 Brea Bead Works (store and art studio), Clerk, Brea, CA

Instructed customers in basic jewelry-making skills; assisted customers in Art Studio

2005 Bead City, Clerk, Costa Mesa, CA

Instructed customers in basic jewelry-making skills; created wall and window displays

1998-2003 Bet Tzedek Legal Services, Holocaust Services Advocate/Restitution Coordinator, Los Angeles, CA

Managed internationally recognized program that sought restitution for Holocaust survivors, maintaining a 90% success rate; wrote and edited in-house book, <u>Guide to</u> Holocaust Reparations for Bet Tzedek and The Conference on Jewish Material Claims

Against Germany, Inc.; witnessed oral testimony from ±300 Holocaust survivors to determine Holocaust restitution claims eligibility; wrote articles for Bet Tzedek Legal Services newsletter; represented Bet Tzedek in the community and media (lectures, print, television)

1998 Simon Wiesenthal Center/Museum of Tolerance, Researcher/Tour Guide, Los Angeles, CA

Researched preliminary biographical information for exhibit about Bauhaus artist and Holocaust victim Friedl Dicker-Brandeis - exhibit toured world; led three-hour educational museum tours

1997 – 1998 Survivors of the Shoah Visual History Foundation, Cataloguing Department, PIQ (Pre-Interview Questionnaire) Reviewer, Los Angeles, CA

Participated in creation of new data entry methodology and database management system to accommodate custom multimedia visual history cataloguing project; verified historical and geographical information; established data entry quota within first month of employment

1995-1996 Hillel Jewish Students Association of Greater Vancouver, Holocaust Awareness Week Mixed Media Visual Display, Chair and Co-Chair, The University of British Columbia Student Union Building, Vancouver, B.C., Canada

Researched and created multi-panel mixed media educational display on themes: Resistance and Rescue (1995) and Education and the Holocaust (1996)

1995 Anne Frank in the World Educational Exhibit, Docent, Newport Harbor Museum of Art, Newport Beach, CA

Trained as a docent by officials from the Anne Frank Huis, Amsterdam, The Netherlands; worked in book store

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

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#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Matas, Carol. <u>The War Within: A Novel of the Civil War</u>. New York: Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing, 2001. Researcher.

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Bemiss, Randi D. "Holocaust Reparations Paralegal Goes the Extra Mile." <u>Legal Assistant Today</u> Sept.-Oct. 2001.

Rather, Dan. Dan Rather Reporting. WCBS-AM, New York. 20 April 2001.

Lobdell, William. "Payment for the Holocaust: Costa Mesa Paralegal Helps Survivors Get Their Due." Los Angeles Times 30 March 2001, Orange County ed.: B1+.

#### **EXHIBITIONS**

- 2011 "Mass Appeal" Student Art Exhibit, Frank M. Doyle Arts Pavilion, Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, CA
- 2011 Student Art Exhibition, Coastline Community College Art Gallery, Huntington Beach, CA
- 2011 Mixed Emotions, The Cottage, Laguna Beach, CA
- 2011 Centered on the Center, Huntington Beach Art Center, Huntington Beach, CA
- 2010 Buy the Running Foot, Orange County Center for Contemporary Art, Santa Ana, CA

- 2010 "By Nature Free...," PÜRRE, Costa Mesa, CA
- 2010 The Night Gallery at RUIN, The Monte Cristo Club, Los Angeles, CA
- 2010 "Mass Appeal" Student Art Exhibit, Frank M. Doyle Arts Pavilion, Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, CA

## **CITY OF COSTA MESA**

## HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

#### 11 Members/1 Alternate

Name/Address/Telephone	Term Expires
1. John A. McQueen	October 2011
2. Margaret Johnston	April 2012
3. Terry Shaw	April 2012
4. Mary Ellen Goddard	April 2012
5. Melinda Lowery	April 2012
6. VACANT	October 2012
7. Jeff Mathews	October 2012
8. Bob Wakeham	October 2012
9. Christopher Ganiere	April 2013
10. Pamela G. Crenshaw	April 2013
11. Louisa T Arnold	April 2013

#### **ALTERNATE**

1. Vacant

## **STAFF LIAISON:**

Lisa McPherson, Recreation Supervisor Administrative Services Department

## **COUNCIL LIAISON:**

Eric Bever, Council Member

**COMMITTEE:** Historical Preservation Committee

\*REPRESENTATION: The Committee consists of 11 regular members and 1

alternate.

PURPOSE:

The Historical Preservation Committee will work with City Council to preserve the history of Costa Mesa and work with the Historical Society to educate the general public about

the rich history of the community.

**MEETING SCHEDULE:** 

The Committee meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at

5:30 p.m.

#### MISSION STATEMENT

The Historical Preservation Committee will work to preserve and promote the historical heritage of the City of Costa Mesa

#### **COMMITTEE PURPOSE**

The Historical Preservation Committee will work with City Council to preserve the history of Costa Mesa and work with the Historical Society to educate the general public about the rich history of the community.

#### 2011 GOALS:

- 1. Continue to distribute Historical Site Marker pamphlets to participating businesses along Newport Blvd.
- 2. Complete Historical Site Markers phase II project and begin researching phase III
- 3. Implement interpretive "1st people" signage along the OCME train tracks at Fairview Park
- 4. Assessment of historical resources at OC Fairgrounds
- 5. Listing street names and significance of name.
- 6. Finalize and implement Sponsorship Pamphlet.
- 7. Google Goggles
- 8. Establish a criteria of Historical Buildings and update Historical Building booklet

#### **LONG TERM**

- 1. Provide support to and partner with Costa Mesa Historical Society
- 2. Continue to support any Council issues that arise concerning Historic Preservation for the City of Costa Mesa

#### 2010 ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- 1. Revised and published on the City Website (HPC webpage) electronic "Story of Costa Mesa book" activity sheets.
- Displayed ten historical photos on the walls at the Neighborhood Community Center and create & implemented an informational pamphlet explaining each photo.
- 3. Researched each parks historical background and publish on the City Website (located under each parks description).



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City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

Having been a resident of Costa Mesa
72 years, I have always had an interest in the city;
Watching it grow from less than 4,000 people
to 114,000 population, studing the City;
changes have been very interesting to me.
(Due to personal obligations, I had to resign
from the committee)

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### BRIAN L. PELANDA

#### **EDUCATION**

#### JURIS DOCTORATE

WHITTIER LAW SCHOOL, Costa Mesa, California

Valedictorian

Summa Cum Laude (Class Rank: 1 out of 113)

Executive Editor, Whittier Law Review

Moot Court Honors Board

Certificate in Intellectual Property Law

Certificate in Legal Writing

Merit Scholarship Award recipient

12 CALI Awards (Awarded to highest grade in class)

Dean's Fellow

Center for Intellectual Property Law, Fellow Outstanding Graduate in Intellectual Property Law

Outstanding Graduate in Legal Writing

Dean's Citation for Service to the Community

#### MASTER OF ARTS, History

UNIVERSITY OF AKRON, Ohio

William and Dora Martin Scholarship recipient

Graduate Assistantship Full-tuition Award recipient

Primary Fields of Study: The Early Modern Atlantic World; Modern U.S. Foreign Policy

GPA: 4.0/4.0

#### BACHELOR OF ARTS, History

CAPITAL UNIVERSITY, Columbus, Ohio

President, Capital University Student Government, 2005-2006

Distinguished Senior Leader Award recipient, 2006

Capital University Track & Field Team 4-time Letter Award Winner

Team Captain, Capital University Track & Field Team, 2005, 2006

GPA: 3.83/4.0

#### EXPERIENCE

#### RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIP, 2011

Whittier Law School

• Gathered primary source material for Professor Neil Cogan's forthcoming second edition of *The Complete Bill of Rights: The Drafts, Debates, Sources, and Origins* (Oxford U. Press, 1997).

