

Background Information on Potential Reappointment
Workforce Investment Board of Ventura County

Sector: Labor

Name	Martel Fraser
Employer	United Food and Commercial Workers Union-Local 770
Occupation/Title	Labor Relations/Recorder
Work Experience	Officer of local union representing 35,000 members in healthcare, retail and food industries for over 30 years
Education	B.A., University of California, Santa Barbara
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ventura County Living Wage Advisory Board• City of Ventura Planning Commission• CAUSE Executive Board• Appointment to the Tri-Counties Central Labor Council
Current WIB Role	Chair, Allied Health Committee Member, Evaluation Committee
Letter of Recommendation	Tri-Counties Central Labor Council

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Sector: Business

Name	Victor Dollar
Employer	Brighton Hotel Management, Four Points by Sheraton, Ventura, CA
Occupation/Title	General Manager
Work Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• John Q. Hammons Hotels & Resorts, Residence Inn, Springfield MO: Director of Sales and Marketing• JQH Hotels, Holiday Inn Select, Bakersfield, CA• Director of Sales and Marketing, Holiday Inn Ventura Beach Resort, Ventura, CA• General Manager, Inn at Grand Glaize, Osage Beach, MO• Director of Sales/Assistant General Manager, Marina Bay Resort, Osage Beach, MO• Owner, Dollar Moving and Storage, Simi Valley, CA
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• B.A., Business Administration, Kennedy-Western University, Cheyenne, WY
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ventura County Lodging Association, Chairman• Ventura Convention and Visitors' Bureau, Board Member• Tri-County Lodging Association, Lake of the Ozarks, MO, Board Member• Lake of the Ozarks Golf Council, Board Member• Lee C. Fine Airport, Board Member• Rotary International, Westlake Village, CA , Paul Harris Fellow (13 years), active with the Foreign Exchange Program
Current WIB Role	Member, Resource Planning Committee Chair, Clean/Green Workforce Committee
Letter of Recommendation	Ventura County Lodging Association

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Sector: Business

Name	Bernardo M. Perez
Employer	Cabrillo Economic Development Corporation (CEDC)
Occupation/Title	Project Manager
Work Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Project Manager, CEDC• Water Service Representative, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
Other Experience	<p>Public Service:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moorpark City Council• Ventura Local Agency Formation Commission; Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency• Southern California Water Committee• League of California Cities (Housing and Economic Development Committee)• Southern California Association of Governments (Transportation and Communications Committee)• Base Realignment and Closure BRAC-95 Taskforce, Ventura County• Moorpark Neighborhood Councils, Peach Hill and Downtown• Community Involvement:• Clinicas del Camino Real, Board of Directors• Community Action of Ventura County• Board of Directors; Ventura County Living Wage Coalition• Ventura Civic Alliance• United Way of Ventura County, Board of Directors• Cabrillo Economic Development Corporation, Board of Directors• El Concilio del Condado de Ventura, Board of Directors• Children's Health Initiative Steering Committee• Moorpark Unified School District, classroom volunteer/reader• HOME Housing Task Force
Current WIB Role	Member, Evaluation Committee
Letter of Recommendation	Economic Development Collaborative-Ventura County

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Sector: Community-Based Organization

Name	Hugh Ralston
Employer	Ventura County Community Foundation
Occupation/Title	President and CEO
Work Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Executive Director, Catholic Education Foundation (Los Angeles)• 16 years as a private, corporate and international banker (Security Pacific and J.P. Morgan & Co.)
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• B.A. from Amherst College• M.A. in International Law and Diplomatic History, The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy (a joint program in international relations of Tufts and Harvard Universities)
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Third generation partner in the family ranching business, Goleta Valley• Sustaining trustee, Santa Barbara Museum of Art• Founding member of the board of governors, Research Institute at Children's Hospital Los Angeles• Board member, Los Angeles Chorale• Trustee, Scripps College, Pomona• Trustee, San Francisco Theological Seminary• Trustee, Community Arts Music Association of Santa Barbara• Co-chair, Junior Fellows at The Huntington Library in San Marino• Founder of the Trailblazers at the Autry Museum of Western Heritage• Patron and volunteer, Music Academy of the West in Santa Barbara• Board member, Southern California Grantmakers• Planned Giving Council of Ventura County• Vice Chair, Community Commission for Ventura County• Steering committee, League of California Community Foundations• Steering committee, Council on Foundations, National Standards Action Team• Choral singer, participating in several Mastersingers USA award-winning European tours• Member of the Ventura County Chapter of the Ag Futures Alliance
Current WIB Role	Chair, Resource Planning Committee Member, Executive Committee
Letter of Recommendation	Economic Development Corporation of Oxnard

