

Sent: Monday, October 12, 2020 4:41 PM

Subject: New submission from Boards and Commissions Application

Date

10/12/2020

Please consider this as an application for appointment to:

- Climate Action Committee

Name

Taj Motan

Address

[REDACTED] Fairfax CA

Fairfax, California 94930

United States

[Map It](#)

Phone

[REDACTED]

Email

[REDACTED]

Number of Years in Fairfax: (Current residency required)

12

Education:

Currently enrolled in Highschool 1327 (formerly known as drake) as a Senior.

Please list the names of professional societies, clubs, and other organizations to which you belong.

I have been in SEADISC, an environmental academy for the past two years.

Briefly describe your employment background.

I have been employed at multiple camps, and currently work at the Canyon Swim and Tennis Club.

What is your vision for the Town of Fairfax?

I would like to see our town's youth become more aware of what they can do to reduce our Carbon footprint as a whole. Helping companies find ways to become greener would be one of my primary objectives as well.

Briefly explain your interest in serving on this Board, Commission, or Committee.

I have sat in on a meeting and found the board's process very interesting. I feel as if I could contribute a younger perspective and help with outreach within our community.

I attended a meeting of the committee to which I am applying on (date)

8/18/20

Electronic Signature

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Taj Motan

Sent: Wednesday, October 21, 2020 12:49 PM

Subject: New submission from Boards and Commissions Application

Date

10/21/2020

Please consider this as an application for appointment to:

- Climate Action Committee

Name

Beth Verdekal

Address

[REDACTED]
Fairfax, California 94930
United States
[Map It](#)

Phone

[REDACTED]

Email

[REDACTED]

Number of Years in Fairfax: (Current residency required)

15

Education:

Through one year of law school.

Please list the names of professional societies, clubs, and other organizations to which you belong.

None yet. But applied for Tree Committee, too :)

Briefly describe your employment background.

Currently an entrepreneur consulting with paralegal, organizing homes, admin, and small start-up branding/advertising.

Also did massage/healing work about 15 years ago.

What is your vision for the Town of Fairfax?

Country leader in carbon neutrality, water conservation, and safe streets.

Please describe possible areas of conflict of interest.

None.

Briefly explain your interest in serving on this Board, Commission, or Committee.

I am all about reversing global warming and living your best life while doing it. I'm developing a business revolving around this.

I attended a meeting of the committee to which I am applying on (date)

10/20/2020

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Beth Verdekal

Sent: Monday, October 12, 2020 1:37 PM

Subject: New submission from Boards and Commissions Application

Date

10/12/2020

Please consider this as an application for appointment to:

- Tree Committee

Name

Beth Verdekal

Address

[REDACTED]
Fairfax, California 94930
United States
[Map It](#)

Phone

[REDACTED]

Email

[REDACTED]

Number of Years in Fairfax: (Current residency required)

15

Education:

Bachelors of Arts, SF State, graduated with honors
One year of law school

Please list the names of professional societies, clubs, and other organizations to which you belong.

I started an NFP that is focused on helping people understand their footprint and then take action to zero it out.

No other clubs.

Briefly describe your employment background.

Currently self employed as a consultant for legal support, organizing, branding/marketing, and office help.

What is your vision for the Town of Fairfax?

Keep it quaint. More green tech to fuel our town (solar panels, geothermal, and some wind (paddles over turbines)).

Please describe possible areas of conflict of interest.

None that I know of, unless knowing some tree climbers counts.

Briefly explain your interest in serving on this Board, Commission, or Committee.

I love trees and people, so seems like a good fit. Also may be interested in other local government work, so am using this as an explore.

I attended a meeting of the committee to which I am applying on (date)

n/a

Electronic Signature

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Beth Verdekal

Sent: Tuesday, October 27, 2020 11:12 AM
Subject: New submission from Boards and Commissions Application

Date

10/27/2020

Please consider this as an application for appointment to:

- Tree Committee

Name

Kim Burggraf

Address

[REDACTED]
Fairfax, California 94930
United States
[Map It](#)

Phone

[REDACTED]

Email

[REDACTED]

Number of Years in Fairfax: (Current residency required)

13

Education:

USF Business & Accounting

Briefly describe your employment background.

I worked in architectural manufacturing and built businesses from the ground up.
I am currently self employed as a consultant in the investment field for over 35 years, mostly in Marin.

What is your vision for the Town of Fairfax?

