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County Executive Officer

December 14, 2021

Neil J. D'Silva



Re: Napa County Mental Health Board

Dear Neil:

You have been a valued member of the Napa County Mental Health Board representing **Interested and Concerned Citizen**. The term of your position expires on January 1, 2022. If you wish to request reappointment for a 3-year term, please check the following box:

☒ Yes, I would like my name, this letter and application forwarded to the Board of Supervisors for possible reappointment to the Napa County Mental Health Board for the term commencing immediately and expiring January 1, 2025.

If you have chosen to request reappointment, please check one of the two boxes below regarding your last application:

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☒ I confirm that all the information on my last application is current.

☐ Some of the information on my last application is no longer current or is five (5) years old or older. I will submit a new or revised application.

(To complete a new application form either contact the Napa County Executive Office or go to the following link to complete your application online:

<http://ca-napacounty.civicplus.com/1420/Committees-Commissions>

After checking the appropriate box, sign and date on the lines below and return this letter to the County Executive Office by mail, email, or fax.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Neil J. D'Silva".
SIGNATURE

12/29/2021
DATE

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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 Mental Health Board: Submitted

Category of Membership for Which You Are Applying

Interested and Concerned Citizen

Profile

Ne

First Name

J.

Middle Initial

D'silva

Last Name

neilsilva@gmail.com

Email Address

Home Address

State or Zip

City

CA

State

Postal Code

Which supervisorial district do you reside in? *

☒ District 5

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

Primary Phone

Education/Experience

B.S. in Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, minor in Global Health, UCLA 2018 former licensed CAEMT-B Returned Peace Corps Volunteer (China 2018 - 2020)

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

N/A

Resume

Upload a Resume

Letter of Recommendation or Supplemental
Achievements

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

N/A

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

Luis Vadez (former Peace Corps China Director of Training) / [REDACTED] /
[REDACTED] Dr. Elizabeth Gong-Guy (former UCLA Office of Campus and Student
Residence Director) / [REDACTED] / [REDACTED] Nazaret Nunez (former UCLA
Community Service Commission Chief of Staff) / [REDACTED] / [REDACTED]

Community Participation

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

My reasons for continuing in this role are similar to my reasons for joining with a few additions. With my foundational knowledge in mental health, my experience in peer support roles, and my background in program oversight and public health, I think I can be a useful member of the Board while also adding the perspective of living in Napa as a young person of color.

Nature of activity and community location

I was heavily involved in community work both at UCLA and in China where I served as a Peace Corps Volunteer. I hope to continue that involvement now while I am back at home and working in the Bay Area. These roles have involved positions primarily related to project management and administration and now include an oversight component for early childhood and family services programs.

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

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)

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)

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Date

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