## **PROVISIONAL REPORT**

## January - March 2013

Department	Classification	Reason for Filling Position	Type of Appointment	Recruitment Status
Public Works (Parks)	Parks Maintenance Worker I	To ensure required safety and maintenance needs are met at the Simpkins Swim Center while incumbent is out on medical leave.	Provisional Substitute	Incumbent may return to position in August therefore recruitment is not being conducted at this time. Public Works to reevaluate need for recruitment at a later date.
Personnel	Clerk II	To ensure a smooth transition of services provided at the 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor Offices to the public.	Provisional	Recruitment completed and department has completed the interview and selection process.

## **Number of Provisional Appointments**

Type of Appointment	January – March 2012	January – March 2013
Provisional	2	1
Provisional Promotion	0	0
Provisional Substitute	0	1
Provisional Substitute Promotion	0	0
Provisional Demotion	0	0
Provisional to Probationary	1	0

Civil Service Rule 130.VI.G: When there are less than five (5) qualified eligibles on any appropriate employment list, the Personnel Director may authorize the provisional appointment of any individual meeting the established standards for the position pending the establishment of an eligible list, but in any event, no such provisional appointment shall continue for longer than the following: a. For department heads -180 days; b. For other positions -90 days.

## **PROVISIONAL REPORT**

## April - June 2013

Department	Classification	Reason for Filling Position	Type of Appointment	Recruitment Status
County Counsel	Legal Secretary II	To ensure that timelines for production and processing of legal documents are met.	Provisional	Needs assessment meeting to be scheduled in July.
Health Services Agency	Senior Health Services Manager	To ensure continued coverage of duties while incumbent is out on a medical leave.	Provisional Substitute Promotion	Recruitment pending review of incumbents expected date of return.
Personnel	Assistant Personnel Analyst	Imminent need to fill position in order to meet the workload timelines in the Worker's Compensation and Leaves Unit while incumbent served as back-up for an employee on leave in the Classification Unit where it was critical to meet timelines related to budget reconciliation.	Provisional Substitute Promotion	Recruitment pending further review of staffing within department.
Public Works	Solid Waste Inspector I	To ensure required safety and maintenance needs are met at the Hazardous Household Waste facilities.	Provisional	Recruitment to follow after other key positions within Public Works are filled.
Treasurer / Tax Collector	Senior Account Clerk	Imminent need to fill position in order to move assignments forward during time period where the office was experiencing limited staffing due to leaves and other vacant positions.	Provisional Substitute	Incumbent returned to position therefore provisional appointment ended and recruitment no longer needed.

## **Number of Provisional Appointments**

Type of Appointment	April - June 2012	April - June 2013
Provisional	1	2
Provisional Promotion	0	0
Provisional Substitute	0	1
Provisional Substitute Promotion	1	2
Provisional Demotion	0	0
Provisional to Probationary	0	1

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SUMMARY FOR DELEGATED CLASSIFICATIONS - March-June 2013*					
Department	Action	Proposed or Currently Established Class	Class After Personnel Study		
Personnel	Re-classify filled position	Personnel Technician	Program Coordinator		
Public Works / Parks	Update Job Specification	Aquatics Supervisor	Aquatics Supervisor		
Public Works / Parks	Update Job Specification	Aquatics Coordinator	Aquatics Coordinator		
Public Works / Parks	Update Job Specification	Aquatics Program Specialist	Aquatics Program Specialist		
Public Works / Parks	Update Job Specification	Lifeguard	Lifeguard		
Human Svcs	Classify 5.0 FTE new positions (approved by BOS on 4/9/13).	Eligibility Worker I	Eligibility Worker I		
Human Svcs	Classify 8.0 FTE new positions (approved by BOS on 4/9/13).	Eligibility Worker II/I	Eligibility Worker II/I		
Human Svcs	Classify 8.0 FTE new positions (approved by BOS on 4/9/13).	Eligibility Worker III	Eligibility Worker III		
Human Svcs	Classify 1.0 FTE new position (approved by BOS on 4/9/13).	Staff Development Trainer	Staff Development Trainer		
Human Svcs	Classify 3.0 FTE new positions (approved by BOS on 4/9/13).	Typist Clerk III	Typist Clerk III		
Child Support Svcs	Reclassify filled position	Asst Departmental Admin Analyst	Administrative Services Officer I		
Health Svcs	Add .10 FTE to vacant position	Health Educator	Health Educator		
Public Works	Add Alternate staffing to Senior level	Dept'l Administrative Analyst	Sr. Dept'l Administrative Analyst Dept'l Administrative Analyst		

<sup>\*</sup>May 16, 2013 Civil Service Commission meeting was cancelled, so this report includes March and April delegated classifications that would have been reported at that meeting.



