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Nancy Watt
County Executive Officer

December 22 2015

Ina Pisani

Napa CA 94559

Re: Wildlife Conservation Commission

Dear Ms. Pisani:

The term of your position representing the Napa County Wildlife Conservation Commission expires Feb 1 2016.

If you wish to request reappointment, please check the boxes below, sign where indicated, and return this letter to the County Executive Office. When the letter has been returned, your name will be forwarded to the Board of Supervisors for consideration for reappointment to another three-year term, as you have been a valued member of the Napa County Wildlife Conservation Commission.

If any of the information on your last application for appointment has changed or is 5 years or older please contact the Napa County Executive's Office to obtain a new application, and submit the completed new application when returning this letter.



Yes, I would like my name, this letter and application forwarded to the Board of Supervisors for possible reappointment to the Napa County Wildlife Conservation Commission for the term commencing immediately and expiring Feb 1 2019.



I confirm by signing below that all the information on my application is current; or



Some of the information on my prior application is no longer correct. A new application is attached.

JP Watt

SIGNATURE

1/2/16

DATE

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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO
BOARD, COMMISSION, COMMITTEE OR TASK FORCE

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT (Complete pages 1 through 3)

NOTE: Applications are public records that are subject to disclosure under the California Public Records Act. Information provided by the applicant is **not** regarded as confidential **except** for the addresses and phone numbers of references and the applicant's personal information including home and work addresses, phone numbers and email address.

*Application for Appointment to: (Name of Board, Commission, Committee or Task Force)

Wildlife Conservation Commission

*Category of membership for which you are applying:

(This information can be found on the news release announcing the opening.
You may apply for more than one category if more than one position is open.)

Wildlife/Conservation Rep

*Supervisory District in which you reside:

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*Full Name:

Ina Pisani

*Date:

1/2/2013

*Current Occupation: (within the last twelve (12) months)

Fisheries Biologist/Natural Resources Associate with Ocean Associates Inc. and currently assigned to the Santa Rosa office of National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Admin.

*Current License: (Professional or Occupational, date of issue and/or expiration including status)

*Education/Experience: (A resume may be attached containing this and any other information that would be helpful to the Board in evaluating your application.)

B.S. Biology from State University of New York, Stony Brook
M.S. in Environmental Science coursework from Bard College

*Community Participation: (Nature of activity and community location)

Leader of a Napa elementary school chapter of Roots and Shoots through Jane Goodall Institute; member of Audubon Society; regular volunteer at Stone Bridge School in Napa

*Other County Board/Commission/Committee on which you serve/have served

current commissioner for Wildlife Conservation Commission; term expiring February 1, 2013

*Application for Appointment to: (Name of Board, Commission, Committee or Task Force)

Wildlife Conservation Commission

Names, addresses and phone number of three (3) individuals familiar with your background:

*Name:

Wildlife Conservation Commission

*Address:

[REDACTED]

*City:

Santa Rosa

*State:

CA

*Zip Code:

95404

*Telephone:

[REDACTED]

*Name:

William Hearn

*Address:

[REDACTED]

*City:

Santa Rosa

*State:

CA

*Zip Code:

95404

*Telephone:

[REDACTED]

*Name:

Mike Laurs

*Address:

[REDACTED]

*City:

Arlington

*State:

Va

*Zip Code:

12567

*Telephone:

[REDACTED]

Name and occupation of spouse within the last 12 months, if married (For Conflict of Interest purposes):

Chris Pisani, winemaker

*Please explain your reasons for wishing to serve and, in your opinion, how you feel you could contribute:

I wish to continue to serve and contribute scientific and technical input and advice to fellow commissioners and grant applicants. I am involved in some longer term WCC funded projects and wish to continue monitoring progress on these activities.

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Wildlife Conservation Commission

APPLICANTS APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WILL BE REQUIRED TO TAKE AN OATH OF OFFICE.

PLEASE NOTE THAT APPOINTEES MAY BE REQUIRED BY STATE LAW AND COUNTY CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE TO FILE FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS.