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Sector: Labor

Name	Donald Anthony (Tony) Skinner
Employer	Tri-Counties Building and Construction Trades Council
Occupation/Title	Business Representative
Work Experience	30-year member, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (I.B.E.W.), Local Union 952
Other	Trustee of the Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee for I.B.E.W., Local Union 952
Current WIB Role	Chair, WIB Youth Council Member, Executive Committee
Letter of Recommendation	Tri-Counties Central Labor Council

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Sector: Business

Name Alex Teague

Employer Limoneira Company

Occupation/Title Executive Vice President

Work Experience

- Teague-McKevett Ranches, Santa Paula, CA
- McKevett Corporation, Santa Paula, CA
- Sunkist Growers, Inc., Sherman Oaks, CA
- Royal Citrus Company, Riverside, CA
- Tulare County Lemon Association, Porterville, CA
- Mayflower-TCLA, Exeter, CA; Citrus View, Exeter, CA
- SP Distributor, Santa Paula, CA/Jamay, Jalisco, Mexico
- Limoneira Company
- Consultant, various companies (Chile, Argentina, Spain, Australia)

Education

- B.S. in Business Administration, with concentration in International Marketing and Accounting
- Studies at St. Croix College, Oxford, England

Other

- Boards served:
- Chamber of Commerce, Porterville, CA
- Tulare Fruit Growers Exchange, Porterville, CA;
- Ag Producers, Valencia, CA
- Fruit Growers Supply Co., Sherman Oaks, CA
- Distaladores De Jamay, Jalisco, Mexico
- Salinas Land Company, Ventura, CA
- California Orchard Company, Ventura, CA

Current WIB Role Vice Chair, Resource Planning Committee
Vice Chair, Clean/Green Workforce Committee

Letter of Recommendation Ventura County Economic Development Association

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Sector: Community-Based Organization

Name	Marcos Vargas
Employer	Central Coast Alliance for a Sustainable Economy (CAUSE) Ventura, CA
Occupation/Title	Executive Director
Work Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• United Way of Ventura County, Camarillo: Director of Planning• El Concilio del Condado de Ventura, Oxnard• California State University at Northridge, Instructor• University of California, Los Angeles, Center for North American Integration and Development, Senior Research Assistant• University of California, Los Angeles, Lewis Center for Regional Policy Studies, Project Coordinator
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• B.A. in Economics, University of California, Santa Barbara• M.A. in Urban Planning, University of California, Los Angeles• Ph.D. in Urban Planning, University of California, Los Angeles
Other	<p>Organizational affiliations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Board of Directors, Aliso Construction, Ventura County• Board Member, Founding Chairperson, Ventura County Living Wage Coalition• Board Member, Tri-Counties Labor Foundation• Steering Committee Vice Chair, Ventura County Social Justice Fund• Vice President, McCune Foundation <p>Awards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alice Greenfield McGrath Social Justice Award• Leadership Award, National Women's Political Caucus, Ventura County <p>Publications on multiple topics, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Transformative Latino community practice• California labor and community efforts to improve worker health and safety• Labor and community collaboration• Women in poverty in the Central Coast region• Community-based organizations and participation in welfare to work• Community economic development for Asian Pacific Americans
Current WIB Role	Member, Membership Committee
Letter of Recommendation	Cabrillo Economic Development Association

