



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
Board of Supervisors



Date: September 14, 2015
Board Meeting Date: September 22, 2015
Special Notice / Hearing: None
Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Dave Pine
Subject: Appointment to the Arts Commission

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation for the appointment of Sam Scott to the Arts Commission representing District 1 for a term ending September 30, 2019.

BACKGROUND:

The Arts Commission was formed to promote and encourage the arts in San Mateo County; to serve in an advisory capacity to the Board of Supervisors; to provide a community, needs-driven Strategic Plan for the Arts in the county; to utilize a standard of operation by adhering to an accepted Policy Statement regarding arts and culture; and, to act as a liaison with art organizations to ensure collaboration and coordination related to cultural and art activities in San Mateo County.

DISCUSSION:

Sam Scott is a member of the Museum Foresight Committee of the California Association of Museums and, since relocating to Burlingame in 2014, has been building his awareness and professional network among local museum and cultural organizations, especially on the Peninsula.

This appointment contributes to the 2025 Shared Vision statement of a Collaborative Community. Our diverse population works well together to build strong communities, effective government and a prosperous economy, civic engagement – including voting, public service, charitable giving, volunteerism, and participation in public discussions of important issues – is uniformly high among the diverse population of San Mateo County.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.