#### HEAD LIFEGUARD, Summers 2006-2010; LIFEGUARD, Summers 1999-2005

Marysville Municipal Pool, Marysville, Ohio

- · Managed and instructed a staff of 26 lifeguards
- Certified water safety instructor

#### GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP, 2006-2008

University of Akron, History Department

- · Grader and Discussion leader for three American history courses
- · Teaching assistant and grader for a historical methodology research and writing course
- · Co-coordinator of the University of Akron/Kent State University Graduate Student History Symposium

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Brian L. Pelanda, Declarations of Cultural Independence: The Nationalistic Imperative Behind the Passage of Early American Copyright Laws, 1783-1787, 58 Journal of the Copyright Society of the U.S.A. 431 (2011).
- Brian L. Pelanda, Copyright's "Traditional Contours" and "Bedrock Principals": Golan's Potential to Secure First Amendment Protection Over the Public Domain, 31 Whittier L. Rev. 547 (2010) (Cited in Brief for Project Petrucci, LLC as Amicus Curiae Supporting Petitioners, Golan v. Holder, No. 10-545 (U.S. June 20, 2011); Brief for Justice and Freedom Fund as Amicus Curiae Supporting Petitioners, Golan v. Holder, No. 10-545 (U.S. June 20, 2011).
- Brian L. Pelanda, "For the General Diffusion of Knowledge": Foundations of American Copyright Ideology, 1783-1790," (M.A. thesis, University of Akron, 2008).

#### HONORS

Boston Marathon Qualifier, 2008

Ohio Athletic Conference Scholar Athlete of the Month, June 2006

Academic All-Conference, Ohio Athletic Conference, Track and Field, 2006

Honorable Mention, Ohio Athletic Conference, Track and Field, 2004, 2006

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City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92525

1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

I have served as an active member of the Historical Preservation Committee since 2004.

I feel that the Committee makes a valuable contribution to the community and am very proud of the work that the Committee has done over the past five years. I welcome the opportunity to remain an active member of the Committee and to continue to serve the city and residents of Costa Mesa

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#### Costa Mesa Historical Preservation Committee

I wish to serve the City of Costa Mesa as a member of the Historical Preservation Committee because I have lived in the city for over 15 years and I love the rich and vibrant history of the city. From Goat Hill to the Santa Ana Army base (now the fairgrounds and Vanguard University) Costa Mesa is an amazing city with a great story to tell and all the citizens of the city should embrace and understand the historical impact of Costa Mesa in order to help grow the city for the future.

As a History graduate, I know the value of remembering the past generations in order to equip the future generation to achieve greatness and I believe Costa Mesa History is important for all our citizens. I recently taught a merit badge course to my Scout troop on citizenship in the community and the boys had to present a history of the city, which was very enlightening. I feel that if our youth understands their history and where they come from, they will preserve and protect the city for their children and on.

I hope that I can serve on the Historical Preservation Committee and can help grow the numbers of citizens appreciating and protecting our wonderful Costa Mesa History through events, displays, and activities.

Sincerely,

Roshele I. Snyder, Esq.

## Roshele I. Snyder

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### RSNYDER LAW FIRM, Costa Mesa, CA

Attorney-at Law, May 2011- Present

Counsel clients regarding estate planning needs, including drafting wills, trusts, and other estate planning documents.

#### INDEPENDENT CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, Irvine, California

Financial Advisor, Mar 2011 – May 2011

• Create comprehensive financial plans for clients including retirement planning, health and disability insurance, life insurance, long term care and estate planning.

#### WINTERBOTHAM, PARHAM, TEEPLE APC, Santa Ana, California

Law Clerk, Aug 2009 - Nov 2010

Interviewed potential clients. Assessed both Chapter 7 and Chapter 13 cases and conferred with attorneys. Prepared all pre-filing documentation for processing. Monitored case progress for Chapter 13 cases including monthly payments. Prepared motions to extinguish junior liens. Processed re-affirmation agreements.

#### DOAN LAW FIRM, San Clemente, California

Law Clerk, Apr 2009 - Aug 2009

• Met with clients and prepared all pre-filing documentation for Chapter 7 bankruptcies. Prepared cases using Best Case software. Conferred with attorneys regarding case.

#### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE, Irvine, California

Financial Aid Counselor, Mar 2008 – Apr 2009

Managed federal/state/institutional financial aid programs for over 1,500 undergraduate and graduate students.

#### VANGUARD UNIVERSITY, Costa Mesa, California

Adjunct Professor, Aug 2008 - Dec 2008

Taught upper division course" Politics of the Middle East".

Financial Aid Counselor/ Compliance Officer, Sep 2000 - Mar 2008

Managed federal/state/institutional financial aid programs for over 400 adult students. Assisted students with
debt counseling and money management. Created, updated and maintained Policy and Procedure Manual for
department including federal regulations. Acted as liaison for federal updates.

#### EDUCATION

#### Whittier Law School, Costa Mesa, California

Juris Doctor, May 2008

- CALI Award-Federal Income Taxation
- Journal of Child and Family Advocacy/Pi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity

#### Vanguard University, Costa Mesa, California

Bachelor's Degree/History Political Science, May 2004

- Summa Cum Laude
- Outstanding History Graduate, Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society/ President's Honor Award
- Pi Sigma Alpha Political Science Honor Society/ Pi Alpha Delta Pre-Law Fraternity

#### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Proficient in Time Matters and Best Case software
- Proficient in all Microsoft Office applications

## CREDENTIALS AND LICENSES

- Admitted to California State Bar, June 2011
- Life/ Health Insurance Agent

## AFFILIATIONS

Volunteer with Boys Scouts of America

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1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

I would like TO GIVE BACK TO THE CITY OF COSTA MESA MY TIME EXPERIENCE AND EQUATION.

COSTA MESA IS A GREAT PLACE TO LIVE. I HAVE GREAT FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS IN THIS CITY. COSTA MESA HAS LONG HISTORY ABOUT IT'S PEOPLE IN THE PAST AND FUTURE.

I would like TO PROMOTE AND EDUCATE NEW MEMBERS TO OUR CITY. I HAVE PEOPLE SLILLS AND AVAILABLE TIME TO WOLK HARD ON KEEPING THE HISTORICAL VALVES AND PRESERVATION OF OUR CITY. I AM WILLING TO ATTEND MEETINGS

AND TRAVEL THRU OUR CITY TO SOLVE AND PROVIDE NEEDED RESOURCES TO CITY MANAGEMENT AND CITY COUNCIL.

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#### CITY OF COSTA MESA

## INVESTMENT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

3 Members, 1 Alternate, CEO, and Mayor

<u>Nar</u>	ne/Address/Telephone	Term Expires
1.	Pete Peterson	April 2012
2.	Thomas J. Lightvoet	April 2012
3.	Terry Shaw	October 2011
4.	Tom Hatch, CEO	Ex Officio Member
5.	Gary Monahan, Mayor	Ex Officio Member
6.	Jim Righeimer, Mayor Pro Tem	Alternate (for Mayor)
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## **ALTERNATES**

Term Expires

1. David J. Stiller

October 2011

#### **STAFF LIAISONS:**

Colleen O'Donoghue, Assistant Finance Director Finance Department

Judy Vickers, Revenue Supervisor Finance Department

COMMITTEE:

**Investment Oversight Committee** 

REPRESENTATION:

The Committee meets on a quarterly basis. The Committee consists of five members, three of which are either residents or conduct business within the City and have a background that includes experience in securities trading, financial planning or banking. The remaining two members are the City Manager and the Mayor or

designee. The Committee terms are 2 years.

