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County Executive Officer

August 3, 2020

David Ruane
[REDACTED]
Napa, CA 94558
[REDACTED]

Re: **Napa County Arts and Culture Advisory Committee**

Dear Mr. Ruane:

You have been a valued member of the **Napa County Arts and Culture Advisory Committee** representing **Youth Arts (three-year term)**. The term of your position will expire September 30, 2020. If you wish to request reappointment for another three-year term, please check the following box:

- ☒ Yes, I would like my name, this letter and application forwarded to the Board of Supervisors for possible reappointment to the **Napa County Arts and Culture Advisory Committee** for the term commencing immediately and expiring September 30, 2023.

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If you have chosen to request reappointment, please check one of the two boxes below regarding your last application.

- ☒ I confirm that all the information on my last application is current.
- ☐ Some of the information on my last application is no longer current or is five (5) years old or older. I will submit a new or revised application.

(To complete a new application form either contact the Napa County Executive Office or go to the following link to complete your application online:

<https://www.countyofnapa.org/1420/Committees-Commissions>

After checking the appropriate box, **sign and date on the lines below and return this letter to the County Executive Office by mail, email, or fax.**

David Ruane
SIGNATURE

08/24/2020
DATE

RECEIVED

Application for Appointment to Board, Commission, Committee,
Task Force or Position

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Applicants appointed by the Board of Supervisors will be required to take an oath of office. All applications will be kept on file for one year from the date of application.

Public Records Act

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.

Form 700 Conflict of Interest California Fair Political Practices Website
Code

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Application for Appointment to: Napa County Arts and Culture Advisory Committee

Category of Membership for Creation of Arts and Culture Opportunities or Education of
Which You Are Applying Arts and Culture

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 David

Supervisory District in Which District 2
You Reside

Home Address [REDACTED]

City Napa

State CA

Zip 94558

Phone [REDACTED]

Email Address [REDACTED]

Work Address [REDACTED]

10/29/2018

City	Napa
State	CA
Zip	94558
Work Phone	[REDACTED]
Current Occupation	Music teacher-Professional Pianist
Current License	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Education/Experience	Please see resume
Resume	David Ruane Resume.pdf
Community Participation	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Other County Board/Commission/Committee on Which You Serve/Have Served	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Public Actions that may impact Credit Rating	<i>Field not completed.</i>

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Provide names, addresses and phone numbers of 3 individuals who are familiar with your background.

Reference 1

Name	Jamie Butler
Phone	[REDACTED]
Address	[REDACTED]
City	Napa
State	CA
Zip	94558

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Reference 2

Name	Travis Rogers
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Phone	[REDACTED]
Address	[REDACTED]
City	Napa
State	CA
Zip	94558

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Reference 3

Name	Barbara Nemko
Phone	[REDACTED]
Address	[REDACTED]
City	Napa
State	CA
Zip	94559

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Name and occupation of spouse within the last 12 months, if married.	Christine Ruane, General Manager, TPX Corp.
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Please explain your reasons for wishing to serve and, in your opinion, how you feel you could contribute.

I have been a resident of Napa County for 50 years. I know, and have seen the need for funding for both visual and performing arts. If we are to preserve and promote the arts, we need to continue and procure support to help to provide the underserved with the opportunity to realize their potential as artists and musicians. My grandmother bought us a piano for \$50.00 when I was 8 years old. Had it not been for this gift, I would have probably never realized my potential as a musician and educator.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Yes

Electronic Signature Agreement

I agree.

Electronic Signature

David T. Ruane

[REDACTED] 10/29/2018

Date 10/28/2018 4:15 PM

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Education

Piano Performance Major, University of Pacific Conservatory, Stockton, Ca.

Piano and music theory studies-The San Francisco Conservatory of Music

Studied piano at the studio of Marion Long-Napa Ca.

Experience

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| • Vocal Coach- Napa High School Vocal Music Workshop | 2012 to present |
| • Private Piano Teacher | 1993 to present |
| • Professional Pianist | 1982 to present |
| • Professional accompanist (Napa High and American Canyon High School) | 1982 to present |
| • Napa High Choral Booster board member and President | 2005 to 2013 |

Teaching Experience

- As the Vocal Music Workshop Coach, I am responsible for choosing repertoire and teaching the repertoire to the students. I am also responsible for producing 3 shows each year. One of the shows is the A Cappella Extravaganza that has sold out at the Lincoln Theater the last 5 years. This is the major fundraiser for our program. My responsibilities also include procuring over \$15k in sponsorships For the A Cappella Extravaganza.
- I have 23 students in my piano studio, ranging in age from 5 to 75 years old. I meet with each student once each week for a private lesson, working on artistry, technique and music theory.
- As a professional pianist, I am hired to play for numerous events around the Bay area.
- As a professional accompanist, I have played for the Napa Choirs since 2007