



## City of Sonoma

### COMMISSION APPLICATION

**Received Date:** November 19, 2018

**Application Type:** Traffic Safety Committee

**NAME:** Nancy Parmelee

**ADDRESS:** 737 Third St. East, Sonoma, CA, 95476

**PHONE:** 707-938-4297

**ALTERNATIVE PHONE:** 734-478-0131

**EMAIL ADDRESS:** nparmelee2001@yahoo.com

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY:** Traffic Safety Committee      **REGISTERED VOTER:** Yes

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:** Retired

**REASON FOR APPLYING:** I've been wanting to be on this committee for some time. I like to help solve problems.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** (High School, College, Professional, Vocational, or other Schools Attended. Please include Major or Field of Study, Dates attended, Degree and date of Degree) UC, graduated 1955, wanted to be an elementary school teacher, so majors were history, English and psychology. Had children instead.

**OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:** Am now on Traffic Safety Committee and would like to stay.

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:** Food delivery for FISH, drove Care-a-van, pink lady at hospital, various volunteer positions with city of Sonoma.

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#### GENERAL QUESTIONS:

**Have you ever attended a meeting of the Commission to which you are applying? If so, how many?**

Yes. Maybe 4?

**What is your understanding of the role and responsibility of this Commission?**

Meet with sheriff, public works director, and other commissioners to try to solve problems with traffic before citizens ask the city council for help.

**What would be your goal(s) as a Commissioner?**

To have all sorts of traffic - pedestrian, bicycle, and car - go together smoothly and efficiently.

**What do you feel you could contribute to see these goals realized?**

Experience - 60 years of walking, biking and driving in Sonoma.

**Have you previously served, or do you currently serve, on a Sonoma Commission or Committee? If yes, which one(s) and for what period of time?**

Planning commission, 1962-1966, Mobile home rent review board from beginning to end. Traffic safety committee this year.

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**SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONS:**

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I AGREE

**Do you own property in the City of Sonoma? Yes**

**If yes, please list the address(es):**

737 Third St. East, 466 First Street East, 200 Malet, 206 Malet

**Do you rent property in the City of Sonoma? Yes**

**If yes, is it a month-to-month lease? Yes**

**Do you have a defined idea about, or have you taken a public stance on, any current or pending projects in the City? If yes, please explain (This includes social media, speaking to a Commission or the Council, letters to the editor, signed a petition etc.)**

Not about traffic. Often have opinions about most everything else.

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**Is there anything else you would like us to consider when reviewing your application?**

Just that I really want to stay on this committee, and applied a number of years ago, but no one else wanted my place on the rent review board.

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I AGREE

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Nancy Parmelee

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November 19, 2018



## City of Sonoma

CA-18-46

### COMMISSION APPLICATION

Received Date: December 23, 2018

Application Type: Traffic Safety Committee

**NAME:** Matthew Wirick

**ADDRESS:** 434 Patten Street , Sonoma, California , 95476

**PHONE:** 707-479-2686

**ALTERNATIVE PHONE:** 619-886-0057

**EMAIL ADDRESS:** mwirick@comcast.net

  

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY:** Lifetime - 30 years                      **REGISTERED VOTER:** Yes

**EMPLOYER:** County of Yolo, Deputy Sheriff

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:** Employed

**REASON FOR APPLYING:** To serve the citizens of the City of Sonoma by offering a wide breadth of impassioned professional expertise and applied technical experience in the realm of traffic safety theory; specifically, a strong command of the California Vehicle Code, traffic control principles, traffic control devices, public transportation risk mitigation, public transportation systems contingency planning, and principles of sustainable traffic safety systems.

