

**TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO
STAFF REPORT
April 2, 2008**

For the Meeting of April 8, 2008

TO: Town Council
FROM: Debra Stutsman, Town Manager
SUBJECT: Appointments to the Measure G Monitoring Committee

RECOMMENDATION

That Council appoint two members to the Measure G Monitoring Committee.

DISCUSSION

The Measure G Monitoring Committee has a membership of two Councilmembers and six members of the public. The Board has three vacancies, two (2) vacancies expiring February 2012 and one (1) vacancy expiring February 2010. Scott Couture, incumbent, has applied for the Committee. In addition, Carey Lando was scheduled to be interviewed for a position on the Measure G Monitoring Committee prior to this evening's meeting. Their applications are attached.

The status report of current openings on Town Boards/Commissions/Committees is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



Debra Stutsman, Town Manager

Attachments:



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525 San Anselmo Avenue, San Anselmo, CA 94960

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A SAN ANSELMO BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE

To: San Anselmo Town Council

Date: 3/8/08

I wish to apply for an appointment to a term/balance of term on the

Measure G Committee Incumbent New member

Name: Scott Couture Home Address: 15 Allyn Avenue, San Anselmo, CA 94960

Occupation: Architect and Contractor Employer's Address: 237 Crescent Road, Suite 5

Home Phone: 482-0256 Work Phone: 482-0224 Fax: 259-5485 E-Mail: carchitecture@comcast.net

Number of years a resident of San Anselmo: 9 In Marin: 11

Education Level achieved:
 Graduate Degree (Major: _____)
 College or University Degree (Major: Architecture)
 Some College
 High School Diploma
 Other (Explain: _____)

Names and phone numbers of San Anselmo residents who can be contacted for referral information about me:

1. Ben Rogne 258-8125
2. Micha Berman 846-3389
3. Connie Rodgers 454-2510

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> I would be able to regularly attend the meetings of this Board/Commission/Committee.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> I would be available to attend additional meetings when they are necessary.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> I am familiar with the responsibilities and functions of this Board/Commission/Committee.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> I have attended meetings of this Board/Commission/Committee as a member of the public.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

List briefly, previous experience serving in public office, and/or on civic commissions, boards, or committees:

- served on the Town of San Anselmo Planning Commission for the Town of San Anselmo
- served a previous term on the Measure G Committee
- served on Town of San Anselmo Sign Committee
- spearheaded a group during the San Anselmo Downtown Vision Workshop

Reasons for seeking this appointment:

- enjoy community service and providing goodwill to my community
- first hand knowledge of construction codes for the Town of San Anselmo
- deep understanding of procedures in the Town of San Anselmo

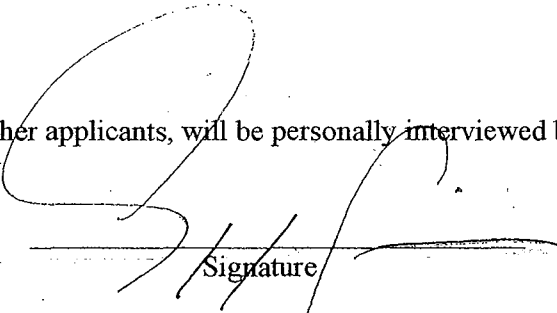
What are your qualifications for this appointment:

- I have recently served a term on the Measure G Committee and am therefore current on all its issues. I would like to request a position for an additional term as I think I can be of further assistance regarding the Bond and its potential enhancement for Town

Briefly, what do you consider to be the most important, one or two current issues facing this Board/Commission/Committee?

- My greatest concern facing the Measure G Committee currently is in maintaining the streets as an integral part of the hillside drainage system.

I understand that I, and all other applicants, will be personally interviewed by the Town Council as part of the selection process for this appointment.



Signature

3/8/08

Date

Other Boards, Commissions, Committees on which you would be interested in serving if not appointed to this seat?

n/a

Do you wish to be considered again if you are not selected for this appointment?

n/a

(You may attach personal resumes or other information which you believe would be helpful to the Council in its selection process.)

Thank you for your interest in serving the Town of San Anselmo and its citizens.