**PURPOSE:** 

The purpose of the Committee is to review the City and Redevelopment Agency's portfolio and investment strategies for compliance with the City and Agency's adopted Investment Policies. The role of the Committee

shall be advisory to the City Treasurer.

The Committee shall report at least annually to the City Council with its findings and recommendations regarding the portfolio's management, investment strategies and possible changes to the Investment Policy. For fiduciary and legal reasons, members of the Committee are prohibited from recommending, directing or otherwise influencing the placement of individual investments.

#### **SCHEDULED MEETINGS:**

Last Tuesday of the months of January, April, July, and October at 3:30 p.m.

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Investment Oversight Commi	ttee	City of Costa Mesa
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I am a long term resident of 0	Costa Mesa, having lived here a total of 41 years. Our c	hildren attended its schools and
graduated from Costa Mesa		
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	ations to assist this committee in its mission to assure the	iat Costa iviesa s investments are
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I hold the position of VP/Controller with a local bank and have worked in the banking industry for 28 years. The position entails assisting the CFO with securities management, accounting and interfacing with brokers.  I have a BA in Business Administration from CSUF and an AA in Accounting from OCC.				
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INVESTMENT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE	City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626

1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

/ AM RETIRED, HAVE THE TIME, & WOULD LIKE TO SERVE MY COMMUNITY IN THIS CAPACITY.

I HAVE A BACKGROUND IN INVESTMENTS & FEEL I HAVE THE QUALIFICATIONS NECESSARY TO BE OF HELP TO THE CITY

1 ALSO SERVE THE COMMUNITY AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNITY EMERCENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT)

I HAVE APPLIED TWICE PRIOR TO THIS & HAVE ATTENDED A NUMBER OF THE COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

2.	Indicate any experience or qualifications you possess that might apply to the Commission/Committee/Board you are
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GRADUATE UCLA, 1952 U.S. AIR FORCE 1952-1960, RANK of CAPTAIN MORGAN STANLEY 1960-1997. SERVED AS A REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE, BRANCH MANACER, & REGIONAL DIRECTOR. MEMBER, BOARD OF DIRECTORS, & OF THE SENIOR MANAGEMENT CROUP, DURING MY CAREER IN THE INVESTMENT BUSINESS, I WAS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD, INCLUDING CHIRRMAN, OF THE SECURITIES INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION, WESTERN REGION, AS WELL AS AN ADJUNCT MEMBER OF THE NEW YORKSTOCK EXCHNGE. 1 ALSO ATTENDED THE SECURITIES WOUSTRY INSTUTE AT THE WHARTON SCHOOL, UNWERSITY OFPENHSYLVANIA 1 HELD THE TITLE OF CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANHER I CURRENTLY MANAGE OUR FAMILY INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO.

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City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626

1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

I have served on City Commissions and on this Committee since 1989 and wish to continue to serve the City on this Committee as a Regular Member. If not appointed as a Regular Member, I apply to continue as an Alternate Member on the Committee.

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## 20 December 2004

The Costa Mesa City Council P. O. Box 1200 Costa Mesa, CA 92628-1200

#### Dear Councilmembers:

I am applying for appointment to City's Parks, Recreational Facilities and Parkways Commission.

I am married to Clarisse since 1965. We have lived in Costa Mesa since 1971. We have two sons both of whom attended Newport Mesa pubic schools. I am retired from gainful employment.

#### **EDUCATION:**

- 1. Graduated from Cleveland Heights High School in June 1953.
- 2. Graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy with a B. S. in June 1957.
- 3. Completed two years at night at the Cleveland Marshall Law School, Cleveland, Ohio, from September 1965 to June 1967.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD:

- 1. Served as a Commissioned Officer in the U. S. Navy from June 1957 to June 1965.
- 2. Employed as a Purchasing Agent by the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co. from September 1965 to May 1969.
- 3. Employed as an Account Executive by Merrill Lynch from May 1969 to July 1973.
- 4. Employed by the Allstate Insurance Co. as a bodily injury claim investigator and litigation specialist from July 1973 to February

## 1996.

5. Employed by Pioneer Claims Service as an investigator from March 1996 to November 1999.

## **PUBLIC SERVICE:**

- 1. Served on the City's Transportation Commission from March 1989 to December 1993 during which I was the Chairman for two consecutive years. One of the major projects completed in that period was the widening of Victoria St.
- 2. Served on the Parks Commission from April 1994 to January 2001 during which I was, as I best remember, the Chairman for two consecutive years. Major projects undertaken during that period were the continuing refinement of the Master Plan for Fairview Park and the completion of the Farm Sports Complex. During the last year on the Commission, we took the first steps to locate and approving Costa Mesa's first Skateboard Park.

In the almost four years since I last served on the Commission, the City has successfully located and begun construction of a Skateboard Park. I spoke several times before City Commissions and the City Council in support of the location in TeWinkle Park.

In the near future the City needs to locate a second Skateboard Park. The City also needs to locate and establish additional park facilities.

I know most of the Senior Staff in Parks and Recreation matters and have worked successfully with them.

I look forward to again serving on the Parks Commission.

Please let me know when I can meet with each of you about this appointment. My phone number is 714-557-9375 and my E-Mail address is kuscvoli@aol.com.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

David J. Stiller





To: CITY CLERK - COSTA MESA

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#### AL MELONE

## Owner, ASSET RECOVERY TRUST

Costa Mesa, California ! Financial Services

Current Owner at ASSET RECOVERY TRUST

Past Audit Manager at Peat Marwick (now KPMG)

Education MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

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Public Profile http://www.linkedin.com/pub/al-melone/1b/539/972

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#### Experience

#### Owner

#### **ASSET RECOVERY TRUST**

Financial Services industry

January 1994 - Present (17 years 10 months)

Locating persons and companies and assisting them in retrieving their unclaimed funds from federal bankruptcy courts.

#### **Audit Manager**

Peat Marwick (now KPMG)

Partnership; Accounting industry

September 1972 - June 1977 (4 years 10 months) ! Los Angeles, CA

Passed CPA exam in one sitting, specialized in audits of entertainment companies, such as 20th Century

Am presently a retired CPA.

#### Education

#### MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

M.B.A., Finance 1967 ~ 1969

#### FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

B.S., ACCOUNTING, PHILOSPHY 1964 - 1967

#### Additional Information

Websites:

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Qualifications of Chris Bright

Third generation of family in Orange County, 12 years residing in Costa Mesa.

BA Finance, CSUF 1977

Thirty years experience in Banking, on lending side. Underwriting and audit experience.

I have done well in stock market investing – by doing my homework and applying a lifetime of learning.

I am very well read in both economics and business areas.

My father & grandfather both were building contractors here in Orange County. I continued in this vein by moving to financing and in investing in real property. I own a small industrial building (no mortgage on it!).

I desire to serve on the Investment Oversight Committee for a number of reasons.

I would like to help this city. I would also like to keep busy (retired now). I want to learn more about government operations. I want to give something back to the community.

I believe that my 30-year career in banking (lending side) and my knowledge of investing qualify me to serve. I have done well in the stock market. I have educated myself and consider myself to be a member of the Warren Buffett school of thought.

I believe that public monies must be conservatively looked after. I am sure that I can contribute so as to make sure the city's money is not put at risk. I can read and understand a balance sheet, income statement, cash flow statement. I am familiar with the bond market.