  

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:**

- Sonoma Valley High School, Diploma (2007)
- California State University - Chico, BA, Criminal Justice (2011)
- Napa Valley College Police Academy, Certificate (2011)
- Sonoma County Zone 3 Regional Fire Academy, Certificate (2012)
- Emergency Response to Terrorism, National Fire Academy DHS, Certificate (2012)
- Community Safety Educator, National Fire Academy DHS, Certificate (2012)
- Contingency Planning for Public Safety IS-15, FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Certificate (2012)
- NIMS IS-700 (Introduction), FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Certificate (2012)
- NIMS IS-702 (Public Information Systems), FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Certificate (2012)
- NIMS IS-703 (Resource Management), FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Certificate (2012)

  

**OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:**

- SVHS "Every 15 Minutes" Inaugural Steering Committee, Member
- SVHS "Alive at 25" Inaugural Steering Committee, Member
- Community Service Intern, Sonoma Police Department, 2006-2007

- Sonoma Police Explorer Lieutenant, 2003-2010

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:**

- Ducks Unlimited, wetland habitat restoration non-profit, Chico area Treasurer (2008-2011)
- Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, alpine habitat preservation non-profit, Chico area member (2010-2011)
- Schell-Vista Firefighters Association, Secretary (Current)

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**GENERAL QUESTIONS:**

**Have you ever attended a meeting of the Commission to which you are applying? If so, how many?**

No

**What is your understanding of the role and responsibility of this Commission?**

To review proposed solutions to traffic safety issues affecting the City of Sonoma, and to serve in an advisory capacity to the Sonoma City Council on proposed physical improvements.

**What would be your goal(s) as a Commissioner?**

To effectively and energetically represent the interests of the community, to address and alleviate specific concerns related to traffic safety, and to promote the general safety and welfare of residents and visitors in our community.

**What do you feel you could contribute to see these goals realized?**

I will utilize my deep-seated and diverse relationships in the community in conjunction with my affinity for public service, to contribute relevant technical knowledge and experience, offered in the context of promoting the best interests of all stakeholders.

**Have you previously served, or do you currently serve, on a Sonoma Commission or Committee? If yes, which one(s) and for what period of time?**

no

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**SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONS:**

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I AGREE

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**Do you rent property in the City of Sonoma? Yes**

**If yes, is it a month-to-month lease? No**

**If no, please list the address(es):**

434 Patten Street

**Please identify any organizations, associations, corporations, or entities by which you are employed or with which you are associated that might be affected by decisions of one or more of the Commissions, and the positions you hold in these entities.**

None

**Do you have a defined idea about, or have you taken a public stance on, any current or pending projects in the City? If yes, please explain (This includes social media, speaking to a Commission or the Council, letters to the editor, signed a petition etc.)**

None

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**Is there anything else you would like us to consider when reviewing your application?**

I would greatly appreciate the opportunity to serve my community in a capacity that best suits my professional skill set and experience, and am excited at the prospect of being considered for this role.

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I AGREE

Matthew Donald Wirick

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December 23, 2018

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**MATTHEW D WIRICK**  
434 Patten Street  
Sonoma, CA 95476  
mwirick@comcast.net 707.479.2686

**Specialization.....**

Local government systems with an emphasis in public safety, law enforcement, institutional correctional systems, and traffic safety systems.

**Objective.....**

To obtain appointment to the City of Sonoma Traffic Safety Committee

**Education.....**

California State University, Chico  
Chico, CA  
Degree: Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice  
Graduation date: May 2011

Napa Valley College Criminal Justice Training Center  
POST Basic Academy  
Squad Sergeant  
Napa, CA  
Graduated: May 2013

Sonoma Valley High School  
Sonoma, CA  
Graduated: June 2007

**Employment Experience.....**

Yolo County Sheriff's Department November/2011 to Present  
Deputy Sheriff  
(530) 668-5280  
140 Tony Diaz Drive Woodland, CA 95695  
Sheriff: E.G. Prieto

Schell-Vista Fire Protection District April/2012 to Present  
Firefighter, Special Project Manager  
(707) 938-2633  
22950 Broadway, Sonoma Ca 95476  
Chief: Raymond Mulas

CSUC, Associated Students August/2009 to June/2011  
Loss Prevention Agent  
(530) 898-5222  
California State University, Chico  
Supervisor: Marilyn Hoag

**Employment Experience continued.....**

Sonoma Police Department (Contract/Sonoma County Sheriff) July/2004 to April/2010  
Community Oriented Policing Intern / Explorer Lieutenant  
(707) 996-3602  
175 First Street West Sonoma, CA 95476  
Chief: Bret Sackett