For further information please contact Joan Vermont, Administrative Services Assistant I, 258-4691



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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A SAN ANSELMO BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE

To: San Anselmo Town Council

Date: 1-28-08

I wish to apply for an appointment to a term/balance of term on the

Measure G Monitoring Committee Incumbent New member

Name: Carey Lando Home Address: 17 Morningside Dr

Occupation: Transportation Planner Employer's Address: 70 San Pablo / MC Civic Center

Home Phone: 455-0132 Work Phone: 491-5078 Fax: 226-0875 E-Mail: Careylando@gmail.com

Number of years a resident of San Anselmo: 10 years In Marin: 18 years

Education Level achieved:

- Graduate Degree (Major: _____)
- College or University Degree (Major: Environmental Studies & Urban Planning)
- Some College
- High School Diploma
- Other (Explain: _____)

Names and phone numbers of San Anselmo residents who can be contacted for referral information about me:

1. Peter Breen 453-1761
2. Shannon Taaffe 482-9662
3. _____

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> I would be able to regularly attend the meetings of this Board/Commission/Committee.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> I would be available to attend additional meetings when they are necessary.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Although I've not served on a public commissioner in office, I have over 11 years serving as staff to commissions, boards and committees ranging from Board of Supervisors, Planning Commissions, Design Review Board, numerous advisory committees of both public stakeholders and elected officials. I serve on regional transportation committees as staff representing Marin County

Reasons for seeking this appointment:

I am interested in giving back to my community by serving on a transportation committee to ensure proper and constructive guidance to our hardworking town staff.

What are your qualifications for this appointment:

I have over 6 years of experience as a transportation planner working collaboratively with local jurisdictions to identify funding for critical capital and planning projects.

Briefly, what do you consider to be the most important, one or two current issues facing this Board/Commission/Committee?

- 1) Utilizing limited resources to accomplish the greatest benefit to the community
- 2) Addressing flood issues to protect our town's livelihood
- 3) Safe Routes to schools for our community's children

I understand that I, and all other applicants, will be personally interviewed by the Town Council as part of the selection process for this appointment.

Joe Guido
Signature

1-28-08
Date

Other Boards, Commissions, Committees on which you would be interested in serving if not appointed to this seat?

Planning Commission

Do you wish to be considered again if you are not selected for this appointment? YES

(You may attach personal resumes or other information which you believe would be helpful to the Council in its selection process.)

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CAREY A. T. LANDO

17 Morningside Drive • San Anselmo, CA 94960
(415) 455-0132 careylando@gmail.com

Motivated to succeed as a leader in a professional planning agency.

EXPERIENCE

Twelve years of increasingly responsible experience in private, non-profit, and public agencies.

Senior Transportation Planner: 2001-Present. *Transportation Authority of Marin (TAM) - County of Marin Department of Public Works. San Rafael, CA*

- Project Manager for TAM's Transportation Planning Land Use Solutions Program (TPLUS) and the multi-million dollar Local TLC/HIP grant program while coordinating a consultant team of four specialty firms. Represents Marin County on regional transportation planning committees and conducts outreach and coordination with 12 local jurisdictions on local and regional grant opportunities; staffs and coordinates the TPLUS Advisory Committee; develops and administers the local TLC/HIP grant program for capital improvement projects supporting transit, walking and biking.
- Project Manager for the research and development of the Transit Oriented Development and Pedestrian Design Toolkit designed to provide locally-relevant solutions to encourage and support pedestrian and bike friendly development on private land and public right-of-ways while coordinating a consultant team of four specialty firms. Conducted individual meetings with local agency decision makers and department heads to determine barriers and challenges to implementing projects and conducted individualized parking policy inventory and workshops.
- Project Manager for the Canal Neighborhood Community Based Transportation Plan produced with intense community input and outreach and with close coordination with the City of San Rafael. Lead a collaborative team of six staff from the local agency, consultant team and a community based organization. Completion of the Plan in September 2006 lead to funding and implementation of several projects identified as priorities by the community members.
- Project Manager for a coordinated update to 10 local agency bike and pedestrian plans with a consultant staff of three. Key enhancements to the plans include: updated mapping; inclusion of Non-Motorized Transportation Pilot Program projects funded by a \$25 Million Federal grant; Safe Routes to Schools capital projects funded by local, State and Federal grants; and coordination of local bicycle and pedestrian advisory groups for each agency.
- Key member of the Marin County Congestion Management Agency's (CMA, now TAM) Transportation Sales Tax Team that produced Marin's first long range transportation vision (*Moving Forward – A 25-Year Transportation Vision for Marin County*) and the development of a comprehensive transportation sales tax Expenditure Plan to finance projects outlined in the countywide vision. The Expenditure Plan development included intense outreach and consensus building with Marin's elected officials, five sub-regional appointed Citizen Advisory Committees and many advocacy groups. These efforts lead to the successful passage of Measure A, a half-cent transportation sales tax funding local bus transit, local infrastructure, Highway 101 HOV Gap Closure shortfalls, and School Access programs and projects. Current Measure A responsibilities include program administration and oversight of the award-winning Safe Routes to Schools Program and the Safe Pathways grant program designed to implement capital projects to increase safety around schools.
- Program Manager for the comprehensive Marin County Employee Commute Alternatives Program (ECAP) to encourage and support alternative modes of transportation for employee commuting. This Program was awarded a Clean Air Award for Outstanding Commute Program by the American Lung Association in 2003 and listed as an EPA Best Workplaces for Commuters employer for 4 years in a row.
- Web designer and web master for TAM's first public website; advised and directed development of updated website; manages content for public information and outreach; implements webcasting of TAM Board meetings.

