For Immediate Release - Notice of Vacancy

Public Authority Advisory Committee

President of the Board of Supervisors Dave Pine announced that applications are being accepted for appointment to the Public Authority Advisory Committee. There are currently two (2) vacancies representing: Member-At-Large. To be eligible, applicant must be a resident of the County of San Mateo who is either a recipient or a provider of in-Home support services. The ideal candidate will possess several of the following attributes:

- A current or former recipient of personal assistance services
- An interest in helping the elderly and persons with disabilities to maintain their independence
- An awareness and knowledge of the In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) program and the Public Authority for IHSS
- Informed on issues important to IHSS consumers and providers

The Public Authority Advisory Committee was established to meet and confer with the Public Authority about those aspects of the IHSS Program that relate to home care providers. The Advisory Committee will focus primarily on issues relating to IHSS provider training and the maintenance of the IHSS Provider Registry.

The Public Authority Advisory Committee meets on the 1st Thursday of every other month at 10:00 AM at the San Mateo Health System, 225 37th Avenue, Room 137, San Mateo. Applications will be received on an ongoing basis and can be submitted online at the County website. Applications can also be obtained from Sherry Golestan, Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors by email at sgolestan@smcgov.org, or by mail at 400 County Center, Redwood City, (650) 363-4609.

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