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AGENDA DATE: August 26, 2009
Memorandum Date: August 12, 2009



TO: Board of County Commissioners

DEPARTMENT: Health & Human Services

PRESENTED BY: Rob Rockstroh

AGENDA TITLE: ORDER _____ / IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING NINE MEMBERS TO THE HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION COMMUNITY ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

I. MOTION

ORDER _____ / In the Matter of Appointing Nine Members to the Human Services Commission Community Action Advisory Committee.

II. AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

The Human Services Commission (HSC) Community Action Advisory Committee (CAAC) seeks to fill three vacancies, affirm five others as county commissioner appointees and correct the term of appointment for other.

III. BACKGROUND/IMPLICATIONS OF ACTION

A. Board Action and Other History

The Community Action Advisory Committee is a mandated committee defined by Oregon Revised Statute 458.505. The statute defines the committee, sets out its responsibilities and stipulates requirements for membership. Membership requirements are:

- One-third of the members are elected public officials currently serving or their designees; and,
- One-third of the members are persons chosen through democratic selection procedures adequate to assure that they are representatives of the poor in the area served; and
- The remainder of the members are officials or members of business, industry, labor, religious, welfare, education or other major groups and interests in the community.

Lane Manual Chapter 3.530 further defines the CAAC and limits membership to 12.

Within those 12 members, four must be public officials currently serving or their designees and must consist of at least one Lane County member, one City of Eugene member and one City of Springfield member. The public official representatives may serve on the committee for a one-year term ending on January 14 and there is no limit to the number of terms that the person in these positions may serve.

The remaining eight members are composed half of "representatives of the poor in the area" and half of "representatives of officials of business, industry, labor, religious, welfare, education or members of major groups and interests in the community." These eight positions are appointed by the Board of Commissioners with terms of four years in length. The CAAC bylaws further limits membership terms for these positions to two – two terms of four years each up to a maximum of eight years.

Then, in April of this year (board order number 09-4-29-1) the board took action regarding appointments to citizen advisory committees and revised Lane Manual 3.506(2)(e). "If an advisory committee consists of more than 5 members, 5 of the committee members shall be appointed by individual commissioners. The remaining committee members shall be at-large members, appointed by the Board of Commissioners... For current appointments, the committees and the Board of Commissioners shall have 6 months from the date of adoption of this section to determine which appointees are at-large appointees and which are appointed by individual commissioners." The six-month period ends on October 29, 2009.

The CAAC has three vacant member positions that are public official or designee positions. In addition, the fourth of the public official/designee positions was filled on April 1, 2009. However, the term of office was incorrectly stated as three years ending on December 31, 2012 rather than one year ending on January 14, 2010. The three vacant positions must be filled and the term of office for the fourth position must be corrected. To that end:

- Mayor Kitty Piercey has designated Martha Roberts as her designee for the City of Eugene;
- Springfield City Councilor Dave Ralston has designated Dan Rupe as his designee for the City of Springfield;
- The Board of Commissioners is being asked to appoint Marty Johnson to serve as a public designee for Lane County; and,
- The Board of Commissioners is being asked to affirm Carmen Urbina to serve as the public official designee for Lane County for the remainder of her one-year term ending on January 14, 2010.

Finally, the CAAC is seeking to come into compliance with the new rule regarding individual commissioner appointments to advisory committees. There are eight positions that are currently filled in this committee by citizens from the districts that

comprise Lane County. The five commissioners and their appointee affirmations are listed below:

District and Commissioner	Appointee	Position Type	Term Expiration
1 Fleenor	Francisca Leyva-Johnson	Low-Income Representative	06/30/2011
2 Dwyer	Jan Gund	Community Member	04/09/2010
3 Sorenson	Kate Barkley	Community Member	06/30/2011
4 Handy	Hugh Massengill	Low-Income Representative	06/30/2012
5 Stewart	Jim Chaney	Community Member	06/30/2012

B. Policy Issues

The nominees and appointees meet the qualifications for service on this body per Oregon Statute and the Lane Manual. The Human Services Commission's Manager and Supervisor collaborated with the Community Action Advisory Committee in assessing the qualification of the candidates and working with county commissioners to bring the committee into compliance with the revised Lane Manual requirements.

C. Board Goals

This appointment meets the Board's objective of encouraging citizen participation.

D. Financial and/or Resource Considerations

None

E. Analysis

All proposed appointees have been designated in compliance with ORS458.505, Lane Manual 3.506(2)(e) and Lane Manual 3.530.

Mr. Johnson has served on the CAAC as the Lane County representative since July 26, 2005. He is interested in continuing in this capacity and there is no limit stated to the number of terms that a public official designee may serve. If Mr. Johnson is appointed and serves the one-year term ending January 14, 2010, he will have been a member of this committee for a total of four and one-half years. This is less than the eight year total allowed for appointees that do not represent a publicly-elected official.

Carmen Urbina was first appointed to this committee on the first of April 2009 and her expiration date was incorrectly stated as December 31, 2012. This expiration date is not in compliance with Lane Manual 3.530 which limits the term of office for a

publicly-elected official or their designee to one year ending on January 14. This error must be corrected.

All commissioner appointees are current members of the CAAC. Each commissioner was sent a packet containing; a letter that defines the role of CAAC and outlines the Lane Manual changes, a Commissioner Appointment form, a Proposed Roster for the Community Action Advisory Committee and copies of the most recently completed application from each of the eight CAAC members. Each commissioner was asked to affirm one member of the committee as their appointee.