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Sector: One-Stop Partner

Name	Barry Zimmerman
Employer	County of Ventura, Human Services Agency
Occupation/Title	Director
Work Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• For the County of Ventura:• Director, Human Resources• Deputy Executive Director—Human Resources Benefits• Department Director, Administrative Services, Human Services Agency• Department Director, Business & Employment Services• Program Management Analyst, County Executive Office• Financial Administrative Manager (HR, CAO, HSA)• Vice President, MSE Environmental, Inc., Camarillo, CA• Controller, Systems Application & Technologies, Inc., Oxnard, CA• Auditor, Defense Contract Audit Agency, Oxnard, CA
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• B.S., Accounting, Brigham Young University
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Member, Fidelity Investments National Client Board of Public and Non-Profit• Member, Ventura Unified Budget Advisory Committee• Guest lecturer at community forums
Current WIB Role	Member, Resource Planning Committee
Letter of Recommendation	County of Ventura Executive Office

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Sector: Labor

Name	Carla Castilla
Employer	Service Employees International Union Local 721 (SEIU)
Occupation/Title	Government Relations Political Coordinator
Work Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• United States House of Representatives, Port Hueneme: District Representative and Spanish Language Media Coordinator, Congresswoman Lois Capps• Moving America Forward Foundation, Phoenix, AZ: State Director• California State Assembly, Los Angeles, CA: Field Deputy, Speaker of the Assembly, Fabian Nuñez• The White House, Washington, DC: Staff Assistant, Office of Public Liaison
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• B.A. in International Development Studies, University of California, Los Angeles
Other	<p>Organizational affiliations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ventura County Women's Forum Collaborative , Member• Ventura County Aids Partnership – Latino Task Force, Co-Chair• P-16 Regional Council – Ventura County Superintendent of Schools Office, Member• City of Oxnard, Police Department Chief's Advisory Group, Member• Gold Coast Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Member• Oxnard Alliance for Community Strength, Partner• Ventura County Public Information Officers, Member• United Way Young Leaders Society, Volunteer• UCLA Alumni Association, Member• UCLA Ventura County Alumni Association Scholarship Committee, Committee Member• Junior Achievement of Southern California, Inc. Latino Advisory Council• Ventura County Mexican American Bar Association, Member and Volunteer
Letter of Recommendation	Tri-Counties Central Labor Council

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Sector: Business

Name	Kimberly Collins Nilsson
Employer	Solid Waste Solutions, Inc.
Occupation/Title	President and Owner
Work Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• City of Malibu, Malibu, CA: Project Manager• Walldan Associates, Ventura, CA: Senior Design Engineer, Project Manager• Holmes & Narver, Inc., Orange, CA: Senior Civil Engineer
Education	B.S. in Civil Engineering, California State University Long Beach
Other	Organizational affiliations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• California Resource Recovery Association• National Society of Professional Engineers – San Fernando Valley Chapter American Public Works Association• Film Liaisons in California• Association of Film Commissioners International
Current WIB Role	Member, Clean/Green Workforce Committee
Letter of Recommendation	City of Thousand Oaks

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Sector: Business

Name Tavi Udrea

Employer Haas Automation, Inc.

Occupation/Title Director of Human Resources Operations

Work Experience

- Over 20 years in management, manufacturing, service, training and human resources with Haas
- Training programs for over 1200 employees
- Global technical training
- Leadership development
- Global strategic leadership
- Planning and implementing organizational development plans and programs

Education M.B.A., University of La Verne

Current WIB Role Member, Applied Basic Skills Committee

Letter of Recommendation Economic Development Collaborative–Ventura County

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Name	Sandra Werner
Employer	Simi Valley Hospital
Occupation/Title	Director, Human Resources and Employee Health
Work Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Simi Valley Hospital, Simi Valley, CA: Employment Manager• Glendale Adventist Medical Center, Glendale, CA: Human Resources Coordinator• Antelope Valley Junior Academy, Lancaster, CA: Teacher
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• M.B.A. in Healthcare Management, Western Governor's University• B.A. in Music, California State University, Northridge
Other	Organizational affiliations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Society for Human Resources Management, Member• Southern California Association of Healthcare Recruiters, Member• National Association of Healthcare Recruiters, Member• Simi Valley Cultural Arts Foundation, Member• Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce, Member• The University of Phoenix, Professor of Healthcare Management Program
Current WIB Role	Member, Allied Health Committee
Letter of Recommendation	Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce