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AGENDA: 11/21/00

November 13, 2000

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
County of Santa Cruz
701 Ocean Street
Santa Cruz, CA 95060

RE: APPOINTMENT TO LOCAL CHILD CARE PLANNING COUNCIL

Dear Members of the Board:

I recommend the appointment of the following person to the Local Child Care Planning Council, as a representative of child care providers (category 1):

Larry Drury
809 Loma Prieta
Aptos, CA 95003
685-8512 (H)
408-779-1943, ext. 206

Sincerely,

WALTER J. SYMONS, Supervisor
Second District

WJS:ted

cc: Larry Drury
Local Child Care Planning Council

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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY CHILD CARE PLANNING COUNCIL - County Government appointment

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INSTRUCTIONS

If you are interested in serving on the Santa Cruz County Child Care Planning Council please complete the following application and return it to the Board of Supervisors, 701 Ocean St., Room 500, Santa Cruz, CA 95060. If you are interested in being considered for more than one advisory body a separate applicaiton 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 category of representation to which you are seeking appointment and provide the requested information.

Thank you for your interest in this advisory body.

COMMISSION, COMMITTEE OR BOARD ChildCare Planning Council

Name	<u>Larry Drury</u>
Address	<u>809 Loma Prieta, Aptos, CA 95003</u>
Phone (Home)	<u>831-685-8512</u>
(Business)	<u>408-779-1943 Ext.206</u>

Category you are applying for: (check all that apply)

- Category 1 - Child Care Providers
- Category 2 - Community Representatives; Agency or business that advocates or provides funds for child care, but does not provide child care.
- Category 3 - Consumers; Parents who have received child care within the past 36 months.
- Category 4 - Public Agency Representatives; City, County or Local Education Agency
- Category 5 - Other; any of the above or At Large Representative

PREVIOUS COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE SERVED (Please specify)

<u>Advisory Body</u>	<u>Term</u>
<u>Social Service Division of the Catholic Conference of Illinois</u>	<u>14 years</u>
<u>Child Welfare Advisory Committee of Illinois Department of Children and Family Service</u>	<u>10 years</u>
<u>National Assoc. of Exec. for World SHARE (Springfield, Illinois)</u>	<u>9 years</u>
<u>St. John's Hospital Medical Moral Committee</u>	<u>1 year</u>
<u>Make-a-Wish Foundation of Central Illinois</u>	<u>2 years</u>

WORK / VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

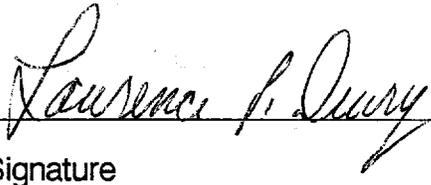
<u>Organization</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Year</u>
National Federation of Interfaith Vol. Caregivers,	Kansas City, Missouri	Exec. Director	1999-2000
Catholic Charities	Springfield, Ill.	Exec. Director	1984-1998
Catholic Social Service	Peoria, Ill.	Assist. Director	1978-1984
Ill. Dept. Child & Family	Carlinville, Ill	Caseworker/Supervisor	1971/78
Peoria Parents Anonymous	Peoria, Ill.	Sponsor	1981-1984

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

11-3-00

 Date

**Santa Cruz Child Care Planning Council
Statement of Qualifications**

Child welfare and childcare issues have long been at the forefront throughout my professional and personal life. As a proud parent of four adult children and over 30 years of child welfare experience, I relish the opportunity to be a part of the Santa Cruz Child Care Planning Council. I am eager to be involved in Santa Cruz County childcare issues, which match my professional and personal commitments. I believe that the Child Care Planning Council would provide me with that opportunity.

I bring an extensive child care background that began as a Day Care Home licensing worker and continued as a child welfare worker doing child abuse/neglect investigations. For the past 20 years I have served in executive positions with social service agencies involved in foster care, adoptions, child care centers and homes, residential care of behavioral disturbed adolescents, family and marital therapy, food pantries, second hand clothing stores, food distribution systems, unplanned pregnancy services, etc.

Educationally, I have a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology with my Illinois Teacher's Certificate and a Master's Degree in Counseling. I am currently the Executive Director of Growth and Opportunity, Inc. Our agency operates 9 Childcare centers, manages a network of some 200 Family Childcare Homes and serves over 1200 children and their families with subsidized or low cost childcare assistance. Services are provided in a four county area including Santa Cruz, Santa Clara, Monterey, and San Benito. In Santa Cruz County, we currently operate Lion Cubs Child Development Center, Las Lomas Child Development Center and the Migrant Head Start program in Watsonville.