Furthermore, the Community Action Advisory Committee reviewed and approved the process used to designate the committee representative/commissioner appointees.

F. Alternatives/Options

1. Appoint the proposed nominees to the Community Action Advisory Committee.
2. Re-advertise and reopen the selection process for the committee vacancies and commissioner appointees.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommend adoption of option one above.

V. TIMING/IMPLEMENTATION

The nominees will become members of the Community Action Advisory Committee upon Board approval.

VI. FOLLOW-UP

Board approval being received for this appointment, the prospective members will be issued welcome to attend the next CAAC meeting and an orientation to the Community Action Advisory Committee and its budgetary charge.

VII. ATTACHMENTS

Board Order
Proposed Community Action Advisory Committee List
Applications

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, LANE COUNTY, OREGON

RESOLUTION) IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING NINE MEMBERS TO THE
AND ORDER:) HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION COMMUNITY ACTION
) ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, there are three vacancies on the Community Action Advisory Committee that must be filled by publicly-elected officials or their designee; and

WHEREAS, the three committee vacancies are designated for the City of Springfield (1), the City of Eugene (1) and Lane County (2); and

WHEREAS, Springfield City Councilor Dave Ralston and Eugene Mayor Kitty Piercey each endorsed an individual to serve as their representative to the Community Action Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, a third individual must be named as a Lane County elected official or designee to the Community Action Advisory Committee; and,

WHEREAS, the Community Action Advisory Committee has submitted Marty Johnson as the designee for the Lane County elected official and Mr. Johnson is qualified to hold this position and has been endorsed by the Community Action Advisory Committee; and,

WHEREAS, the term of office for Carmen Urbina, a Lane County elected official designee, was incorrectly given and must be corrected in compliance with the Lane Manual 3.530; and,

WHEREAS, five of the remaining eight members of the committee must be designated by each of the five Lane County Commissioners to serve on the committee as their appointee per Lane Manual 3.506(2)(e); and,

WHEREAS, each Lane County Commissioner has been given an opportunity to review the application of each of the eight committee members and has selected one to act as their appointee; and,

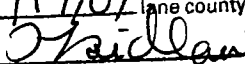
WHEREAS, this matter having been fully considered by the Lane County Board of County Commissioners.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the following named persons be appointed to the Community Action Advisory Committee, said terms to expire as indicated below:

Member	Appointed by	Appoint to Position	Term Expiration
Dan Rupe	City Councilor Dave Ralston	City of Springfield	01-14-2010
Martha Roberts	Mayor Kitty Piercey	City of Eugene	01-14-2010
Marty Johnson	Publicly-Elected Official Designee	Lane County	01-14-2010
Carmen Urbina	Publicly-Elected Official Designee	Lane County	01-14-2010
Francisca Leyva-Johnson	Commissioner Fleenor	Low-Income Representative	06-30-2011
Jan Gund	Commissioner Dwyer	Community Member	04-09-2010
Kate Barkley	Commissioner Sorenson	Community Member	06-30-2011
Hugh Massengill	Commissioner Handy	Low-Income Representative	06-30-2012
Jim Chaney	Commissioner Stewart	Community Member	06-30-2012

DATED this 26th day of August 2009.

Peter Sorenson, Chair
Lane County Board of Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM
 Date 8/17/09 Lane County

 OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL

COMMUNITY ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
(Human Services Commission Budget Planning Committee)

The following chart summarizes the appointments by categorical designation to Human Services Commission Budget Planning Committee.

Human Service Budget and Planning Committee

Type of Position	Representation	Appointee	Original Appointment	Term Expiration
Public Official –or- Designee	Lane County	Marty Johnson	07-26-2005	01-14-2010
Public Official –or- Designee	City of Springfield	Dan Rupe	10-01-2008	01-14-2010
Public Official –or- Designee	Lane County	Carmen Urbina	04-01-2009	01-14-2010
Public Official –or- Designee	City of Eugene	Martha Roberts	08-26-2009	01-14-2010
Community Member	Commissioner Stewart	Jim Chaney	03-15-2006	06-30-2012
Community Member	Commissioner Dwyer	Jan Gund	04-10-2002	04-09-2010
Community Member	BCC At-Large	Linda Hamilton	03-15-2006	06-30-2012
Community Member	Commissioner Sorenson	Kate Barkley	12-10-2008	06-30-2011
Low-Income Representative	BCC At-Large	Eve Terran	06-30-2007	06-30-2012
Low-Income Representative	BCC At-Large	Patricia Loewinger	07-06-2005	06-30-2012
Low-Income Representative	Commissioner Handy	Hugh Massengill	06-30-2007	06-30-2012
Low-Income Representative	Commissioner Fleenor	Francisca Leyva-Johnson	12-10-2008	06-30-2011

**COMMUNITY ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
SPRINGFIELD APPOINTMENT**

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Springfield Representative: *Dan Rupe*

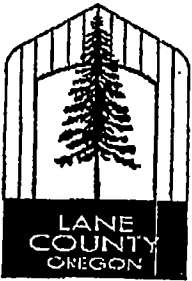
Original Appointment Date: *October 1, 2008*