# CITY OF COSTA MESA REDEVELOPMENT & RESIDENTIAL REHABILITATION COMMITTEE 11 Members/5 Alternates

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1.	Arlene Schafer	October 2011
2.	Philip Morello (CHAIR)	October 2011
3.	Keith Maximillian Scheinberg	October 2012
4.	Christian Eric	October 2012
5.	Jeff Mathews	October 2012
6.	William R. (Bob) Wakeham	October 2011
7.	Diane McCardle	October 2012
8.	Christian Olson	October 2012
9.	Yvonne Rowden	October 2012
10.	Cambria Briggs (VICE CHAIR)	October 2011
11.	Robert Dickson, Jr.	October 2011

### **ALTERNATES:**

- 1. Colin McCarthy
- 2. Jeffrey Harlan
- 3 Andrew Smith
- 4. VACANT
- 5. VACANT

## **COUNCIL LIAISON:**

Steve Mensinger, Council Member

## **ALTERNATE COUNCIL LIAISON**

Eric Bever, Council Member

## PLANNING COMMISSION LIAISON:

Colin McCarthy

#### CDBG CONSULTANT

Mike Linares

#### STAFF LIAISONS

Muriel Ullman, Neighborhood Improvement Manager

Alma Penalosa, Management Analyst

Hilda Veturis, Management Analyst

COMMITTEE:

Redevelopment & Residential Rehabilitation Committee

REPRESENTATION:

Eleven members and five alternates: one liaison from the City Council/Redevelopment Agency, one liaison from the Planning Commission. In appointment of the members, special emphasis is to be placed to ensure equitable representation by business owners/managers and residents within the Redevelopment Project Area.

**PURPOSE:** 

- To promote community understanding of, and involvement in, the redevelopment process and activities funded by U. S. Housing and Urban Development Department (HUD), Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), and/or HOME Investment Partnership Act (HOME) funds.
- 2. To review the existing Redevelopment Plan for the Downtown Redevelopment Area, and to suggest possible modifications to increase its relevance and effectiveness.
- To serve as an advisory body to the Costa Mesa Redevelopment Agency with respect to major new redevelopment activities.
- 4. To serve as an advisory body to the City Council on activities funded by HUD, Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), and/or HOME Investment Partnership Act (HOME) funds, in fulfillment of the City's Citizen Participation Plan.

SCHEDULED MEETINGS: Fourth Tuesday of every other month at 6:00 p.m.

TERMS:

All members' terms are two (2) years; six (6) members are assigned to odd numbered years and five (5) members are assigned to even numbered years. Alternates who are moved to an incumbent's term will fulfill that term and then may re-apply as a full member.

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I have lived in Costa Mesa my entire adult life. I have attended college how, I own property have and I also run a small business in the City. It is safe to say I have a stake in the community and a vested interest in seeing it prosper. I believe serving on the Redevelopment committee would allow me to utilize my specialty in real estate with my experience leducation in business management to help improve losta Mesa's howing related issues.

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interested in serving on. A resume may also be attached to this form. This is strictly optional.
I am a licensed Realtor who conducts business in Losta Mesa.
I am intimately familiar with the city and its people. I have
a Bachelors Degree in business management and I have
chaired/served on several committees in my work as a
commercial claims executive with fature 500 companies.
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## GOLDSWORTHY, CHRIS

From:

Chris Jackson

Sent:

Thursday, September 29, 2011 4:58 PM

To:

GOLDSWORTHY, CHRIS

Subject: Re: Committee Application

Hi Chris,

My apologies for any confusion. Your assumption is correct. I am applying for the Redevelopment and Residential Rehabilitation Committee.

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

Chris Jackson

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I am a homeowner and 28-year permanent resident of Costa Mesa. My intent is to raise a family here. I would like to take an active role in the health of this city, so as to ensure my Children benefit from the same community environment I enjoyed in my youth.

My education background and business experience enable sound judgement and even-handed decisionmaking. I am adept at both oral and written presentation, and I enjoy working in diverse group situations.

I have specific experience in investment analysis, program management, and also conflict resolution. I would like to combine my affection for Costa Mesa, and my skills and experience, by serving on the 3R Committee.

Thank you for your time and consideration. Please contact me with any questions.

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## JIM ERICKSON

## SUMMARY

- Driven self-starter with proven success in technical sales, project management and strategic business planning
- Effective communicator of technical knowledge and value-creation of products to customer segments and markets
- Enjoys both independent achievement and contributing to the success of a team
- Leverages the best technology and business practices to achieve outstanding results

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Participation since my youth (probably age 7-8) in Neighbors for Neighbors and ReLeaf Costa Mesa
- Member of Costa Mesa Rotary Club
- Served on Costa Mesa Advisory Committee for Teens in High School
- Homeowner in Freedom Tract
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Orange County

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

## Energy Efficiency Specialist, Progressive Lighting & Energy Solutions

(April 2010-Current)

- Sold complex turnkey lighting installations utilizing customer specific solutions and the highest incentives available
- Responsible for \$500,000 in sales in first 8 months with no previous sales experience
- Created collaborative partnerships with lighting vendors and vendors of complimentary products and services to boost sales
- Recorded sales activity using ACT as well as SugarCRM; presented values with PowerPoint, and Excel
- Created and maintained relationships through industry organizations (BOMA, IFMA, USGBC) to promote our services
- Responsible for lead generation, qualification, specification of product, close, and transition to installation team

## Operations Manager, Progressive Lighting & Energy Solutions

(August 2006-April 2010)

- Led the formation of an operations division within start-up company
- Hired an installation team and created training and safety manual
- Managed up to 20 lighting installations concurrently within commercial, military, education, hospitality, manufacturing and logistics markets throughout the state of California
- Implemented Just-in-Time principles to reduce inventory and save holding costs
- Expanded vendor base to get competitive product pricing and reduce risk of back order
- Created process flow for the field installation team as well as the project management stakeholders to capture and report all project progress from initial specifications to final billing

## **EDUCATION**

Master of Science: Industrial and Technical Studies, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo

June 2006 June 2005

Bachelor of Science: Industrial Technology, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo

Minors of Study: Packaging, and Integrative Technology

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## Employee of the Year 2007, Progressive Lighting and Energy Solutions National Business Ethics Competition

Winner of the Emmons Prize for best ethical analysis and overall oral and PowerPoint presentation skills in a group presentation. National champions over universities including USC, William and Mary, Navy, and WestPoint.

## **INTERESTS**

Community Service, Team Sports, Motorcycles, Surfing, Sailing, Cycling(MTB, cyclocross, BMX), Travel and the Outdoors

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I am currently serving on the 3R Committee, and wish to continue doing so for another term. I am the Planning Commission liason to the 3R Committee.

There are many critical issues still to be addressed, and I believe that the 3R Committee provides excellent advice and service to the City Council.

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#### 3R reappointment

I have been a member of the 3R committee for some 14 years and I would like to continue my volunteer service as a committee member and current chairman. I believe a general public member like me adds balance to the professionals that have been appointed to the committee. Many thanks for your consideration.

Philip Morello 9/12/11



- Resident of Costa Mesa since 1981.
- Active in City issues since 1985 attending City Council meetings and study sessions.
- Founder and former president and former director of the Wallace Area Improvement Group (W.A.I.G.) and attended other Westside Costa Mesa Improvement Groups.
- Participated in the first and some subsequent Neighbors for Neighbors cleanups.
- Started, with a coalition of other neighbors, the 24 hour removal of graffiti for which the City subsequently assumed responsibility.
- Started, with a coalition of other neighbors, the removal of abandoned grocery shopping cart in our neighborhood streets.
- With a coalition of other neighbors, petitioned the city to install additional street lighting in high crime Westside Costa Mesa neighborhoods.
- With a coalition of other neighbors, petitioned the city to remove noise, litter and unsafe food impacts by removing pushcart vendors from our Westside Costa Mesa neighborhood streets.
- With a coalition of other neighbors, petitioned the city to remove horn noise impacts from street vending trucks in our residential neighborhoods.
- As a W.A.I.G. director, sponsored large dumpsters for Westside Costa Mesa residents to use free-of-charge for residents and neighborhood cleanup.
- Participated in the 3R's sub-committee money grant recommendations to the Costa Mesa City Council.
- Have visited a number of Costa Mesa Charities.
- Elected by my committee peers as the current 3R committee chairman.

