

November 11, 2005

Mary-Jean McLaughlin  
Napa and Lake Counties  
1031 Jefferson St.  
Napa, CA 94559

Re: Tobacco Advisory Board

Dear Ms. McLaughlin,

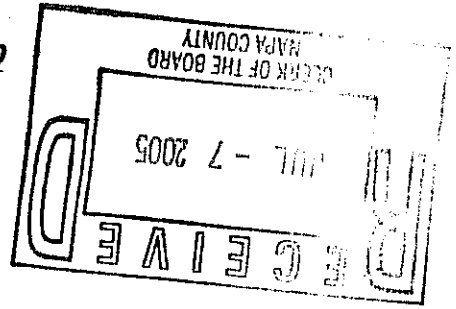
As one of the Administrators of the Kaiser Napa facility I would like Maria Carter to attend the Tobacco Advisory Board Meetings as our representative. Maria is our Senior Health Educator and is very involved in designing and implementing our Tobacco Cessation classes. She also refers Kaiser members, as well as non-members to the appropriate resources available to them in this county.

Sincerely,

Debbie Bacon  
Site Coordinator

**TOBACCO ADVISORY BOARD**

Return To: County Executive Office  
1195 Third Street, Room 310  
Napa, Ca 94559-3082



**PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE (Please complete all three pages)**

1. Full name: Maria C. Carter
2. Supervisorial District in which you reside: ? (I live in Pinole CA)
3. ~~I lived in Napa for many yrs.~~ contra Costa Co. & work in Napa Valley
  - a. Current occupation (within last 12 months): Senior Health Educator Kaiser Permanente
  - b. Business interests in last 12 months: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Current License (Professional or Occupational); Date of issue and/or expiration: R.N. - Calif. # 374611  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Status: Current
5. 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.A. Sociology - U.C. Berkeley '72  
A.S. Nursing - Napa Valley College '84  
I have worked as an R.N. + Community Health Educator in Napa + Solano Counties for the past 20 yrs.
6. Community participation (nature of activity and community location):  
Have been involved in Napa Co. Prevention Coalition in the past when I worked for the Volunteer Center of Napa Co. from 2000 -> 2003. as a Community Educator.

7. Other County Boards/Commissions/Committees on which you serve/have served:

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8. Names, addresses and phone numbers of three individuals familiar with your background:

Tracy Lamb, Napa Emergency Women's. Slex  
Melinda McGrath, LCSW, Veteran's Home  
Kathy Widner, Health Ed. Kaiser  
Permanente, [REDACTED]

9. Name of spouse and occupation of spouse within last 12 months, if married (for Conflict of Interest purposes):

Joel J. Bernstein Gen. Mgr. of  
Fulfilco Orderfulfillment + Warehousing Co.  
Rebman  
Ca.

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

I wish to serve on this Board because I'm actively involved in the Napa Area Community as a Health Educator for Kaiser Permanente and am also a Tobacco Cessation facilitator trained by Kaiser + the American Lung Association.

11. Indicate the category of membership for which you are applying.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Representative                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Member At Large                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health Care Organization        | <input type="checkbox"/> Educational Institution         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agency-Tobacco Related Diseases | <input type="checkbox"/> Agency-Substance Abuse/Addition |