#### Application for Appointment to Board, Commission, Committee, Task Force or Position

Applicants appointed by the Board of Supervisors will be required to take an oath of office. All applications will be kept on file for one year from the date of application.

#### **Public Records Act**

Applications are public records that are subject to disclosure under the California Public Records Act. Information provided by the applicant is not regarded as confidential except for the addresses and phone numbers of references and the applicant's personal information including home and work addresses, phone numbers and email address.

#### Form 700 Conflict of Interest Code

#### California Fair Political Practices Website

Please note that appointees may be required by state law and county conflict of interest code to file financial disclosure statements.

#### Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Napa County Airport Advisory Commission: Submitted

Category of Membership for Which You Are Applying

General Public, Chamber of Commerce, or Pilot Group

Richard		Rybicki		
First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name		
Email Address				
Home Address			Suite or Apt	
Home Address			Suite or Apt	

#### District 2

Profile

To find your supervisorial district go to <u>https://www.countyofnapa.org/2051/Find-my-supervisor-and-district</u> and enter your address.

Primary Phone

# Richard Rybicki

Rybicki & Associates, P.C.

Labor & Employment Attorney

Attorney Occupation

#### Education/Experience

University of California, Los Angeles (B.A., Philosophy) University of Cambridge (Adv.Dip. (Phil.), P.G.Cert. (Cand.)) Cornell University, Cornell Law School (J.D.)

Name and occupation of spouse within the last 12 months, if married. (For conflict of Interest purposes)

#### Resume

Upload a Resume

Letter of Recommendation or Supplemental Attachments

Professional or occupational license, date of issue, and expiration including status

Attorney (12/92 - 01/23)

References: Provide names and phone numbers of 3 individuals who are familiar with your background.

Mary Luros Mathew Eisenberg Amanda Bevins
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#### **Community Participation**

Please explain your reasons for wishing to serve and, in your opinion, how you feel you could contribute.

I am a local pilot (Vintage Flyers, LLC) and active in the community, working with the Napa Chamber and various committees and groups over the past two decades. I also moved my firm office to the airport area. I would like to contribute to the planning and operational support of airport activities, including maintaining its relationship with the surrounding community and balancing its service to General Aviation. I believe that my prior work in the community, in committee areas from the prior hospitality management advisory group to the recent COVID business development group, give me perspective on the community and the interests served by (or contrary to) the airport.

Nature of activity and community location

Napa Valley Hospitality & Tourism Advisory Board (Napa - NVC) Napa Valley College (Hospitality Management Program) Napa Chamber of Commerce (Board, Executive Committee) Napa Bar Association (prior section Chair, Board liason) Napa Court Alternative Dispute Resolution Development Committee Superior Court of California, County of Napa (ADR panelist, judicial officer pro tem)

Other County Board/Commission/Committee on Which You Serve/Have Served

None

Public Actions that may impact Credit Rating (List all court or other public administration actions impacting your credit rating within the past ten (10) years)

None

#### **Electronic Signature Agreement**

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

⊙ Yes ⊂ No

Please Agree with the Following Statement

By checking the "I agree" box below, you agree and acknowledge that 1) your application will not be signed in the sense of a traditional paper document, 2) by signing in this alternate manner, you authorize your electronic signature to be valid and binding upon you to the same force and effect as a handwritten signature, and 3) you may still be required to provide a traditional signature at a later date.

I Agree

Electronic Signature (First M. Last)

Richard C Rybicki

Date

4/10/22

# **Richard Rybicki**

Labor & Employment Attorney



# **Professional Experience**

<b>Rybicki &amp; Associates, P.C. / Rybicki &amp; Blevans, LLP</b> Attorney (Shareholder), Napa – Sonoma, CA Labor and employment law advice; trial, appellate and administrative litigation; labor-management relations; policy advocacy.	2002 - present
<b>Employment Dispute Resolution</b> ("EffectiveADR") Mediator, Napa – Sonoma, CA Mediation and Alternative Dispute Resolution services in civil and administrative litigation.	2008 - present
<b>Littler Mendelson P.C.</b> Attorney (Associate, Shareholder), Sonoma – San Francisco, CA Labor and employment law, labor relations.	1997 - 2002
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Attorney (Associate), Los Angeles, CA Labor and employment law, labor relations.	1994 - 1996
Education	
<b>University of Cambridge, Advanced Diploma in Philosophy</b> Dissertation Title: The Relationship Between Language and Law PGCert pending (2023)	2012 - 2022
<b>Cornell University (Cornell Law School), Juris Doctor</b> Concentration in Advocacy	1989 - 1992
University of California, Los Angeles, B.A., Philosophy Concentration in Philosophy of Science	1985 - 1989
<b>University of St. Andrews, Independent Study, Philosophy</b> (Credit awarded via U.C.L.A.)	1987
Permanent Admissions	

State Bar of California, United States District Courts (C.D. Cal., E.D. Cal., N.D. Cal., S.D. Cal., D. Ariz., D. Hawaii), United States Circuit Courts of Appeal (First, Fifth, Ninth, District of Columbia), United States Supreme Court

# **Professional Training and Certification**

Los Angeles County Bar Association, Dispute Resolution Services, Mediator Certification Training

National Institute for Trial Advocacy, Advanced Trial Advocacy

### **Representative Professional Activities**

Sonoma County Bar Association, 2022 Board Representative, Steering Committee; Past Chair (Labor & Employment Section)

Napa County Bar Association, Past Director, Past Chair (Employment Law Section)

Superior Court of California, Mediator – ADR Panelist (Counties of Napa, Solano, Sacramento)

**Bloomberg Law, ABA Section of Labor and Employment Law,** Contributing Editor, <u>The Developing Labor Law</u> (volume editions and supplements, 1994 – 2022)

**California Lawyers Association,** Litigation and Labor & Employment Law sections Participant, Representative at the 2019 Week in Legal London

American Bar Association, Litigation, Labor & Employment Law, Dispute Resolution sections Committee Member, Development of the Law Under the NLRB Prior Member, Publications Committee and Mediation Subcommittee

# **Representative Community Activities**

Napa Chamber of Commerce, 2022 Executive Committee; 2022 Board of Directors; Countywide Business Advisory Group (COVID Period)

**Civil Air Patrol, USAF Auxiliary,** Legal Officer, NORCAL Group 5, California Wing (CAWG); Capt – Redwood Empire Composite Squadron 157

Napa County Superior Court, Alternative Dispute Resolution Development Committee

Napa Valley College, Adjunct Faculty (Hospitality Law); Visiting Lecturer (Hospitality and Law); Hospitality & Tourism Management Board

Sonoma State University, Instructor and Visiting Lecturer, School of Business and Economics, Wine Business and Hospitality Management Programs

Culinary Institute of America, Adjunct Faculty (Management and Law)