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As an alternate I am alagible for and mish to serve as a member. I appreciate your consideration.

I have been a Cost Mesa resident for a zoyear and a home owner for 15 years. During this time I have been an informal citizen and remained engaged in current events. As a home owner and a pavent and grand provide to Costa Mesa Youth I im very interested in contribution to City Governance.

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I own a self finered I sweeze business and consider my self a Social Moderate and Fiscal Conservative. As Such I would like to contralloute both Compositionally and Construction to Costa Mesa. I have morted for a large Real Botate enterprise and have extensive experime with fine-al budgets, projections, reporting and even I al use. I am a gratuate of the University of California with a BA:-Economies, and have home consider. We for ing - travel. I in on and reader and particularly enjoy the staty of economics and land use.

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I have been an active and regularly attending member of the City 3R committee for a number of years and request the opportunity to continue to serve in that capacity.

I have been particularly active in the interview phase of the Non Profit grant program, and in the allocation of the distributions.

Thank you for your consideration.

W.R. Bob Wakeham

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1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

I am a long term resident of Costa Mesa. I moved here first in 1967, and most recently in 1986. I have lived on the west side of Costa Mesa (Whittier Avenue) for more than 24 years, and have remodeled my original Freedom home into the nice suburban home it is today.

The future of Costa Mesa depends in large part on maintaining and improving its residential and commercial zones. Costa Mesa is a wonderful place to live and to work, and I feel it is important to maintain that 'homey' residential atmosphere while we support opportunities for business growth.

Revitalization of the west side of Costa Mesa is a high priority for me. I am interested in programs that encourage and support home owners to improve their properties. The possibility of multiple-use overlap zones, that allow individuals to live and operate small businesses in the same space, is appealing.

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> I am a scientist, and have been a Professor at UC Irvine for 35 years. My skills include analyzing problems and coming up with solutions. I am more than a bench scientist, as I have been heavily involved in academic administration for most of my tenure at UC Irvine, serving as Department Chair and also serving as member and Chair of a variety of academic committees. I have good people skills, and can facilitate group consensus on troublesome issues.

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#### RESUME RICHARD T. ROBERTSON

Richard T. Robertson, Ph.D.

Professor, Anatomy and Neurobiology Department of Anatomy and Neurobiology

School of Medicine

University of California, Irvine Irvine, California 92697-1280 Telephone: (949) 824-6553 FAX: (949 824-1105

e-mail: rtrobert@uci.edu

#### **EDUCATION**

1967 Bachelor of Science in Psychology

Washington State University

1971 Doctor of Philosophy in Biological Sciences

University of California, Irvine

1971-72 Postdoctoral study in Neuroscience, Anatomical Institute

University of Oslo, Norway

#### **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

1989- Professor of Anatomy and Neurobiology

College of Medicine, University of California, Irvine

1981-1988 Associate Professor of Anatomy and Neurobiology

College of Medicine, University of California, Irvine

1977-80 Assistant Professor of Anatomy

College of Medicine, University of California, Irvine

#### ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

1994-2003 Chair

Department of Anatomy and Neurobiology

University of California, Irvine

1996-2000 President, UCI Chapter, Society for Neuroscience

### PROFESSIONAL AND HONORARY SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

Society for Neuroscience

International Brain Research Organization

International Society for Developmental Neuroscience

Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology

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1. I have been part of the community for over two decades and want to see our city continue to develop and prosper as one of the best cities in Orange County.

I think Redevelopment is an important part of planning, and my familiarity with the city and its needs will be beneficial for all concerned.

2. I have been an attorney since 1988. My office has been in Costa Mesa from 1991 through the present. I have handled thousands of Bankruptcy and civil cases for both individuals, couples, and businesses that involved real estate and complex government regulations. I can help the city's attorneys interpret and apply various laws and regulations as they pertain to redevelopment. My involvement might save the city money at a time where there are funding and budget issues.

At the least, the city council would have the benefit of my legal and business experience and knowledge without charge.

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#### 1. Why do I wish to serve on this Committee?

I desire to do what is best for our community and to present a favorable business environment not only for those currently doing business here but for those wishing to locate/relocate.

I have been a small businessman for years. By necessity I have dealt with attorneys, city administrators, contractors, and landlords to ensure that I met and continue to meet all the legal requirements of owning and operating a small business. Thus I know the complexities and challenges of being a small businessman. I think this perspective would be invaluable to the Rehabilitation/Redevelopment Board as it proceeds to shape economic policy for our city.

As the owner of a business on Newport Boulevard, I employ seven people. My business demands interaction with my clients and through this experience I have gained an understanding of community needs.

I wish to represent the desires and needs of Costa Mesa residents and business owners by seeking the betterment of our community. I have lived in Costa Mesa for over 20 years. My wife, my children and I have our hearts in Costa Mesa. We plan to remain here. I am at a point in my business career and my life where I want to give back to the community that I love.

### 2. Experience and Qualifications

- As a small business owner I have a finger on the pulse of the community through my client/community/residential relationships.
- I am very experienced with the challenges and complexities of running a business.
- I am very well networked within the business community and could perhaps help the commission access those individuals who would be helpful to the organization
- As an employer, I can bring that perspective to this committee and help the commission to understand the challenges employers are facing in this difficult economic environment.

In sum, my experience as a small business owner and being a resident of Costa Mesa with a strong network in the business and residential community, I believe I would be an asset to this commission.

Sincerely,

//s/ -

Bernard Rubio

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# City of Costa Mesa Application for Commission/Committee Appointment

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As a senior IT executive I have experience dealing with complex issues including resource allocation, budgeting and prioritization of the needs of multiple stakeholders.					
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For 34 years, I have lived in or around Costa Mesa. As a result, I have a deep sense of affection for this city, and I am proud to call Costa Mesa "home." Because I realize how fortunate I am to reside here, gratitude now drives me to give back and help make Costa Mesa a place for others to also enjoy.

I wish to serve on this particular Committee for two reasons: (1) I am qualified to be a valuable asset, and (2) I am highly interested in the objective.

My academic and professional experiences enable me to make immediate and meaningful contributions towards the advancement of the Committee's objectives. In particular, I majored in urban planning and design at UCI, I excelled in local and federal governance classes in law school, and I have been a real estate attorney for the last 3 years.

Perhaps even more significant that the fact that I can do the job well is the fact that I want to do the job well. In fact, I possess a profound personal interest in redevelopment. I have spent countless hours renovating my own home, as well as, many other homes of friends. I now hope to participate in this process on a grander scale because I believe that improving the physical quality of structures can enhance the emotional quality of life for us all.

For all of the reasons expressed herein, I wish to serve on Costa Mesa's 3R Committee. Your consideration of my application is greatly appreciated.