- Assist in the management, organization, design and integration of County transportation plans with outside agencies and communities requiring a high level of public contact. Also provide and refine land use data and/or projections for traffic and general transportation studies.

Planner, 1999-2001. (*Junior Planner, 1997- 1999*) *Marin County Community Development Agency. San Rafael, CA.*

- Processed and evaluated complex projects involving public controversy; analyzed and interpreted projects utilizing CEQA; interpreted and applied countywide plan, zoning, subdivision and plan document policy information; employed successful conflict resolution skills to incorporate appropriate changes to projects in response to public concerns; coordinated and interacted with public agencies; worked diligently to quickly and efficiently process applications; presented to planning-related boards, commissions, and community groups; effectively utilized computers to produce, compile, and analyze planning-related data; provided Marin Countywide Plan, zoning, subdivision, and plan document policy information to the public.

Planning Intern (paid). *Feb-Dec. 1997. City of San Rafael Planning Division. San Rafael, CA.*

- Processed entry-level use permits, business licenses, and design review permits; prepared staff reports; presented projects in a public hearing forum; researched and applied general plan, zoning and parcel information; interfaced with public and other agency staff.

Student Planner. *1996- 1997. Department of Environmental Studies & Urban Planning. Sonoma State University. Rohnert Park, CA.*

- Conducted public opinion, traffic, and land use surveys; researched and authored area background information; prepared goals, objectives, policies, and implementation measures; presented information to the public.

Research Associate. *1995-1997. Institute for Community Planning Assistance. Rohnert Park, CA.*

- Conducted community planning surveys; wrote environmental baseline studies; collected habitat, species, and geologic data; researched parcel, zoning and easement information for properties; interfaced with the public; produced document maps; trained and supervised assistants.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, 1997. Urban Planning and Environmental Studies. *Sonoma State University, Rohnert Park, CA.*

Academic concentrations in both Urban Planning and Natural Resources Restoration and Conservation.

SKILLS and ATTRIBUTES

- Maintains established positive working relationships with local and regional staff and elected officials.
- First-hand knowledge of the Bay Area's unique political climate surrounding transportation and local issues.
- Takes initiative to resolve issues utilizing appropriate conflict resolution skills.
- Ability to effectively manage large project loads and high volumes of work.
- Effectively handles time sensitive and other special projects.
- Excels in a team environment while also motivating others to succeed

PERSONAL INTERESTS

- Fly fishing on small creeks and camping with my family
- Commute alternatives, green building, greenhouse gas emission reductions, carbon offsets
- Volunteering at my child's preschool and supporting healthy early childhood development
- Traveling abroad to learn about family history, design, different ways of life, and immersing our children in other cultures
- Roasting coffee beans for home use in our espresso machine
- Cooking for friends and family
- Genealogy

**TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO
BOARDS/COMMITTEES/COMMISSIONS
STATUS REPORT
As of 04/01/08**

Board, Committee, Commission <i>(total seats)</i>	Seats Vacant	Applicants	Date Interviewed
Arts Commission <i>9 seats</i> <i>Doug Long</i>	3		
Board of Review <i>5 seats</i>			
Historical Commission <i>15 seats</i> <i>Sara Loyster</i>	2	Joan Vermond**	
Library Advisory Board <i>6 seats</i> <i>Sara Loyster</i>	1		
Marin Commission On Aging <i>1 seat</i>			
Marin County Hazardous & Solid Waste Authority <i>1 seat</i>			
Measure G Monitoring Committee <i>6 seats</i> <i>Rabi Elias</i>	2	Carey Lando ** Scott Couture*	
Mosquito Abatement District <i>1 seats</i>			
Open Space Comm <i>11 seats</i>			
Parks & Recreation Commission <i>7 seats</i> <i>Douglass Long</i>			
Planning Commission <i>7 seats</i> <i>Lisa Wight</i>	1	Thomas Levine William Marcus Michael Brown ** Kevin Donahue **	1/8/08 1/8/08
Quality of Life <i>7 seats</i> <i>Debbie Stutsman</i>			
Ross Valley Paramedic Authority <i>1 seat</i> <i>Roger Meagor</i>			
Tax equity Board <i>3 seats</i>			
Volunteer Advisory Board <i>7 seats</i>			

* Incumbent
** Waiting for interview