**Certifications.....**

- Title 22 First Responder, American Red Cross, Certificate
- CPR / AED, American Health Care Academy, Certificate
- Emergency Response to Terrorism, National Fire Academy DHS, Certificate
- Community Safety Educator, National Fire Academy DHS, Certificate
- Contingency Planning for Public Safety IS-15, FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Certificate
- NIMS IS-700 (Introduction), FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Certificate
- NIMS IS-702 (Public Information Systems), FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Certificate
- NIMS IS-703 (Resource Management), FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Certificate
- POST Basic Academy, Certificate
- STC Basic Academy, Certificate
- Sonoma County Zone 3 Fire Academy, Certificate

**Awards.....**

- Daughters of the American Revolution: Exemplary Citizenship Award
- Sonoma Police Employee of the Year 2007
- North Bay Regional Law Enforcement Explorer Academy Leadership Award
- Sonoma County Explorer of the Year 2006

**Clubs and Interests.....**

- Former CSU, Chico Government Club member
- Former Chico Ducks Unlimited Officer
- Ducks Unlimited Committee Board Member
- Outdoor recreation; Hunting; Fishing; Hiking; Mountain Bicycling; Conservation

**Character/Employment References.....**

Sheriff E.G. Prieto.....530.666.8282  
Yolo County Sheriff – Coroner  
140 Tony Diaz Drive  
Woodland, Ca 95695

Chief Brett Sackett.....707.996.3602  
City of Sonoma Police Chief  
175 1st Street West  
Sonoma, CA 95476

Richard Sweeting.....707.935.7351  
Assistant Sheriff (Ret.) Sonoma County Sheriff's Office  
25 McDonnell Street  
Sonoma, Ca 95476

Chief Raymond Mulas.....707.996.2633  
Chief, Schell-Vista Fire District  
22950 Broadway.  
Sonoma, CA 95476





**City of Sonoma**  
**COMMISSION APPLICATION**

CA-18-50

**Received Date:** December 6, 2018

**Application Type:** Traffic Safety Committee

**NAME:** Armando Zimmerman  
**ADDRESS:** 275 West Spain Street, Sonoma, CA, 95476  
**PHONE:** 707.996.0361  
**EMAIL ADDRESS:** armandozimm@gmail.com

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY:** 7 Years **REGISTERED VOTER:** Yes  
**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:** Retired  
**REASON FOR APPLYING:**

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** (High School, College, Professional, Vocational, or other Schools Attended. Please include Major or Field of Study, Dates attended, Degree and date of Degree)

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**GENERAL QUESTIONS:**

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**SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONS:**

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I AGREE

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I AGREE

Armando Zimmerman

December 6, 2018



HAVE YOU EVER ATTENDED A MEETING OF THIS COMMISSION? YES IF SO, HOW MANY? ALL MEETINGS OF THE TSC (UNLESS OUT OF TOWN) SINCE 2014.  
WHAT IS YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITY OF THIS COMMISSION?

TO REVIEW AND STUDY CITIZEN REQUESTS FOR SOLUTIONS TO TRAFFIC SAFETY AND/OR "CALMING" ISSUES.

WHAT WOULD BE YOUR GOAL(S) AS A COMMISSIONER? MY GOAL HAS BEEN TO WORK WITH THE COMMITTEE BY CAREFULLY STUDYING THE REQUESTS FROM CITIZENS, VISITING THE NEIGHBORHOODS OF CONCERN AND COMING TO MEETINGS PREPARED TO LISTEN.  
WHAT DO YOU FEEL YOU COULD CONTRIBUTE TO SEE THESE GOALS REALIZED?

I CAN CONTRIBUTE BY STAYING INVOLVED; LOOKING FOR REALISTIC SOLUTIONS; CONTINUING TO LEARN.

HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY SERVED, OR DO YOU CURRENTLY SERVE, ON A SONOMA BOARD, COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE? IF YES, WHICH ONE(S) AND FOR WHAT PERIOD OF TIME?

I STARTED AS AN ALTERNATE MEMBER OF THE TSC IN 2014 AND TRANSITIONED TO REGULAR MEMBER IN JANUARY 2016.