Term Expiration Date: *January 14, 2010*

Sponsor: *Councilor Dave Ralston*

x approved per phone conversation
Dave Ralston
City of Springfield Councilor

w/ Dave Ralston
1/29/09
4:00 pm
Paul Wolf



Lane County CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: <i>DAN RUPE / Springfield</i>	DATE: <i>7/10/08</i>
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: HSC Community Action Advisory Committee (CAAC) ~ aka ~ Budget Planning Committee	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

- Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)
20 years Human Services Work / master Social Work Degree.
 - Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?
My interest in quality services to consumers.
 - List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
Lack of adequate transitional housing for the homeless within our community.
 - Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)
Jane Co. Veterans Day Parade Committee, Community Health Clinics Continuum of Care
 - Lane County is committed to reflecting diverse cultures on its boards/committees and does not discriminate against any person on the basis of gender, race, color, national origin, religion, disability, or age in employment or in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services, and activities.
 - Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
COC, PHC Jane Co, Vet Net
 - Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)
 No ___ Yes Specify:
 - How did you learn about this vacancy? ___ Newspaper Word of mouth ___ Other:
 - In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one:
___ Unsure ___ West Lane County Springfield ___ South Eugene ___ North Eugene ___ East Lane County
- *The Board of Commissioners has adopted the following policy on reappointments:*
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 - The deadline for incumbent applications will be the same as the deadline for new applications.
- * Unless waived by the Board.*

**COMMUNITY ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
EUGENE APPOINTMENT**

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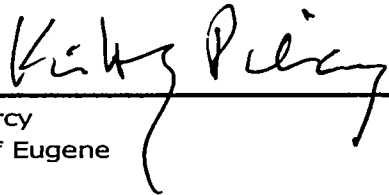
Eugene Representative: *Martha Roberts*

Original Appointment Date: *September 1, 2009*

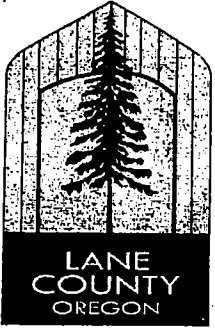
Term Expiration Date: *January 14, 2010*

Sponsor: *Mayor Kitty Piercy*

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Kitty Piercy
Mayor of Eugene



Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

Table with 2 columns: Applicant's Name and City, Date, Name of Advisory Committee, Please Check One. Includes handwritten entries for Martha Roberts, 7/20/09, HSC Community Action Advisory Committee (CAAC), and checked 'New Applicant'.

- 1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee... I believe that my education, employment and advocacy over many years have provided a solid background for members. see attached
2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make? To plan for the anticipated large increase in the numbers of residents who will be seeking assistance of various types as our national and local economic recession worsens see resume
3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed. I believe the committee should consider all possible avenues to relieve the growing sector of homeless persons. I support the proposition that area shelters should be a priority. Alongside these shelters, the committee should do all it can to boost donations to Food For Lane County, work with local community gardens and other resources too feed, clothe and provide as much health care to this population.
4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.) As a staff attorney with the local public defender office, I served as an appointee to the Public Safety Coordinating Council in the 1990's. I also served on a subcte of the PSCC. I have participated in the Lane County Courts Drug Court program as legal representative for the defendants charged with drug crimes. see attached
5. Lane County is committed to reflecting diverse cultures on its boards/committees and does not discriminate against any person on the basis of gender, race, color, national origin, religion, disability, or age in employment or in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services, and activities. I would do everything possible to enlist and encourage broad representation and participation in our volunteer boards and committees, including ensuring that the county gets the word out to those who may be interested in serving, or participating in a program. see attached
6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? No If so, which ones?
7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.) I have no personal or family connects with any part of the Lane County contracting, or any other business.

x No ___ Yes Specify:

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? ___ Newspaper ___ Word of mouth x Other: I heard about this vacancy from Rob Handy.

9. In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one: ___ Unsure ___ West Lane County x Springfield ___ South Eugene ___ North Eugene x East Lane County

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MARTHA L. ROBERTS

February 14, 2009

TO: Rob Handy - Lane County Board of Commissioners

FROM: Martha Roberts

RE: Application and Resume: Community Action Advisory Committee

1. I believe that my education, employment and advocacy over many years have provided a solid background for membership on the CAAC. Having worked almost exclusively with low-income clients since moving to Oregon in 1972, I understand their oft-times overwhelming needs for economic stability in housing, food, medical care, transportation, and the difficulties they faced in finding suitable employment.

My paralegal work with the Southwestern Oregon Community Action Program in the early 70's led to the discovery of many state workers who were arbitrarily cancelling clients' welfare, food stamps and housekeeper benefits if they had long hair, or a drug conviction. The state hearings officer ordered all of these benefits be restored on a case-by-case basis. My first client was a quadriplegic young man of 21, who lost use of his legs and arms in a diving accident at 18. This man's cash, food stamps, and housekeeper benefits were reinstated at hearing, but before the official written order was received, he took his life. Our office had been caring for him pending the hearing and final order.

While I had planned to move to Eugene to finish studies for a degree in Journalism, and continue on to law school, this earlier work with clients from Coos and Curry Counties signaled the path I should take to continue to assist the disadvantaged. As a private solo practice attorney, both before and following employment as staff attorney with the Public Defender Services of Lane County, Inc. from 1991 - to 2000, I continued to be part-social worker-attorney working for the poor. I referred clients to other local resources for various needs and opportunities, and advocated in the judicial system for a broad understanding of the needs of those in our community who are least able to do so for themselves.