To preserve it's community and small town beliefs and structure.
AND... more specifically to keep our tree regulations in place to maintain our tree community integrity.

Briefly explain your interest in serving on this Board, Commission, or Committee.

I am a natural tree watchdog. I walk my dog through the neighborhoods on a daily basis noticing the compromising of trees by homeowners mostly based on not knowing the regulations. I would like to help others make wise decisions on tree alterations.

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Please type your full name here.

Kim Burggraf

Sent: Wednesday, November 11, 2020 9:44 AM

Subject: New submission from Boards and Commissions Application

Date

11/11/2020

Please consider this as an application for appointment to:

- Tree Committee

Name

Tom Childers

Address

[REDACTED]

Fairfax, California 94930

United States

[Map It](#)

Phone

[REDACTED]

Email

[REDACTED]

Number of Years in Fairfax: (Current residency required)

12

Education:

1976 graduate of Lowell High School, San Francisco

1976-1979 Attended the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, no degree

Please list the names of professional societies, clubs, and other organizations to which you belong.

Vice president, Mill Creek/Lassen Municipal Water District

Briefly describe your employment background.

I'm semi-retired since 2016. I was a software engineer and software architect for 40 years, working at companies like IBM, Oracle, Sun Microsystems, Sybase, Adobe and others. I currently take on short-term consulting positions.

What is your vision for the Town of Fairfax?

I worked on the General Plan from 2008 until its adoption in 2010, and was vice chairman of GPAC. I was especially involved in creating and writing the Open Space, Land Use, Housing, Safety, Conservation and Town Center elements.

My vision is reflected in the General Plan. I desire the continued preservation of open space, while appreciating the safety risks created by overly dense foliage and narrow roads on the hillsides and in the canyons.

Please describe possible areas of conflict of interest.

I cannot foresee any. I keep my half-acre of property clear of fire hazards, while preserving and protecting the native oaks and bay trees to the best of my ability.

Briefly explain your interest in serving on this Board, Commission, or Committee.

I appreciate the key role that trees play in our environment, and heard about the open position from the tree committee chair, Ted Pugh, and Barbara Coler. I'm happy to serve the town again.

Electronic Signature

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Thomas Dallas Childers



To: **Mayor and Fairfax Town Council**

Date: 7/23/20

Please consider this as an application for appointment to:

- Affordable Housing Committee
- Climate Action Committee
- Measure J Oversight Committee
- Open Space Committee
- Planning Commission
- Parks and Recreation Commission
- Tree Committee
- Volunteer Board
- Youth Commission
- Marin Commission on Aging Representative
- Other

You must be a **Fairfax resident** to apply for all of the above except for the Open Space Committee, which requires residency within the 94930 zip code area.

Name: Joe McGarry

Address: _____, Fairfax, 94930

Telephone please indicate home/cell/office): _____

Email Address: _____

Number of Years in Fairfax: 9 years (Current residency required)

Education: St. Ignatius High School San Francisco, CA

Please list the names of professional societies, clubs, and other organizations to which you belong.

West Marin Little League Coach, CYO Basketball Coach, Independent Natural Food

Retailers Association

Briefly describe your employment background. I have been the Food Service Director for Good Earth Natural Foods in Fairfax and Mill Valley for the last 8 years. Prior to that I was an Executive Chef for Bon Appetit Management Company in Portland, OR for 14 years

What is your vision for the Town of Fairfax? That it be a safe, secure, and equitable town for ALL people with no one ever being denied these rights as a result of racism, poverty, or any other form of exclusion. ALL people can then share in building local wealth and social capital in harmony with our environment and experiencing true community.

Please describe possible areas of conflict of interest. N/A

Briefly explain your interest in serving on this Board, Commission, or Committee. I feel that budgets are moral documents and should reflect the values of the people those budgets serve. The budget process in Fairfax (and in most places) can at times feel like a non-inclusive process, not because of any intent by anyone but because it is an already fast moving train with next years budget being based off last years. It takes a huge commitment for a citizen to climb aboard that train. The Measure F Citizen Oversight Committee feels like a manageable place to jump in and be of service to this critically important process.

I attended a meeting of the committee to which I am applying on (date) I have not seen that this committee has ever met

Signature _____

Please return this completed, signed form to:

**Town Clerk, Town of Fairfax
142 Bolinas Road
Fairfax, CA 94930**

Your completed application will become a public record upon submittal to the Town.