# **BRANDON LOVE**

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Chapman University School of Law

Orange, CA

Juris Doctor Degree, 2007

- Law Review Executive Board Editor
- Received award for highest grade in multiple classes including Sales, Civil Practice, Advanced Civil Procedure, Toxic Torts, and Local Government

#### University of California, Irvine

Irvine, CA

Bachelor of Arts in Social Ecology and Political Science, 2001

Dean's list (3.6+ GPA) every quarter

#### **Orange Coast College**

Costa Mesa, CA

Associate of Arts in Psychology, 1999

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Pite Duncan, LLP

Irvine, CA

Attorney, Real Estate Litigation, 2011-present

#### Morrow & White

Costa Mesa, CA

Attorney, Construction Defect Litigation, 2010-2011

#### Houser & Allison

Irvine, CA

Attorney, Real Estate Litigation, 2009-2010

#### Walsworth, Franklin, Bevins & McCall

Orange, CA

Attorney, Business Litigation, 2008-2009

# 9th Circuit Federal Court of Appeals (Judge Kozinski)

Pasadena, CA

Extern, 2005

#### Chapman University School of Law

Orange, CA

Dean's Fellow for Legal Research and Writing, 2005 Research Assistant for Torts Professor, 2006

Academic Fellow for Property, 2006

#### Automobile Club of Southern California

Costa Mesa, CA

Claims Adjuster, Homeowner Insurance Department, 2001-2003 File Clerk, In-House Defense Counsel, 1998-2001

#### Miscellaneous

- Extern for Washington Superior Court, 2004
- File Clerk for a prominent Orange County Law Firm, 2004
- \* Marketing Director for a Plumbing Company, 2004
- Sales Associate for Residential Real Estate Company, 2003
- Assistant Manager at Amusement Park, 1996-1998

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I want to contribute to the city I call home - Costa Mesa.

Retired (but active) Mortgage Banking expert.

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Rehabbed 2 homes - myselt.
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Grew up as son (t grandson) of bldg contractors here in O.C. Worked on jobs summers age 13 to 19.
Educated in R.E. economics,
B.A. Finance CSUF 1977
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Mtg. Loan Underwriter since 1992. Digning authority to \$650,000
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### COSTA MESA SENIOR CORPORATION 2011 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mike Scheafer, President

Judy Lindsay, Vice President

Ron Frankiewicz, Treasurer

Dr. Paul Flanagan, Secretary

**David Stiller** 

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Phyllis Daugherty

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Vacant - Council to reappoint in October 2011

Kathleen Eric - Council App't 7/20/2010. Term expires 7/20/2012

Judith Berry - Council App't 7/20/2010. Term expires 7/20/2012

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City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626

1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

I have been a volunteer and a board member of Community Senior Serve Since 2009. I Truly enjoy working at the Center. I would like To join the Board To work with the Current members an making the Costa Mesa The best Center it Can be. I can and will helpant in anyway to achive this goal.

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interested in serving on. A resume may also be attached to this form. This is strictly optional.
I have been an active board member of Community Senier Serve Since 2009. I have been volunteering at the Costa Mesa Center every Friday for the past two years. My work experience and back ground is in the financial industry. I know what it takes to run such a large operation and I would like to be a part of it.
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# Costa Mesa Senior Center

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Julie Folcik, City Clark	From: Bill Ruggles
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To you have any questions Regarding this application for a board appointment. Please call Bill Ruggles

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## City of Costa Mesa Application for Board Appointment

Name:	William R. (Bill) Ruggles
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#### 1. Indicate why you want to serve on this board:

I am interested in becoming a board member for the Costa Mesa Senior Center in order to offer my time and experience to maximize the Senior Center experience and improve communication between the staff and seniors to facilitate the four areas outlined in the Mission Statement:

- 1. Promote dignity and self-respect
- 2. Foster independence and self-determination
- 3. Facilitate social interaction
- 4. Dispel stereotypical & negative myths about aging

# 2. Indicate any experience or qualifications you possess that might apply to the board you are interested in serving on:

Education:

Stanford University BA, Political Science; minor, Speech & Drama

Professional:

Certified Public Accountant

Corporate:

Senior officer and board member of public and private companies

(including Fiduciary Compliance Associates, Inc., a firm specializing in

auditing and consulting with the trustees of retirement plans in

accordance with ERISA)

#### Costa Mesa Senior Center service:

- Senior Advisory Committee (SAC) member
- As a SAC member and current liaison between seniors and staff, we have been able to improve communication and implement new programs
- Dining room greeter
- Visitor and new member tour guide, customized to needs of prospective members and their families
- Chronicle news letter article writer
- Attend Senior Center daily and participate in special events and programs.
- Support Senior Center programs with donations
- Volunteer 20 or more hours per week

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## City of Costa Mesa Application for Commission/Committee Appointment

Name: Haren L. Leto  Street:  City:	City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626		
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The reason I want to serve on the Senior Costa Mesa Committee Board is because I am a 69 year old senior, and I am physically and mentally healthy. I feel lucky and want to help others feel good.

At the age of 52, I was diagnosed as severely disabled. I refused to be ill and worked for a few years to get myself in shape. It was a long, hard road but I had gifts of accomplishment every day no matter how small.

I started working out at the gym, but I had no knowledge of what to do other than ride a bike or walk. I decided to take a Yoga class at Orange Coast College and that changed my life again overnight.

I wanted everyone to experience a stretching class or Yoga which led me to Pilates and that was the start of my second career.

I enrolled in a Pilates school and studied and practiced for two years to obtain my first Pilates Certification. By then, I was feeling better, more secure and confident.

In 2000, I opened up my first Pilates business on Balboa Island and started working with seniors. Two years later my daughter joined the business and we opened up a second studio, Balboa Pilates on the Peninsula.

I have worked with seniors, both men and women and a have relationship with the Newport Beach Plaza putting on demonstrations and helping them with their questions and concerns. I also work with the physical fitness, social director at the Plaza on a volunteer basis. I also participate in lectures at the Plaza.

Over one year ago I sold my studio on Balboa Island and kept the studio on the Peninsula. This was to free up some time to study Redcord Active, a physical fitness, scientifically proven suspension program from Norway. My daughter and I are now both certified in Redcord Active and work directly with The Neurac Institute in Princeton, New Jersey and Redcord in Norway.

I have videos of seniors in Norway working with the Redcord ropes, slings and handles and I will refer to links at the end of this proposal to give a deeper perspective and understanding of the neuromuscular revolution.

I love to work and I love people. I get more satisfaction out of helping people and educating them about their bodies and how they move and why it is important to strive for good posture, and if I had my way, posture would be the main topic of health in the schools. With good posture and mind to body understanding, you can be pain free. I know from firsthand experience.

I have worked with physical therapists for many hours over the past few years to learn more and make sure I have the knowledge to help people and never have them do something not correct for their body. I know when it is time to suggest a physical therapist and many seniors do well with a compassionate, understanding teacher or therapist.

I can teach a Redcord Active or Pilate's class on the mat, floor and equipment for any age at any level and/or private lessons. I can also be a consultant to seniors and help them figure out what program or exercise regimen is best for their individual needs.

I have over 25 years of business experience. I love marketing; computers and internet research; and anything that comes up in everyday life regarding challenges. I believe making important decisions can be handled with compassion and common sense.

I do believe in change, fun, excitement and motivating people to encourage them to want to feel good. When people experience improvement, even the slightest, it gives them incentive and courage to move forward.

I want to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board to work with people that have interests in the Costa Mesa Senior Center Board of Directors. We can learn and work together with the same interests, goals and love for the wise, experienced people.

People will move and react faster physically, they will be happier. Improving posture, even in slight increments to get results, is a positive step for everyone including prevention of injuries and it is never too late.

Here are a couple of links to websites that I believe are incredible. The first one is the trailer for the movie, "Young at Heart" and the second one is a link to Redcord senior balance training.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CjnfoFg7i7g

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=seiWH7NhVaU

I hope you give me a chance to meet in person, if I can be of service to the Community regarding Seniors, it would be a dream come true.