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March 29, 2013

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

RE:

APPOINTMENT TO CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Dear Members of the Board:

I recommend the appointment of Robert J. Pursley Jr. to the Civil Service Commission, in accordance with County Code Section 2.46.050, for a term to expire December 31, 2015.

Sincerely

ZACH PRIEND, Supervisor Second District

ZF:ted

cc: Robert J. Pursley Jr.
Civil Service Commission

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## Terry Dorsey



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Application for Appointment to a County Advisory Body

#### APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A COUNTY ADVISORY BODY

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

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. 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. Please note: This application is a public document and will be disclosed upon request. In addition, copies of applications of those selected for appointment will be included in the Board's printed agenda packet.

Upon r eceipt, your application 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. Please note that some Commissions, Committees and Boards have specific categories of representation. For information on current vacancies and categories of representation, please visit the County's website at <a href="https://www.co.santa-cruz.ca.us">www.co.santa-cruz.ca.us</a> or call the Clerk of the Board's office at 454-2323.

Thank you for your in terest in County Government.

Commission, Committee, or Board:

civil service commission

If applicable, please indicate the category of representation for which you are seeking appointment (see above).

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Length of Residence in Area:

33 years

Age (optional):

Over 40

Previous Commission or Committee Service (Please Specify):

Advisory Body:

Term:

**Education:** 

Institution:

Major:

Degree:

Year:

archbishop hoban high

h.s. diploma

1975

gavilan college

police academy

post certificate

1981

Work/Volunteer Experience:

Organization:

Address:

Position:

Years:

Santa Cruz County Sherif's Office

701 Ocean Street rm 340, santa cruz ca 95060

Deputy Sheriff

33

Lieutenant yrs

Statement of Qualifications:

I have worked for the Santa Cruz County Sheriff's Office for close to 33 years. In that time I have worked as a Patrol Deputy, Sergeant and finally Lieutenant. I have supervised, evaluated, mentored and disciplined employees for the majority of my career. I have reviewed employee discipline by Sergeants and overseen correction of this discipline as well as conditing internal affairs investigations into citizens complaints. I believe in fair and equitable treament of all employees.

Date Certified:

03/28/2013



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April 5, 2013

Santa Cruz County Civil Service Commission c/o County of Santa Cruz Personnel Department 701 Ocean Street, Room 310 Santa Cruz, CA 95060

**Dear Commissioners:** 

SEIU has appeared before the Civil Service Commission (CSC) on several occasions over the past year on the matter of Arthur Mier's performance evaluation, with the topic having been discussed most recently at your Commission's regular meeting on March 21, 2013

At the conclusion of your Commission's discussion on the item concerning Arthur Mier at your March meeting, CSC attorney Thornton Krontz agreed with the Union's contention that your Commission does indeed have jurisdiction to hear a case concerning the process of an employee performance evaluation. We are encouraged by your admission of a point the Union first presented to you in Mr. Mier's appeal to the Commission dated January 4, 2012.

Once the matter of jurisdiction was settled, your attorney raised another issue, that of timeliness of the original appeal, which had not been considered during the protracted series of meetings and discussion focused on the question of jurisdiction. The question of the timeliness of Mr. Mier's January 4, 2012, appeal, was first raised in CSC staff Laurie Hill's response to that appeal, dated January 12, 2012, as grounds for not hearing Mr. Mier's case.

We would like to point out that the decision to deny a hearing based on timeliness was made by Commission staff under the direction of the Personnel Director. Civil Service rules provide in County Personnel Regulations Section 130. Civil Service Rules, Section I.D.1. Scope of Appeal, that a decision of the Personnel Director is subject to appeal to the Civil Service Commission.

On January 19, 2012, SEIU submitted a second appeal to the CSC in the case of Arthur Mier which challenged the reasons for denial, and in particular the question of timeliness. The existence of mitigating circumstances were suggested, and a CSC hearing was called for in order to enable Mr. Mier and his Union to present the facts of the case.

The question of timeliness has remained dormant for the past year as discussion had focused on the question of jurisdiction. Now that the jurisdictional question has been settled in favor of Mr. Mier, the Union continues to challenge the Personnel Department on the timeliness of the original appeal.

There is no question of the timeliness of the second appeal, which was presented within the 7 calendar days allowed for a CSC appeal after receipt of the Personnel Department's denial letter. It is therefore the legal duty of the CSC to schedule a hearing on the issue of the timeliness of Arthur Mier's January 4, 2012, appeal of the process of his performance evaluation.

We await your setting of a date for this hearing.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Smedberg, SEIU Shop Steward