2. I would like to become a member of the CAAC to plan for the anticipated large increase in the numbers of residents who will be seeking assistance of various types as our national and local economic recession worsens. While the county could surely benefit from new sources of funding, it appears certain that demands are going to continue to increase at a far faster pace than ever before. We will have to work harder and smarter to be able to offer our disadvantaged citizens the services warranted by their life conditions. The elderly and disabled members of our communities are also of concern; we must do all we can to boost the quality of their daily lives.

3. Additionally, I believe the committee should consider all possible avenues to relieve the growing sector of homeless persons. I support the proposition that area shelters should be a priority. Alongside these shelters, the committee should do all it can to boost donations to Food for Lane County, work with local community gardens and other resources to feed, clothe and provide as much health care to this population.

4. As a staff attorney with the local public defender office, I served as an appointee to the Public Safety Coordinating Council in the 1990's. I also served on a sub-committee of the PSCC whose charge was to determine the various local programs to fund with a limited budget of county funds.

I have participated in the Lane County Courts Drug Court program as legal representative for the defendants charged with a drug crime, who want to attend treatment. Judge Larson (now retired), a former Deputy District Attorney for Lane County, started our drug court in the 1990's. Besides representing clients in court, it was my job to meet with participants who were having difficulties getting to treatment, or staying off drugs, and to help them determine their personal barriers to treatment. Drug Courts are now offered throughout Oregon, and have been successful.

Most recently, I have attended a Planned Parenthood training to advocate for reproductive rights, including education, contraception, and personal responsibility for young women and girls coming of age in our fairly promiscuous society.

5. I would do everything possible to enlist and encourage broad representation and participation in our volunteer boards and committees, including ensuring that the county gets the word out to those who may be interested in serving, or

participating in a program. I have been impressed with the push for such diversity representation in our county. I favor seeking out those who could contribute or participate.

6. I am not serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees.

7. I have no personal or family connections with any part of the Lane County contracting, or any other business.

8. I heard about this vacancy from Rob Handy, our newly elected county commissioner from North Eugene.

9. I reside in the East Lane County District of Lane County.

Finally, I have great interest in serving on the Community Action Advisory Committee. I have always worked for the betterment of the community by aiding its members, whether it be health, safety, emergency resources, or the legal system. I plan to always work for improvement in our responsibility and service to the disadvantaged.

I am available to meet on third Thursdays from noon to 1:30 p.m., and will also be available as needed during budget and planning cycles.

MARTHA L. ROBERTS

OBJECTIVE:

Seeking a full-time social services position to assist low income clients and/or others in need of assistance

EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, University of Oregon (1985)

Doctor of Jurisprudence University of Oregon (1988)

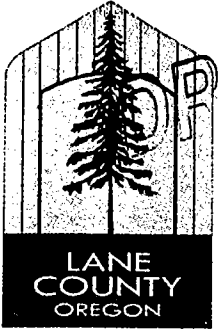
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Staff Attorney with Public Defender Services of Lane County, and Solo Law Practice in Eugene, Oregon, (1989–2008), with emphasis on Family Law and Criminal Defense representation of low-income clients. I have worked with several clients referred from Catholic Community Services/Catholic Charities.

OTHER RELATED EXPERIENCE:

Paralegal/Social services and emergency programs with Legal Aid and Southwestern Oregon Community Action Program, North Bend, Oregon (1972-76). Traveled throughout Coos and Curry Counties serving as agency liaison, and in hearings with the state representing low-income clients seeking public assistance, and emergency assistance with food, utility, transportation and medical needs.

Project Coordinator for Oregon Social Learning Center, Eugene, Oregon, (1977-80), a research institute developing behavioral techniques for out-of-control young children. Served as grant coordinator with the Wright Institute of California, the recipient of mental health grants for OSLC from the National Institutes of Mental Health. Prepared and forwarded monthly project expenses and progress reports to the institute for reimbursement.



Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: Marty Johnson	DATE:
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Community Action Advisory Committee (CAAC) of the Human Services Commission	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)

Please see attached

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?
3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)
5. Lane County is committed to reflecting diverse cultures on its boards/committees and does not discriminate against any person on the basis of gender, race, color, national origin, religion, disability, or age in employment or in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services, and activities.
6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones? *no*
7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

No Yes Specify:

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:
9. In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one:
 Unsure West Lane County Springfield South Eugene North Eugene East Lane County

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Application - HSC Budget Planning Committee