Sincerely,

Karen Leto

October 2, 2011

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Since Agnes Dubberly resigned as one of your three Costa Mesa City Council appointed Costa Mesa Senior Center Board of Directors effective August 15, 2011, I would like to be considered to complete her term and join Kathleen Eric and Judi Berry on the Board.

Since January 2009, I have attended and tape recorded all Board of Director, Executive Committee and Special Budget meetings as well as attending the Senior Advisory Committee meetings. I also attended and tape recorded all City/Senior Center Task Force meetings regarding their new 5 year contract.

Prior to my attending the meetings, the Board of Directors did not comply with the Brown Act and refused to allow tape recordings of their board meetings nor did they allow the seniors to see the budgets, or any other documents. The agendas and minutes were not posted seventy two hours prior or readable from outside the building. I still have to pursue Brown Act violations.

Both Executive Director Ms. Aviva Goelman and Program Director Mr. Darryl Kim have a lengthy list of things the Senior Center members are not allowed to ask about, or comment, on such as wanting to know the actual number of "staff hours" on site. Aviva and Darryl are not always at the center during the 9 to 5 daylight hours when the seniors are using the facility. "Staff Pay" is another question that the board members should know. Also, seniors would like to know why it takes months to get a (popular) program or activity implemented.

Even without their inalienable First Amendment rights, our seniors have the right to question or comment on anything that occurs at the Senior Center; in addition to these rights, this is a City owned building funded primarily by City taxpayers and the council needs to be aware of how this property is being run.

Last, but certainly not least, the Board of Directors is often not in compliance with their own By-Laws.

Council, thank you for your consideration of my request to serve on your behalf as board member of the Senior Center. If you have any questions, please contact me.

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## City of Costa Mesa Application for Commission/Committee Appointment

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#### Costa Mesa Senior Center Board of Directors

I wish to serve the City of Costa Mesa as a member of the board of Directors for the Senior Center because I believe the seniors residing in Costa Mesa are a valuable resource for all of our citizens and we as a city need to offer opportunities for the community to nurture, love, and help our seniors grow, flourish and enjoy their golden years in Costa Mesa. As the city of the Arts, Costa Mesa has a wealth of opportunities for our seniors to enjoy art, music, outdoor activities and cultural events in our city and the surrounding areas. As a member of the board of Directors, I hope to give a voice to the many seniors in our city to ensure they are taking advantage of the wonderful opportunities available through the senior center.

As an estate planning attorney, one of my main client groups is seniors and I believe this segment of our population is often not appreciated or understood. Seniors in Costa Mesa helped make the city one of the greatest places to live in Southern California but they may not be receiving the services they need-they are often targets of fraud or may have significant health care concerns and these folks need to be able to rely on their city's resources to help navigate these issues. I hope to help foster better understanding among all segments of our community and hope to help grow the numbers of citizens utilizing the many offerings the Senior Center has to offer.

Sincerely,

Roshele I. Snyder, Esq.

## Roshele I. Snyder

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### RSNYDER LAW FIRM, Costa Mesa, CA

Attorney-at Law, May 2011- Present

• Counsel clients regarding estate planning needs, including drafting wills, trusts, and other estate planning documents.

#### INDEPENDENT CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, Irvine, California

Financial Advisor, Mar 2011 – May 2011

• Create comprehensive financial plans for clients including retirement planning, health and disability insurance, life insurance, long term care and estate planning.

#### WINTERBOTHAM, PARHAM, TEEPLE APC, Santa Ana, California

Law Clerk, Aug 2009 - Nov 2010

• Interviewed potential clients. Assessed both Chapter 7 and Chapter 13 cases and conferred with attorneys. Prepared all pre-filing documentation for processing. Monitored case progress for Chapter 13 cases including monthly payments. Prepared motions to extinguish junior liens. Processed re-affirmation agreements.

#### DOAN LAW FIRM, San Clemente, California

Law Clerk, Apr 2009 - Aug 2009

• Met with clients and prepared all pre-filing documentation for Chapter 7 bankruptcies. Prepared cases using Best Case software. Conferred with attorneys regarding case.

#### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE, Irvine, California

Financial Aid Counselor, Mar 2008 - Apr 2009

Managed federal/state/institutional financial aid programs for over 1,500 undergraduate and graduate students.

#### VANGUARD UNIVERSITY, Costa Mesa, California

Adjunct Professor, Aug 2008 - Dec 2008

Taught upper division course" Politics of the Middle East".

Financial Aid Counselor/ Compliance Officer, Sep 2000 - Mar 2008

 Managed federal/state/institutional financial aid programs for over 400 adult students. Assisted students with debt counseling and money management. Created, updated and maintained Policy and Procedure Manual for department including federal regulations. Acted as liaison for federal updates.

#### EDUCATION

#### Whittier Law School, Costa Mesa, California

Juris Doctor, May 2008

- CALI Award-Federal Income Taxation
- Journal of Child and Family Advocacy/Pi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity

#### Vanguard University, Costa Mesa, California

Bachelor's Degree/History Political Science, May 2004

- Summa Cum Laude
- Outstanding History Graduate, Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society/ President's Honor Award

Pi Sigma Alpha Political Science Honor Society/ Pi Alpha Delta Pre-Law Fraternity

#### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Proficient in Time Matters and Best Case software
- Proficient in all Microsoft Office applications

### CREDENTIALS AND LICENSES

- Admitted to California State Bar, June 2011
- Life/ Health Insurance Agent

#### **AFFILIATIONS**

Volunteer with Boys Scouts of America

## CITY OF COSTA MESA CITY CLERK'S OFFICE INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO:

CITY COUNCIL

FROM:

JULIE FOLCIK, CITY CLERK

DATE:

October 7, 2011

SUBJECT:

NEW BUSINESS -1 - OCTOBER 18, 2011 CITY COUNCIL MEETING

LATE APPLICATIONS FOR CITY COUNCIL-APPOINTED COMMITTEES

The attached applications were received for the Cultural Arts Committee and the Redevelopment and Residential Rehabilitation (3R) Committee after the deadline of 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>.

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Tom Hatch, CEO

Peter Naghavi, Interim Asst CEO Committee/Board Liaisons

# City of Costa Mesa Application for Commission/Committee Appointment

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1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

As a Costa Mesa resident for the past seven years, I have learned to appreciate the many opportunities the city provides for involvement with the arts. Certainly the many and varied theatrical and musical performances presented at the Orange County Performing Arts Center and South Coast Repertory Theater are equal or superior to those offered at most comparable venues anywhere in the country. We have a thriving local music scene that has fostered a number of popular musicians and bands that have gone on to seek wider acclaim after having played local venues, such as the Detroit Bar or Avalon.

Continuing attention to the encouragement of art in public places is a natural extension of the flourishing presence of art, which Costa Mesa already enjoys, and I would welcome the chance to participate in a program aimed at raising awareness and heightening appreciation of related activities sponsored by the city.

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# Resume - Sharon Cohen, Ph.D Applicant for Costa Mesa Arts Commission

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Special Events Coordinator - Film Festival
South by Southwest Music, Film and Interactive Conference and Festival
January 1998 - May 2004

Coordinated, managed, and staffed up to 25 parties a year within a five-day span during Austin's world renowned South by Southwest Music, Film & Interactive Media Conference and Festival

Volunteer -Film Festival Newport Beach Film Festival (current)

Volunteer - Theater Newport Theatre Arts Center (current)

The University of Texas at Austin
PhD, Social Work, Occupational Stress of Popular Musicians

Dissertation topic: An Exploratory Study of Popular Musicians' Occupational Stress, Cognitive Appraisals, and Coping Styles.

