



# County of Santa Cruz

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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AGENDA: 11/6/01

November 1, 2001

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

RE: APPOINTMENT TO WOMEN'S COMMISSION

Dear Members of the Board:

I recommend the appointment of the following person to the Women's Commission in accordance with County Code Chapter 2.80, Section 30, for a term to expire April 1, 2003:

April Exner  
164 Alta Avenue  
Santa Cruz, CA 95060  
423-4050 (H)  
465-3218 (B)

Sincerely,

MARDI WORMHOUDT, Supervisor  
Third District

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cc: April Exner  
Women's Commission

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Denise Holbert 3pp  
454-3262APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A COUNTY ADVISORY BODYINSTRUCTIONS :

If you are interested in serving on a 'County Advisory Body, please complete this application and return it to the Board of Supervisors, 701 Ocean Street, Room 500, Santa Cruz, CA 95060-4069. If you are interested in being considered for appointment to more than one advisory body, a separate application must 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, you will be contacted to discuss the appointment, the appointment process, and requirements for the advisory body in question.

Please specify 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: Women's CommissionName: APRIL EXNERAddress: 164 ALTA AVENUESANTA CRUZ, CA 95060Phone: (Home) 831-423-4050(Business) 831-465-3218Supervisory District: 3rd (Mardi Wormhoudt)Length of Residence in Area: 9 YEARSAge (Optional): ☐ Under 21 ☐ 21-30 ☒ 31-40 ☐ Over 40PREVIOUS COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE SERVICE (Please specify):Advisory BodyTerm


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EDUCATION:

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Major</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Year</u>
UC Santa Barbara	BIOLOGY	BA	1992

WORK/VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Year</u>
Cal PIRG - UC Santa Barbara		CANVASSER	1983
Green Party - Santa Barbara	@ Westside Comm. Ctr. 423 W. Victoria, SB	Member/Activist	1989-1990
UCSB Campus Greens - UC Santa Barbara		FOUNDER/CHAIR	1990-1991
CAMPAIGN TO ELECT MINDY LORENZ			

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 appointment.

CERTIFICATION

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

  
Signature

11/1/01  
Date

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## Statement of Qualifications/Santa Cruz County Women's Commission

November 1, 2001

To Whom ~~it~~ may concern;

I would ~~like~~ to be considered for an appointment to the Women's Commission for the following reasons; I am interested in furthering the growth and support of the rights of women in the United States and around the globe; I see a need for ongoing education of the entire populace regarding the state of women's rights worldwide; My eyes have been opened to the atrocities committed against the women of Afghanistan by the militant Islamic group the Taliban, and I am truly saddened and offended by their actions on many levels.

Our own country is not immune to minimizing the rights and privileges of women, we just do it on a more "socially acceptable" level, in the workplace and beyond. I feel it is necessary to equip an advisory body with passionate people who embody the spirit of the democratic process. I feel that I am qualified to serve on this commission because of my strong belief that it is every person's responsibility to educate and promote equality, and that actions do indeed speak more loudly than words.

On a personal level I have a very keen interest in reproductive rights and domestic violence agendas, as well as global efforts to end the oppression of women (such as RAWA). I have always voted my conscience and tried to live a compassionate and noble life, but like most, I need the strength of others to stay the course. I believe that we all learn by doing, and by interacting with others and forging coalitions for change.

Thank you for your consideration.



April Exner

831-423-4050

e-mail: Aprilx@baymoon.com

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