All applications will be kept on file for one year from the date of application.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

The following information is provided in confidence, but may be used by the Board of Supervisors when making the appointment, or be used by the Committee/Commission/Board/Task Force following appointment for purposes of communicating with the appointee.

*Full Name:

Ina Pisani

*email Address:

[REDACTED]

*Home Address:

[REDACTED]

*Work Address:

[REDACTED]

*City:

*State:

*Zip Code:

Napa

CA

94559

*City:

*State:

*Zip Code:

Santa Rosa

CA

95404

*Telephone:

[REDACTED]

*Telephone:

[REDACTED]

INA PISANI

NAPA, Ca 94559

EDUCATION

BARD COLLEGE, NEW YORK

M.S. ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE/ECOLOGY

(IN PROGRESS)

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT STONY BROOK

B.S. BIOLOGY

1991

WORK EXPERIENCE

OCEAN ASSOCIATES, INC.

Natural Resources Specialist

September 2010 to present

- Assistant to National Marine Fisheries Service's Permit Coordinator; conduct internal section 7 consultations pursuant to the Endangered Species Act, prepare NEPA documents and categorical exclusions, issue Federal Register notices, prepare section 10(a)(1)(A) research permits; review section 10(a)(1)(A) and section 4(d) research applications.

NAPA COUNTY WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Wildlife Conservation Representative

Feb 2010 to present

- Advise the Napa County Board of Supervisors on policy matters and funding proposals that preserve and enhance Napa County wildlife and their habitats

U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, SACRAMENTO FIELD OFFICE, CALIFORNIA

Fish and Wildlife Biologist

Jan. 1993 to Dec. 2003

- Authored the Recovery Plan for the California Red-legged Frog
- Authored portions of the San Francisco Bay Recovery Plan
- Served as a member of an interagency team (CALFED) assembled to develop long term solutions for problems affecting the San Francisco Bay-San Joaquin Delta ecosystem and provided technical assistance and recommendations to the Environmental Protection Agency and CALFED regarding CALFED Bay-Delta project alternatives
- Led consultations and prepared biological opinions under section 7 of the Endangered Species Act for threatened and endangered species (bald eagle, peregrine falcon, northern spotted owl, marbled murrelet, southwestern willow flycatcher, Cal. red-legged frog) to assess and minimize impacts of proposed federal projects including stream and riparian restoration projects, reservoir operations, timber harvests, grazing practices, and bridge seismic retrofits
- Served as Assistant Project Manager responsible for NEPA planning and documentation for the Trinity River Mainstem Fishery Restoration EIS/EIR which addressed improvement of fishery flows and habitat rehabilitation; planned and held cooperating agency meetings and public scoping meetings
- Served as Chairperson of the Wildlife Team for San Joaquin River Restoration; developed riparian and wetland restoration actions including land acquisition/conservation easement proposals with California Riparian Habitat Joint Venture
- Advised federal agencies on standards and guides for implementation of Northwest Forest Plan including: watershed analysis, habitat restoration, section 7 consultations, late-successional reserve assessments and the aquatic conservation strategy
- Conducted ecological investigations of proposed land and water development projects to determine effects on distribution and abundance of living organisms
- Planned and conducted field studies, literature reviews, and prepared technical reports
- Developed terms and conditions to minimize the effects of surveys for California red-legged frog and southwestern willow flycatcher and reviewed scientific take/recovery permits

U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, SACRAMENTO FIELD OFFICE, CALIFORNIA

Biological Consultant

June 1992 - August 1992

- Generated cover-type maps of pre-project conditions within Trinity Reservoir
- Determined acreages of impacted habitat types
- Prepared report for the Trinity River Division, Upland Habitat Assessment

REFERENCES

Ruth Pratt: Marin Dept. of Public Works, P.O. Box 4188, San Rafael, CA 94913 (415) 499-7579

Peter Baye: Coastal Ecologist, P.O. Box 65, Annapolis, CA 94512 (415) 310-5109

Diane Elam: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA 95825 (916) 414-6600