Personally interviewed approximately 200 popular local and international musicians. In its use here, the phrase "popular musicians" omits orchestral and classical musicians, as research studies have been carried out on these populations and by the nature of their business, these genres are considerably different from popular musicians. Developed and validated the Musicians' Occupational Stress Scale (MOSS) to obtain statistical information. Blended quantitative data with qualitative findings gathered through interviews in one of the first studies to flesh out the picture of popular musicians today.

Current Private Practice
Educator of Effective Communication Strategies
Dr. Sharon

Counseling with people wanting help to communicate rationally, not emotionally, to develop more effective communication strategies for their career or interpersonal relationships.

January, 2011 - Present

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#### Resume Sharon Cohen, Ph.D

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Vice President
SafetyMate, Inc. Costa Mesa

Consumer Goods industry April 2005 – January ,2011

Conceived, designed and implemented research studies to evaluate the usability of SafetyMate's Talking First Aid device, including independent research receiving FDA approval for the Safety Mate equipment.

Social Coordinator
Jewish Community Center of Orange County

March 2005 - March 2006

Founded a social group for adults between the ages of 30 - 45 and grew membership to 400 people in a one year span, using innovative marketing techniques.

Outpatient Admissions Clinician Seton Shoal Creek Hospital Hospital & Health Care industry

May 2000 - November 2004

Crisis management, crisis assessments - working with highly volatile patients, chemical dependency evaluations, sole provider of substance abuse evaluations for the Texas State Board of Law Examiners, developed and implemented restructuring of outpatient admissions department, Utilization Review.

Clinical Social Worker
College Hospital Costa Mesa
Hospital & Health Care industry

June 1992 - June 1995

Provided individual, couples, group therapy as well as facilitated multi-family therapy groups. Presented progress of patients to multidisciplinary team. Hospital representative for probable cause hearings as well as liaison with Public Guardian for conservatees. Continual patient & family education, trained new team members, designed and implemented new clinical format.

University of Texas, Austin PhD
University of Southern California, MSW
UCLA Bachelor of Arts

City of Costa Mesa Application for Commission/Committee Appointment	TRM
Name: Kevin Merrett  Street.  City: Zip: Phone (H): (W): E-mail Address:	City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626
My interest in serving on this Housing Committee is to continue to be active in the within the position where my expertise will assist the Commission and Council in making the most appresources available to create sustainable, thriving neighborhoods.  In response to the current economic climate, we as individuals, families, neighbors, business are all looking to best utilize resources available and make the most efficient choices. I wan with the City of Costa Mesa to continue to guide the path of revitalizing neighborhoods and ability to maintain a clean, healthy and safe environment. I want to be a part of the group he of renters, home owners and neighbor committees into an atmosphere that can provide and s programs in place and provide new ideas and perspectives to reach the common goal of revi	responsive decisions with the responsive sessions with the responsive sessions with the responsive sessions with the responsive sessions the responsive sessions the responsive sessions the responsive sessions with the responsive sessions the responsive sessions with the respon

New programs are frequently created by HUD; some are exclusive for public or non-profit entities, however, many other programs are underutilized. Programs exist for apartment owners, businesses and home owners and the City of Costa Mesa, and I want to make available recipients aware that these programs exist and they are eligible to apply. These programs mostly target the same areas that generally overlap with AMI requirement's, RDA and HUD target zones. I believe through City support and working with committee groups we can also show owners and renters in the area how they also can work with these programs to improve their current condition.

Being a active member of the Urban Land Institute for five years has given me experience in finding the best land use practices around the world and bringing them to every community that we are involved in shaping. I want to continue to work with the committees to give them better information on how housing is changing from generation to generation and to help allocate resources to provide an improved living experience in Costa Mesa for this generation and the next. In Costa Mesa, like most of Orange County, we have been redesigning the fabric of building practices to create a better and more sustainable world for the next generation. I have attended the program for the Leadership for Planned Communities and Urban Infill which brought together the top industry leaders for home builder, architects, engineers, and government officials to share ideas about new innovation that can provide more affordable housing within any community. Funding sources are available in energy sectors that can allow home owners and apartment owners grants and below market rate loans to upgrade buildings for weather protection and energy efficiency.

With the fast-paced changes of redevelopment agencies and other state sources I feel this is a very critical time to make sure that our local cities are aware of other HUD programs that will be more necessary to continue scheduled projects and maintained growth of a healthy affordable housing stock.

While working at an affordable housing development company I found that my greatest satisfaction came after the housing project was complete and I was able to meet the new residents of the community. The new residents often would share stories about previous living conditions and it gave me pride to see the improvements made and the many opportunity provided.

	My experience has been in ground-up residential and commercial development working in land acquisitions and project management. After graduation from California State University, Fullerton with a Business degree in Real Estate and Land Institute, I was able to devote full time to this pursuit by building relationships with city officials and a larger network of contractors throughout California. During this time I was responsible for projects from conception to completion and was a liaison to coordinate due diligence, budgets, and attain financing and necessary project approvals with city planning and redevelopment agencies.
	Being on the front lines in Acquisitions, the changes in the economy were more pronounced than in other areas and the ability to obtain financing and market prices to continue building new apartment complexes became difficult to near-impossible for the niche. From this transition, I was inspired to research retail businesses that had the ability to be absentee owned and could thrive in any economy. After finding a leased space that had previously operated as a laundromat before closing for over a year after a fire, I completely redesigned the interior and enhanced the store's image to re-open the location with technology upgrades to efficiently manage and operate the store remotely, thus restoring local services back to the community.
	In addition to the laundromat, I am the President and Co-founder of Quest Preservation. Founded in 2008, Quest was based on the principle that adding or maintaining value to any asset is a top priority. As a licensed general contractor, Quest focuses on maintaining and preserving default assets and working with local brokers on REO property repairs and value-add items. We now also complete tenant improvement and emergency repairs for property managers. In Quest Preservation's second full year of business we were able to complete over 14,000 work orders and projects for banks and asset management companies across nine states.
	In line with my professional interests, I am the President and Charting member of the Real Estate and Entrepreneur Alumni Association at CSUF. Now a 100 member organization, we focus on sharing knowledge through personal experiences and how to help navigate local graduates with job placement and mentorship.
	Through the Urban Land Institute I am on a Tactical Advisory Panel that helps non-profits achieve their expansion and growth goals for the next 5-10 years of their development. We help outline and troubleshoot all areas of development with experts for each receptive field of the building industry.
	I hope that you were able to sense the passion I have for this opportunity and that my experience aligns with the Board's mission. I look forward to working with the Committee and would be happy to further discuss my interest and qualifications with you.
	Sincerely, Kevin Merrett
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#### GOLDSWORTHY, CHRIS

From:

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Friday, October 07, 2011 4:34 PM

To:

GOLDSWORTHY, CHRIS

Subject:

Re: Committee Application

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Redevelopment and Residential Rehabilitation (3R) Committee

Thank you.

Kevin Merrett

On Fri, Oct 7, 2011 at 3:06 PM, GOLDSWORTHY, CHRIS < CHRIS.GOLDSWORTHY@costamesaca.gov> wrote:

Mr. Merritt,

I have received your late application for a committee appointment. On your application you indicated that you are applying for the "housing CDBG". Since we don't have a committee by that name I need to clarify what committee you want to submit your application for. I have attached a copy of our most recent press release on the committee recruitment. Please review and let me know which committee you want to apply for appointment as soon as you can as the City Council will receive the submitted applications very soon.

Thanks.

Christiane Goldsworthy

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