IF YOU ARE APPLYING FOR THE PLANNING COMMISSION, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION, DESIGN REVIEW AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION, OR THE TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE, PLEASE ANSWER THESE SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONS.

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Do you own property in the City of Sonoma?  YES  NO

If yes, please list the addresses: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you rent property in the City of Sonoma?  YES  NO  
If yes, is it a month-to-month lease?  YES  NO

If no, please list the address(es): \_\_\_\_\_

Please identify any organizations, associations, corporations, or entities by which you are employed or with which you are associated that might be affected by decisions of one or more of the Commissions identified above, and the positions you hold in these entities.

NONE

Do you have a defined idea about, or have you taken a public stance on, any current or pending projects in the City? If yes, please explain (This includes social media, speaking to a Commission or the Council, letters to the editor, signed a petition etc.)

NO

Is there anything else you would like us to consider when reviewing your application?

I WOULD LIKE TO CONTINUE SERVING ON THE TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE.

I agree that all of the information contained in my responses to the questions on this application are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I also agree that if appointed, I will serve on the commission/committee for which I have submitted this application. I further agree that, by signing below and submitting this application, online or otherwise, I am affixing my signature to this form as of the date submitted.

Armando Zimmerman  
Applicant Signature

1-22-2018  
Date

**SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION ALONG WITH A CURRENT RESUME TO:  
CITY CLERK \* NO. 1 THE PLAZA \* SONOMA CA 95476 \* RBARR@SONOMACITY.ORG**

Submitted applications will be kept in the active file for one year



# CITY OF SONOMA

## COMMISSION APPLICATION

NAME: Armando Zimmermann

ADDRESS: 275 West Spain Street, Sonoma, CA

MAILING ADDRESS: same as above

CONTACT INFO (Please include daytime & evening phone numbers and email address):

(707) 996-0361

armandozimm@gmail.com

COMMISSION OF INTEREST: Traffic Safety Commission

HAVE YOU EVER ATTENDED A MEETING OF THIS COMMISSION? No HOW MANY? \_\_\_\_\_

If you are not selected for the commission listed above, would you be interested in serving on any of our other commissions? If so, please indicate which commission(s): Perhaps

HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU RESIDED IN SONOMA? 5 years - Sonoma City

PRESENT OCCUPATION: RETIRED and 40 years Sonoma Valley

### EDUCATION

SCHOOL	MAJOR	GRADUATION DATE & DEGREE
CSULA	Social Welfare	1967 B.A.
San Francisco State	Social Work	1974 M.S.W.

### COMMUNITY SERVICE EXPERIENCE

ORGANIZATION	DATES SERVED	POSITION
La Luz	1990-2000	Board Member
Stand By Me Mentoring	1998-2005	Mentor
Youth Soccer	2 years	Coach
Boys & Girls Club	2 years	Basketball Coach

(Use additional paper if necessary)

OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE OR EXPERTISE: \_\_\_\_\_

Member of the Glen Ellen Fire Dept - 10+ years

WHAT IS YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITY OF THIS COMMISSION?

The Committee reviews proposed solutions to traffic safety issues presented by City Residents.

WHICH ACTIVITIES OF THIS COMMISSION INTEREST YOU THE MOST? \_\_\_\_\_

Safety Concerns

WHICH ACTIVITIES INTEREST YOU THE LEAST? \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT WOULD BE YOUR GOAL AS A COMMISSIONER? To listen; Be objective and to communicate effectively.

WHAT DO YOU FEEL YOU COULD CONTRIBUTE TO SEE THESE GOALS REALIZED?

Time, energy, and creative thinking. As a resident who walks, drives, and bicycles regularly, I am interested in helping to make Sonoma as safe and pleasant as possible.

PLEASE LIST TWO LOCAL REFERENCES AND THEIR PHONE NUMBERS:

LORA GRIMES (707) 996-4272 / Walt Hickey (707) 996-5026

SOME COMMISSION POSITIONS MUST BE FILLED BY A QUALIFIED ELECTOR OF THE CITY OF SONOMA. A QUALIFIED ELECTOR IS A PERSON WHO IS 1) A U.S. CITIZEN; 2) AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE; AND 3) RESIDES WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF SONOMA.