- 1. Experience** - Please find attached a resume. Included in my 34 years as an educator was working as an At-Risk Counselor at South Eugene High School for 13 years. I was also in charge of substance abuse prevention and intervention. The past 2 years I have worked at Community Rehabilitation Services of Oregon. We provide medical rehabilitation services and vocational placement of persons with brain injury, AD/HD, and other disabilities. I have also worked with several non-profits by placing persons with disabilities in volunteer positions and supervising the clients ability to become competitively employable. I am also co-owner of this business (please see attached pamphlet). I have 4 grown children. Three were adopted when they were 4, 6, and 8 years old. One is a mechanical engineer for a prestigious firm, one works in a sheltered work setting and is mentally ill and the other struggles with addiction. I say this because our family has been personally involved with state and federal aid. I have experienced emotionally what cannot be fully understood intellectually.
- 2. Contribution** - As an educator, vocational counselor, business person and parent I have done considerable networking in the Human Services community. I am acutely aware of the budget crisis the state faces and the challenges this brings to social services and its constituents. Distributing limited funds is really a values clarification process. I want to see data that shows what programs are most effective in our county. I want to be able to compare them to successful programs in other areas. I hope that I can help the committee work creatively to find solutions. I have little tolerance for inequity or inefficiency. I can ask hard questions and make hard decisions. I am able to focus on the big picture and what is best for the long run.
- 3. Community Concerns** - That our limited resources are doing the most good for the most people. That decisions can be made that have long term impact. That decisions are made with the best information that can be attained. That all people are treated with dignity and respect.
- 4. Community Involvement** - I was on the Downtown Rotary Committee that developed a Memorandum of Understanding to deal with substance abuse problems in our community. It resulted in a matrix used by Youth Services, Eugene Police Department, and schools for consistent communication and consequences related to substance abuse violations. I was on a committee to establish a Youth Center in Eugene. I was on the Youth Action Committee for Lane Educational Services District. Our business has just become a member of the Chamber of Commerce. I am a long time member of Central Presbyterian Church, served as deacon and have been actively involved in this socially conscious community. I have worked on 3 Habitat for Humanity Houses.
- 5. Diversity** - Our immediate family is racially diverse. Two of our children are of Latino heritage and one is Asian. I helped start the Hispanic Club at South Eugene High School. I also organized an educational evening event that brought together all of the minority clubs. I sought out funds and resources for low income students. I work with people with disabilities and am very familiar with the American Disabilities Act. I helped develop a week long curriculum for the prevention of AIDS which was gender neutral. I am deeply committed to preventing all types of discrimination.

Marty Johnson

Qualification Highlights

- *Taught at all grade levels from kindergarten through college over a 21 year period
- *Academic advisor, substance abuse counselor, and peer education coordinator at South Eugene High School for 13 years
- *Co-owner of Community Rehabilitation Services of Oregon
- *Vocational counselor working with people with disabilities
- *Raised 4 children, 2 of which have disabilities
- *Assist in facilitating a monthly support group for persons with brain injuries and their families
- *Empathetic, problem solver, team player, ability to empower others, program developer, decision maker

Recent Professional Highlights

- *2004 - Training in counseling minorities
Attended state Traumatic Brain Injury Conference
Vocational Counseling Intern Certification
- *2003 - Training in working with people with disabilities (Portland State)
Attended 2 workshops on helping people with AD/HD
Retired from School District 4J (34 years experience)

Awards/Honors

- *Eugene Education Association award for Outstanding Program (Peer Education for Prevention of HIV and Substance Abuse)
- *Educational Support Services Award (honors staff member most supportive of students with special needs)
- *Red Ribbon of Hope Award from HIV Alliance
- *Teacher of the Year nomination for the State of Oregon
- *Started the South Eugene High School Peer Group Program
- *Chart member of the team that developed the South Eugene High School AIDS and Substance Abuse Prevention Program
- *Worked with students to start multicultural clubs at South Eugene High School.

Presentations

- *Oregon/Washington Regional Wellness Conference
- *Oregon Adolescent Sexuality Conference
- *State Peer Helper Conference
- *University of Oregon Drug Prevention Seminars
- *Lane Educational Services District
- *Eugene Downtown Rotary Club
- *League of Women Voters

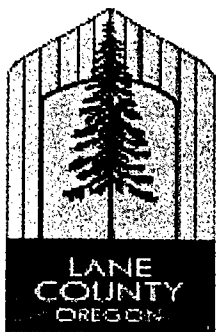
Employment

- *2003 - present Community Rehabilitation Services of Oregon
Vocational counselor and educational consultant
- *1974 - 2003 Teacher/counselor for School District 4J
Adjunct Instructor at University of Oregon
High School Coach
- *1969-1974 High School Teacher/Coach in Ohio

Education

- * Ohio University, Athens, Ohio BS Ed. (1969)
- * Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio MA (1973)
- * University of Oregon Classes for Standard Teaching Certificate

References upon request



**Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION**

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: Carmen Urbina	DATE: July 28, 2009
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: HSC Community Action Advisory Committee (CAAC) ~ aka ~ Budget Planning Committee	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)

Processed through County Administration. Application not available to Human Services Commission.

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?

3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.

4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)

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6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?

7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

No Yes Specify:

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:

9. In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one:

Unsure West Lane County Springfield South Eugene North Eugene East Lane County

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IN THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LANE COUNTY, OREGON

RESOLUTION NO. 09-4-1-5

IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING CARMEN
URBINA TO THE HUMAN SERVICES
COMMISSION COMMUNITY ACTION
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, there is a vacancy on the Community Action Advisory Committee; and
WHEREAS, the vacancy was duly advertised and applications reviewed; and

WHEREAS, this matter having been fully considered by the Lane County Board of Commissioners;

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDER, that the following named person be appointed to the Community Action Advisory Committee, said term to expire as indicated below:

<u>Member</u>	<u>Appoint to Position</u>	<u>Term Expiration</u>
Carmen Urbina	Lane County Public Official Designee	December 31, 2012

DATED this 1st day of April, 2009.



