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Cc: Dodd, Bill; 'jimzspering@cs.com'; Coil, Gladys; Darbinian, Silva
Subject: RE: MTC Appointment-4 year term

Dear City Selection Committee:

It appears my Oct 15 email below did not reach everyone I had intended. I would like to re-iterate my interest and qualifications for serving on MTC these coming 4 years.

I have served on MTC these last two years as ABAG's appointee. The ABAG term is also ending and the current ABAG President Julie Pierce intends to appoint her-self to fill that role. Without your appointment, I will be leaving MTC.

We have been fortunate to have two experienced members from Napa representing our interests because of my role at ABAG. I would hope by being appointed to fill Bill Dodd's seat, I could carry on with the experience, good will, and seniority that I have acquired.

My role as ABAG President (2010 to 2012) involved finalizing Plan Bay Area in partnership with MTC. Thus, my experience working with MTC and their staff extends to before my role on MTC. Further, Plan Bay Area is a central part of the MTC planning process and MTC must continue to work with ABAG to see the goals of the plan accomplished. My experience and knowledge with the plan, its development, and my history and role with both organizations make me uniquely qualified for this effort.

I appreciate many of your comments during your November meeting about the need to represent the interests of the entire county. I would add to that the need to look at the entire North Bay region's interests as we affect each other greatly. I know long time MTC member and Solano County Supervisor Jim Spearing has spoken to Mayor Techel and perhaps others of you about his belief that I need to remain on MTC for the good of the region. He is copied here if you wish to check with him regarding this appointment.

I am happy to meet with any of you to discuss this or answer questions by phone or email.

Sincerely,

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Subject: MTC Appointment

Dear Mayors,

As you may be aware, I have been serving as ABAG's appointment to MTC for about 2 years. Supervisor Dodd has served as Napa County's appointee. Both of our terms expire at the end of this year.

The prospects of my Colleague being elected to the Assembly are excellent and he is not likely to seek re-appointment. I also understand our current ABAG President, Julie Pierce, would like to appoint herself for the ABAG appointment I currently hold. Therefore, please consider me for nomination to fill the Napa County seat Supervisor Dodd will be leaving.

I have worked with the current MTC commission both as a Commissioner and in my previous role as ABAG President. I have a good working relationship with the members and can continue to work to protect Napa and the North Bay's interests. Plan Bay area is an important plan for Napa and the Bay area and I bring both the planning and transportation perspectives to MTC that are needed to keep it on track.

Also, I have been serving as a County alternate at NCTPA. I anticipate being one of the County's regular appointments to NCTPA next year and can serve to communicate between MTC and NCTPA.

I understand the City Selection Committee must present three nominations to the Board of Supervisors. Please consider me for one of your nominations.

Blessings,

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