ARE YOU A QUALIFIED ELECTOR OF THE CITY OF SONOMA?

YES

NO

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

Applicant Signature *Armando Zimmerman*

Date 5-20-2014

All submitted applications are available for public inspection.

Return completed form to:  
City Clerk  
City of Sonoma  
No. 1 The Plaza  
Sonoma CA 95476



## City of Sonoma

### COMMISSION APPLICATION

**Received Date:** December 3, 2018

**Application Type:** Traffic Safety Committee

**NAME:** Yvonne Bowers

**ADDRESS:** 392 E Napa St, Sonoma, CA, 95476-6755

**PHONE:** 7078430109

**EMAIL ADDRESS:** yvonnebowers@mac.com

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY:** 20 Years **REGISTERED VOTER:** Yes

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:** Retired

**REASON FOR APPLYING:** I am a current member of the Traffic Safety Committee. I was appointed in 2016.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Westmoor High School, Ohlone College (Fremont, CA.) and Manchester Community College, Manchester, CT.

**OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:** 25 Years as Procurement Manager, later Director for Diageo Chateau & Estate Wines (formerly United Distillers & Vintners/Heublein). Retired full benefits June 2005.

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:** President of Sonoma Petaluma Parks, Inc. (nonprofit funding arm of California State Parks - Sonoma)  
Treasurer/Board Member - Sonoma Valley Historical Society  
Past President - Sonoma Valley Woman's Club

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#### GENERAL QUESTIONS:

**Have you ever attended a meeting of the Commission to which you are applying? If so, how many?**

Yes 3-4. Am a current member of the committee.

**What is your understanding of the role and responsibility of this Commission?**

We hear (generally) appeals from the city for stop signs, red curbs, etc. from individuals and groups.

**What would be your goal(s) as a Commissioner?**

To continue to objectively and effectively review and evaluate all requests.

**What do you feel you could contribute to see these goals realized?**

The committee including me achieved stop signs at Patten and Second St. East - very dangerous corner intersections.

**Have you previously served, or do you currently serve, on a Sonoma Commission or Committee? If yes, which one(s) and for what period of time?**

Sonoma Valley Citizens Advisory Commission (representing the city) 2006-2013

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I AGREE

**Do you own property in the City of Sonoma? Yes**

**If yes, please list the address(es):**

392 E Napa St.

**Do you rent property in the City of Sonoma? No**

**If yes, is it a month-to-month lease? No**

**Please identify any organizations, associations, corporations, or entities by which you are employed or with which you are associated that might be affected by decisions of one or more of the Commissions, and the positions you hold in these entities.**

None

**Do you have a defined idea about, or have you taken a public stance on, any current or pending projects in the City? If yes, please explain (This includes social media, speaking to a Commission or the Council, letters to the editor, signed a petition etc.)**

No

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**Is there anything else you would like us to consider when reviewing your application?**

I am very interested in urban planning, City traffic safety and community involvement. This serves all three interests.

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I AGREE

Yvonne Oliver Bowers

December 3, 2018





## City of Sonoma

### COMMISSION APPLICATION

Received Date: November 20, 2018

Application Type: Traffic Safety Committee

**NAME:** Paul Thomas

**ADDRESS:** 1145 Beasley Way, Sonoma, CA, 95476

**PHONE:** 707 478-9566

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY:** Purchased home in August 2017      **REGISTERED VOTER:** Yes

**EMPLOYER:** Former City of South San Francisco Fire Captain-27years employment

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:** Retired

**REASON FOR APPLYING:** I believe "Safe Roads Save Lives". I feel more can be done with simple maintenance and adequate planning.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** 1981 Fire Science A.S. Degree. Fire department training courses including, Haz Mat, Highrise, Emergency Medical Technician, Leadership and Chief Officer training

**OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:** DMV evaluator for firefighter license endorsement. Department evaluator for fire pumper and fire truck qualifications. Member of AMCA- Antique Motorcycle Club of America-Road Run rider. Judge at SAMTRANS bus driver rodeo.