Pete Sorenson, Chair
Lane County Board of Commissioners

**COMMUNITY ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
COMMISSIONER APPOINTMENT**

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Low Income Representative: *Francisca Leyva-Johnson*

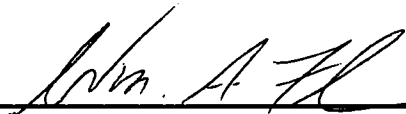
Commissioner District: *1*

Original Appointment Date: *December 10, 2008*

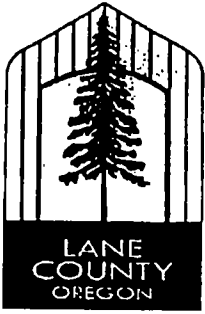
Term Expiration Date: *December 9, 2012*

Commissioner Sponsor: *Bill Fleenor*

X



Bill Fleenor
Lane County Board of Commissioners



Lane County
**CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
 APPLICATION**

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: Francisca Leyva-Johnson	DATE: November 20, 2008
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: HSC Community Action Advisory Committee (CAAC) ~ aka ~ Budget Planning Committee	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)
I currently serve on the Lane County Commission for the Advancement of Human Rights, have served on the Lane County Budget Committee and been a member of the Lane County Fair Board. I am attaching a resume for your review.

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?
I work for the City of Eugene, Human Rights Commission as a Senior Program Coordinator and am keenly aware through my work and volunteer activities the important role this committee plays in the lives of our most vulnerable community members. I hope that the work of this committee will allow me to continue my lifelong commitment to social justice and human rights while utilizing my bilingual/bicultural communication and community relations skills.

3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
I am a Viet Nam era veteran having served in the U.S. Army Women's Corp and your Veterans Services is of special interest.

4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups, (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)

Please see attached resume

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- Thank you.

6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones? *Lane County Commission for the Advancement of Human Rights*

7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

 No Yes Specify:

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:

9. In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one:
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Francisca Elena Johnson

EMPLOYMENT OBJECTIVE:

My goal is to obtain a position that will allow me to continue my lifelong commitment to social justice and human rights while utilizing my bilingual/bicultural communication and community relations skills.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

City of Eugene Human Rights Commission

March 1998 – Present

I provide bi-lingual/bi-cultural professional staff support to the citizen volunteer Human Rights Program; act as contact between commissioners, standing committees, their constituent communities and the City organization. I provide research, analysis, information, and complex technical support and guidance to City organization, local organizations, agencies, and community members on human rights issues. I maintain, nourish and foster community relations with individuals and organizations as well as motivating others toward civic involvement. I facilitate solution-creating dialogs between community members and organizations/employers regarding accessibility, civil, social, and human rights as well as advocate for community members who face discrimination or bias in the workplace. I am able to exercise independent judgment to develop procedures and methods to carry out program objectives.

City of Eugene Council & Intergovernmental Services

October 1996 – February 1998

I provided administrative support for the City's lobbyist during legislative sessions. I also provided support to the Human Rights program staff, 15 member volunteer commission and had primary responsibility for the intake and resolution of human rights complaints.

City of Eugene – Eugene Celebration

June 1994 – October 1996

As front line staff, I had primary responsibility for communication between volunteers, contractors, vendors, staff and the public.

Eugene Arts Foundation

July 1983 – September 1993

I was responsible for the day to day operation of a non-profit community foundation, with assets of \$4 million and grants distribution of \$200,000 annually. I began as assistant to Executive Director, moved to volunteer coordinator, donor relations, grants fund administrator and ultimately the administrator. The Eugene Arts Foundation was a public/private partnership responsible for the realization of the Hult Center for the Performing Arts.

**Curtis Irving Realty, Associated Management, Inc.,
Blinkhorn Realtors, Misko & Associates**

February 1971 - December 1982

I established Property Management Divisions for the above real estate firms. I was responsible for over 500 commercial and multi-family units, in addition to oversight of Maintenance Company and crew of 25 during peak turnover periods.

U.S. Army, Women's Army Corp, VietNam Era Veteran

July 1966 – April 1969

I was trained as a Court Reporter and assigned to Fort Lewis, Washington until my discharge.

SKILLS & ABILITIES:

- Multitasking and prioritizing assignments with close attention to detail while cognizant of and respectful to the larger goal
- Many years experience organizing and coordinating large-scale events managing many people, volunteers and organizations
- A motivated team-player with extensive experience in the following areas and under the following titles:

Member, Oregon Mediation Association

PREVIOUS CIVIC INVOLVMENT & LEADERSHIP

Lane County Budget Committee Member - 2002-2005
Chair, Board of Directors, Lane County Fair Board - 1996-2002
Board of Directors/Administrative Council, St. Catherine of Siena Parish, Veneta
League of Women Voters of Lane County
Board of Directors, Emerald Empire Arts Association
2000 Candidate for State Legislature, District 43
Board of Education, Fern Ridge School District 28J (Veneta, Elmira, Noti, Central-1986-to 2001
Budget Committee, Lane Education Service District
City of Eugene, Citizens Police Academy Graduate, Class #6
Board of Directors, Adelante Sí - Hispanic Organization of Lane County
Co-Chair, Fiesta Latina a project of Adelante Sí - Hispanic Organization of Lane County
Board of Directors, Centro LatinoAmericano
Member, Communities United for Better Policing in Eugene
State of Oregon Dispute Resolution Commission – Member Hewlett Grant Committee to develop Latino Model for Conflict Mediation
Board of Directors, Looking Glass, Youth & Family Services and member of Youth Campus/Juvenile Justice Center Task Force
Oregon School Board Association, Legislative Committee Member
State of Oregon Comprehensive Health Curriculum Committee, Governor Roberts' Appointment
State of Oregon Library Council & Liaison to the State of Oregon Library Board
Board of Directors, Oregon Mozart Players, Eugene
Board of Directors and Treasurer, Emerald Valley Development Professionals
Board Member and Chair of Arts in Education Committee, Lane Arts Council
1st Vice President, Rt. F Lions Club and President, Fern Ridge Lioness Club
FernRidge School District 28J, Budget Committee
Central School, PTA

