



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
Board of Supervisors



Date: May 4, 2012
Board Meeting Date: May 22, 2012
Special Notice / Hearing: None
Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Dave Pine

Subject: Appointments to the Fatherhood Collaborative Advisory Board

RECOMMENDATION:

Appoint to the Fatherhood Collaborative Advisory Board Stephen Tabler, Eric Forgaard, Jean Francois Barthe and Edwin Chan as Community Members, and appoint Illiana Rodriguez from the Department of Child Support Services and Neal Taniguchi from the Superior Court as San Mateo County Department Representatives, each for a term expiring May 31, 2014.

BACKGROUND:

The Fatherhood Collaborative advises the Human Services Agency and the Board of Supervisors on matters addressing the importance of men and fathers taking an active role in the well-being of children and families, and organizes countywide events promoting and supporting the importance of fatherhood. Membership is comprised of San Mateo County Department representatives, Community Based Organization representatives and Community Members.

DISCUSSION:

Stephen Tabler is Vice President of Marketing for the San Mateo Credit Union. In addition to his extensive experience as a marketing executive, Mr. Tabler is a former Marketing Director for the Shreveport Symphony Orchestra, and has experience facilitating fundraising efforts, coordinating special events and supervising volunteers for various organizations.

Eric Forgaard is the Director of Administrative Services at JobTrain, Inc. Among his many duties, Mr. Forgaard serves as Volunteer Coordinator, Website Manager, handles human resource needs for a 50 person non-profit vocational training school, logistics for fundraising events and special projects, and oversees the Information Technology and Facilities departments.

Jean-Francois Barthe is a Systems Engineer with the County of San Mateo and has 15 years of experience in the Information Technology field. Having recently assisted the Fatherhood Collaborative with technology and internet work, his knowledge and experience will be a valuable asset to the Fatherhood Collaborative in improving its web presence and community outreach.

Edwin Chan is an Executive Analyst with the Human Services Agency of San Mateo County. He has 13 years of experience in the public service sector, with a wide variety of experience in legislative and government work. Edwin previously served as a Legislative Aide to the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors, during which he regularly attended Fatherhood Collaborative meetings on behalf of the Board of Supervisors liaison.

Serving as a Department Representative, Illiana Rodriguez is the Director of the San Mateo County Department of Child Support Services.

Serving as a Department Representative, Neal Taniguchi is the Director of Finance for the San Mateo County Superior Court.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.