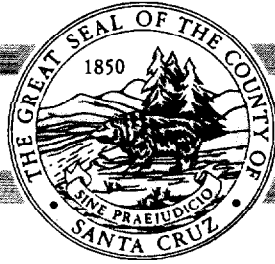


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 701 Ocean Street
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RE: APPOINTMENT TO HOUSING ADVISORY COMMISSION

Dear Members of the Board:

I recommend the appointment of the following person to the Housing Advisory Commission in accordance with County Code Chapter 2.94, Section 30, for a term to expire April 1, 1999:

David A. Foster
 118 Miles Street
 Santa Cruz, CA 95060
 469-4923 (H)
 471-1914 (B)

Sincerely,

MARDI WORMHOUDT, Supervisor
 Third District

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cc: David A. Foster
 Housing Advisory Commission

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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A COUNTY ADVISORY BODY

INSTRUCTIONS

If you are interested in serving on a County Advisory Body please complete the following application and return it to the Board of Supervisors, 701 Ocean St., Room 500, Santa Cruz, California. If you are interested in being considered --- for more than one advisory body a separate application should be submitted for each appointment you are seeking.

Upon receipt, your application for appointment will be routed to each Board member and then filed for further consideration by Board members when there is a vacancy on the advisory body. If a Supervisor is interested in nominating you for appointment, the Supervisor will contact you and discuss the appointment, the appointment process, and requirements for the advisory body in question.

Please specify below the Commission/Committee or Board to which you are seeking appointment and provide the requested information.

Thank you for your interest in County Government.

COMMISSION, COMMITTEE or BOARD Housing Advisory Commission

Name David A. Foster

Address 118 Miles St.
Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Phone (Home) (831) 469-4923

(Business) (831) 471-1914

Supervisorial District Mardi Wormhoudt

Length of Residence in Area 1958 to 1979 & 1997 - present

Age (Optional) Circle one: Under 21
21-30
31-40
Over 40

PREVIOUS COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE SERVED (Please specify)

<u>Advisory Body</u>	<u>Term</u>
<u>None in Santa Cruz County</u>	

EDUCATION

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Major</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Year</u>
UC Davis	Community Development	MA	-1981
DC Santa Cruz	Community Studies	BA	1977
Cabrillo College	Sociology	AA	1972

WORK/VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE


<u>Organization</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>P o s i t i o n</u>	<u>Year</u>
Mercy Charities Housing	Calif. 609 Pacific Ave., #101	Housing Developer II	1997-Present
Catholic Charities Community Development Corp.	1400 W. 9th St. LA.	Housing Director	1994-96
Pasadena Housing Alliance	235 E. Holly St. Pasadena, CA	Executive Director	1990-1994
LA Community Design Center	315 W. 9th LA, CA,	Project Coordinator	1985-1990
Santa Barbara Community Housing Corp.	S.B. CA	Project Coordinator	1981-1985

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

Please attach a brief statement indicating why you are interested in serving on the advisory body in question and why you are qualified for the appointment.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the above information is true and correct and I authorize the verification of the information in the application in the event I am a finalist for the appointment.



 Signature

 Date

David A. Foster
118 Miles Street
Santa Cruz, CA 95060
(831) 471-1914

I am interested in serving on the Housing Advisory Commission for Santa **Cruz** County. My particular interest is in helping see that the preservation and development of the County's affordable housing stock is more aggressively planned for, encouraged and funded. Our **affordable** housing policies need to individually address the wide range of housing types and community needs **from** first time homebuyer programs to special needs housing. Of particular concern to me are the County's mobile home parks and farmworker housing facilities.

I have over 20 years of direct experience working with non-profit housing development organizations and city and county housing departments in Salinas, Santa Barbara, Pasadena, Los Angeles, (and Santa **Cruz** since 1997). I have been involved in all levels of the development process including planning, site acquisition, finance, design, construction supervision and property management. Projects which I have personally been involved in include senior housing new construction, historic and seismic restorations, farmworker housing, single room occupancy hotel restorations, family rental housing complexes and transitional and special needs housing. I also have experience with homeless organizations and with the continuum of care planning process.