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:** 2015-2017 Redwood Food Bank food hand out at Mc Dowell Elementary School in Petaluma

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#### GENERAL QUESTIONS:

**Have you ever attended a meeting of the Commission to which you are applying? If so, how many?**

no

**What is your understanding of the role and responsibility of this Commission?**

To review and evaluate citizen suggestions and complaints. To advise the City Council on all physical measures proposed as solutions to identified issues.

**What would be your goal(s) as a Commissioner?**

To improve the quality of roads and traffic flows in the City of Sonoma and surrounding area.

**What do you feel you could contribute to see these goals realized?**

As a retired Fire Captain/Driver trainer and Motorcyclist my experience with roads allows me to see clearly safe and unsafe conditions and a position on the commission will help to make changes to improve road safety.

**Have you previously served, or do you currently serve, on a Sonoma Commission or Committee? If yes, which one(s) and for what period of time?**

no

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I AGREE

**Do you own property in the City of Sonoma? Yes**

**If yes, please list the address(es):**

1145 Beasley Way

**Do you rent property in the City of Sonoma? No**

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none

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no

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**Is there anything else you would like us to consider when reviewing your application?**

As Fire Captain I was responsible for initial investigation for vehicle accidents when they occurred to various fire apparatus I was responsible for.

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I AGREE

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Paul Clayton Thomas

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November 20, 2018



## City of Sonoma

CA-19-8

### COMMISSION APPLICATION

Received Date: January 3, 2019

Application Type: Traffic Safety Committee

**NAME:** Patrick Ingram

**ADDRESS:** 638 Zinnia Ct., Sonoma, CA, 95476

**PHONE:** 707-363-4251

**ALTERNATIVE PHONE:** 707-935-8655

**EMAIL ADDRESS:** whooplepi@gmail.com

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY:** 22 years in city + 2 years in county      **REGISTERED VOTER:** Yes

**EMPLOYER:** Friedman's Home Improvement

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:** Employed

**REASON FOR APPLYING:** I want to contribute to my community in public service and as I have experienced traffic issues in Sonoma, as a Sonoman, I believe I can offer a positive constructive citizen's perspective.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BS in Biology/Chemistry, Cal State Stanislaus University, 1971-1975; MS in Technology Sciences Management, 2001-2003

**OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:** CalTest Analytical Lab, Lab Director/IT Director

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:** Elder & Trustee for 20+ years at Sonoma Presbyterian Church

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#### GENERAL QUESTIONS:

**Have you ever attended a meeting of the Commission to which you are applying? If so, how many?**

No, but have followed activities in local papers

**What is your understanding of the role and responsibility of this Commission?**

As a committee member I would review proposals to aide in traffic management, offer my personal experiences as applicable and if appropriate, propose alternative considerations.

**What would be your goal(s) as a Commissioner?**

Seek to improve the overall traffic conditions within the city of Sonoma

**What do you feel you could contribute to see these goals realized?**

Maintain an open-minded approach, and objective perspective; use my experience and actively participate to achieve the goals of the commission.

**Have you previously served, or do you currently serve, on a Sonoma Commission or Committee? If yes, which one(s) and for what period of time?**

No

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I AGREE

**Do you own property in the City of Sonoma?** No

**Do you rent property in the City of Sonoma?** No

**If no, please list the address(es):**

I own property in the county of Sonoma (see address above)

**Please identify any organizations, associations, corporations, or entities by which you are employed or with which you are associated that might be affected by decisions of one or more of the Commissions, and the positions you hold in these entities.**

none

**Do you have a defined idea about, or have you taken a public stance on, any current or pending projects in the City? If yes, please explain (This includes social media, speaking to a Commission or the Council, letters to the editor, signed a petition etc.)**

no

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**Is there anything else you would like us to consider when reviewing your application?**

My personal attributes are to work in a collaborative manner, working together to find & implement effective solutions for the betterment of the community.

*I agree that all of the information contained in my responses to the questions on this application are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I further agree that, by checking the box below and submitting this application, online or otherwise, I am affixing my digital signature to this form as of the date submitted. I also agree that if appointed, I will serve on the Commission/Committee for which I have submitted this application.*

I AGREE

Patrick H. Ingram

January 3, 2019