AWARDS

Centro LatinoAmericano, Pueblo Award – 2002
City of Eugene, Mayor's Recognition - 1999

*We cannot seek achievement for ourselves and forget about progress and prosperity for our community . . .
Our ambitions must be broad enough to include the aspirations and needs of others, for their sake and for our own.*

Cesar Chavez

**COMMUNITY ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
COMMISSIONER APPOINTMENT**

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Community Member Representative: *Jan Gund*

Commissioner District: 3

Original Appointment Date: *April 10, 2002*

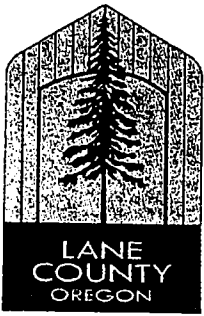
Term Expiration Date: *April 9, 2010*

Commissioner Sponsor: *Bill Dwyer*

X

Bill Dwyer

Lane County Board of Commissioners



Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: J. Jan Gund Eugene	DATE:
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: HSC - Community Action Advisory Committee aka Budget Planning Committee	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)
 Prior to retirement:
 Education Administrative Experience: Taught graduate level; Education Administrative, Program Planning budgeting
 HHS Budget Committee: approx 10 years ago, previous 4 hours
 Washington/Jefferson Park: gained \$160,000 for improvements

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?
 Gave experience working with HHS budget.
 Hopefully to crate a design to better equate process for distribution of funds

3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
 Strengthen knowledge of committee members about the organizations served
 Examine the potential of combine services to eliminate ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS AND BETTER SERVE NEEDS.

4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)
 Volunteer: EPD since 1978, Community Corrections: City & County numerous, Task Forces: Committees

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 Representative of senior populations; educational background; age groups & racial background experience.

6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
 EPD: Whiteaker substation
 HHS: Budget

7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

No Yes Specify:

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:

9. In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one:
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Community Member Representative: *Kate Barkley*

Commissioner District: 3

Original Appointment Date: *December 10, 2008*

Term Expiration Date: *December 9, 2012*

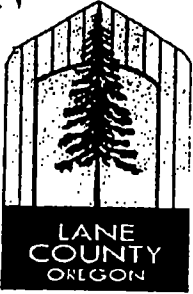
Commissioner Sponsor: *Pete Sorenson*

X

Pete Sorenson
Lane County Board of Commissioners

*Pete Sorenson sent a confirming email
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Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

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LANE COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: <i>Kate Barkley, Eugene</i>	DATE: <i>6/13/08</i>
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: <i>Human Services Budget Planning, C.A.C.</i>	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)

Please see attached.

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?

Please see attached.

3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.

Please see attached.

4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)

Please see attached.

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Please see attached.

6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?

*Department of Human Service, Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Fund
Advisory Committee.*

7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

No Yes Specify:

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:

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Lane County CAC Application: Answers to questions on page 1 of 2.

1. A brief description of the experience or training that qualifies me for membership on the committee.

I began volunteering in human services in this county in 1990, shortly after moving to this community. From 2000-2005, I worked as the Executive Director of Womenspace, Inc., an HSC funded program. More recently, I have volunteered as the lead Public Relations volunteer for the city, county and community collaboration on Project Homeless Connect (PHC), and currently serve on the state Department of Human Services, Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Fund Advisory Committee (DHS-DVSA) which allocates statewide monies primarily derived from our Marriage License Tax and Criminal Fines Assessments.

2. Why I want to become a member of the committee and what specific contributions I hope to make.

My long time interest and engagement in providing quality human services motivates my applying for membership. Specifically I believe I can contribute from the perspective of someone who has administered HSC funds at the programmatic level.

3. The community concerns that I would like to see addressed if appointed.

I would obviously be able to give particular attention to the needs of survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault, and to those in our community who are without safe and stable homes, or at risk of homelessness. Also, I am a single parent—and was privileged enough to be able to temporarily leave my career in non-profit management in order to focus on parenting—and so would be particularly sensitive to the needs of parents and children in our community living in single-parent homes.

4. My present or past involvement in relevant community groups.

In addition to PHC and the DHS-DVSA Fund Committee mentioned above, I worked since its initiation with the Lane County Domestic Violence Council where in the early days I facilitated the formation of the Batterer Intervention Committee. I later served as Chair of that committee and regularly participated on its Criminal Justice Committee.

5. If selected, how I would contribute to Lane County's effort to reflect diverse cultures on its boards/committees, and to not discriminate against any person on the basis of gender, race, color, national origin, religion, disability, or age.

As a woman I am a member of at least one group that has historically been under-represented in decision making capacities; though women perhaps have suffered less discrimination in human services than in most other professions. Other than gender, I would not by virtue of my background contribute to the committee's representativeness of Lane County's diversity. On the other hand, I have a PhD in Sociology and throughout my career have demonstrated a commitment to learning, educating and doing something about both subtle and overt forms of racism, ageism, able-ism, ethnocentrism, and other forms of discrimination against social groups lacking power.

