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Via Email: [csc@citiesassociation.org](mailto:csc@citiesassociation.org)

To: Selection Committee Members

Cities Association of Santa Clara County

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Re: Appointment to the Association of Bay Area Governments  
("ABAG") Regional Planning Committee

Dear Selection Committee Members,

I am interested in seeing appointment to the ABAG Regional Planning Committee starting July 1, 2022 ending June 30, 2024.

I currently serve as a Councilmember for the City of Cupertino. Ever since I was elected in November 2020, I have endeavored myself to learning as much I can on regional planning across housing, transportation, economic, and environmental issues. I have attended Plan Bay Area 2050 Webinars and I understand deeply the shared vision for the future of our region, a vision that cannot be accomplished by one individual municipality – only through partnerships among governments, private industries and non-profits will Plan Bay Area 2050 brings about real actions.

Though not a Board Member or Alternate Board Member assigned by Cupertino City Council to the Cities Association of Santa Clara County, I have listened in, as an attendee, to most Cities Association of Santa Clara County Executive Board and Board meetings. Therefore, I am familiar with local, state, and federal issues being discussed and decided on all levels. As an Alternate Board Member to the Silicon Valley Clean Energy (SVCE), I have also attended almost all Executive Board and

Board meetings of SVCE to learn issues that enhance clean energy to advance environmental and climate action strategies. As a Board Member on the Valley Water Commission – I also served as a Water Ambassador before elected to the Cupertino City Council, I have learned long range planning for water resources including expansion and conservation methodologies. Over all, my knowledge on regional planning supports the work established by the ABAG Regional Planning Committee.

Currently, I serve on the Executive Board of the Cal Cities Association Peninsula Division that plans educational seminars on regional issues for the Cities in San Francisco County, San Mateo County, and Santa Clara County on various topics including transportation, housing, economics, clean energy, homelessness and behavioral health.

In addition, I have the following public and non-profit board experience that provides solid foundation for my ability to coordinate regional collaboration efforts among governments, private industries, and non-profits:

Trustee & Former Board Chair, Fremont Union High School District (2007-2018)

VP of Development and past Board President, Fremont Union High Schools Foundation (current)

Board Member and past Board Chair, Northwest YMCA (current)

Board Member, Asian American Business Council of the Cupertino Chamber of Commerce (current)

Board Member and Board Secretary, Asian American Parent Association (current)

Member and Past Club President, the Rotary Club of Cupertino (current)

Assistant Governor Area 8, Rotary District 5170 (2016-2017)

District Membership Chair, Rotary District 5170 (2017-2021)

Lieutenant Governor, Rotary District 5170 (2021-2022 current)

District Governor-Nominee (District Governor 2023-2024), Rotary District 5170 (current)  
Member, EMQ Auxiliary serving Uplift Family Services (current)  
Member, Quota Cupertino (current)  
Board Director and Past Membership Director, League of Women Voters of Cupertino-Sunnyvale (current)  
Co-Adviser, YAPA (Young American Policy Advocates), Mental Health Study Group (2019 & 2020)  
Adviser, SVCU (Silicon Valley Community United) Youth Newsletter (2019-2020)  
Adviser, Student Publication "Verdadera", Monta Vista High School (2005-2018)

It would be an honor to be appointed as a member to the ABAG Regional Planning Committee to build upon my knowledge, experience, and passion to serve the Bay Area communities.

I am available by email at [HWei@cupertino.org](mailto:HWei@cupertino.org) or phone at (408) 605-6959. Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,

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