**COMMUNITY ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
COMMISSIONER APPOINTMENT**

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Low Income Representative: *Hugh Massengill*

Commissioner District: 4

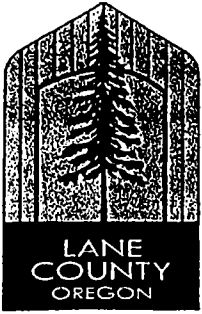
Original Appointment Date: *June 30, 2007*

Term Expiration Date: *June 30, 2012*

Commissioner Sponsor: *Rob Handy*

X


Rob Handy
Lane County Board of Commissioners



Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: Hugh Massengill - Eugene	DATE: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">4 July 2008</div>
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: HSC Community Action Advisory Committee (CAAC) ~ aka ~ Budget Planning Committee	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)
 B.S. University of Oregon Sociology 1987

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?
 I am a former resident of homeless shelters and "mental" hospitals who has seen the good that can come from competent care, and the bad that can come from no care or really bad care. I hope to lend my voice to the voices of others in the effort to gain support for low-income residents of Lane County.

3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
 I would hope that shelter, food, medical, dental and mental health care availability would be addressed. The lack of integration of the poor into the fabric of mainstream life in Lane County is a concern.

4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)
 Board member of HACSA, Commission member of Eugene Human Rights Commission.

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6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
 None in Lane County. I am on a city homeless task force.

7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

No Yes Specify:

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? ___ Newspaper ___ Word of mouth Other: reapplicant

9. In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one:
 ___ Unsure ___ West Lane County ___ Springfield ___ South Eugene North Eugene ___ East Lane County

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Community Member Representative: *Jim Chaney*

Commissioner District: 5

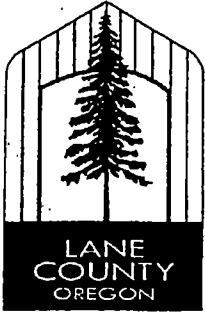
Original Appointment Date: *March 15, 2006*

Term Expiration Date: *June 30, 2012*

Commissioner Sponsor: *Faye Stewart*

X *Faye Stewart*

Faye Stewart
Lane County Board of Commissioners



Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: Jim Chaney – unincorporated county south of eugene	DATE:
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: HSC Community Action Advisory Committee (CAAC) ~ aka ~ Budget Planning Committee	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)
 As a member of the legal community, I am well aware of the impact of issues within this communities purview. - see attached -

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?
 - see attached -

3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
 - see attached -

4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)
 - see attached -

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 - see attached -

6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
 No.

7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

__ No __ Yes Specify: My wife (Stephanie Dresie Chaney is an LCOG employee working as an administrative assistant in the Senior Meals program

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? __ Newspaper __ Word of mouth Other: reapplicant

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James C. Chaney

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Education

Stanford University, Stanford, California
Bachelor of Arts, Economics, 1979

University of California at Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California
Juris Doctor, 1982
Served as Assistant Dean of Students, UCLA Housing Office, 1980-82

Admissions

Oregon, 1991; California, 1983 (inactive); United States District Courts for the Eastern, Northern, and Central Districts of California (1983-84), Southern District of California (1986), District of Oregon (1991), and District of Arizona (1999); United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit (1991).

Professional

The Chaney Firm LLC, Eugene, Oregon: 2003 - , organizer and owner. Civil litigation, emphasizing the areas of insurance defense, product liability defense, and business litigation.

Jaqua & Wheatley, P.C., Eugene, Oregon: Associate, 1991-93, and shareholder, 1994-2002. Insurance defense, product liability defense, and business litigation, including over twenty trials to judgment.

Private practice, San Diego and Costa Mesa, California: 1983-1991. Civil litigation, emphasizing the areas of construction defect defense, and mental health care provider defense.

Professional service and affiliations

Bar service: Member, 1995-99, and Chair, 1998-99, Oregon Joint Bench/Bar Commission on Professionalism; member, 1992-95, Oregon State Bar Task Force on Professionalism; member, 1992-94, OSB Task Force on Insurer/Insurance Defense Counsel Conflicts; Panel Member, OSB Continuing Legal Education (Dilemmas in Professionalism, 1996; Ethics With Professor Gillers, 1998); Member, OSB House of Delegates (2002 -).

Arbitrator: 1995 - present, Lane County Circuit Court. Serve on panels for personal injury, contract disputes, construction disputes, and general civil litigation.

Educational: Instructor, Trial Practice, University of Oregon School of Law (1998, 2001-02); Panel member, Willamette University School of Law Professionalism Orientation (1996-98); Guest Lecturer in Ethics, University of Humanistic Studies, San Diego, California (1991).

Memberships: Oregon State Bar; Lane County Bar Association; American Bar Association; Oregon Association of Defense Counsel; Defense Research Institute.

Community service: Member, San Diego Multidisciplinary Task Force on Psychotherapist/Patient Abuse (1990-91); parent volunteer: Evergreen Elementary School (1993-2000); Roosevelt Middle School (2000 - present), South Eugene and International High School (2000 - present); created and taught two-week mock trial course at elementary school level (1997 and 1999).

Personal

Born Denver, Colorado, 1958; married for 21 years with two teenage sons.