

July 2, 2013

Mayors' & Councilmembers Association of Sonoma County  
Board of Directors

**Re: Appointment by the Mayors' and Councilmembers' Association of Sonoma County**

Dear Mayors,

At the October 10<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Board of Directors of the Sonoma County Mayors' and Councilmembers' Association one of the business items will be to consider two appointments to the following Committee:

- **North Bay Division, LOCC, Executive Board** (2 regular member positions each with a 2 year term ending October 2015): To fill the expiring term of Laurie Gallian, Sonoma and Susan Harvey, Cotati.

Please submit your letters of interest to me at: [kmassey@ci.cloverdale.ca.us](mailto:kmassey@ci.cloverdale.ca.us) no later than close of business, **Wednesday, July 31<sup>st</sup>**. This should allow adequate time for review at each of your Council meetings prior to the October meeting.

Sincerely

  
Karen Massey (on behalf of)  
Mayors' and Councilmembers' Association of Sonoma County



# City of Santa Rosa

July 30, 2013

Sonoma County Mayors' and Councilmembers' Association of Sonoma County  
City of Cloverdale

Karen J. Massey  
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RE: Letter of Interest  
North Bay Division, LOCC, Executive Board

SCOTT P. BARTLEY  
Mayor

ERIN CARLSTROM  
Vice Mayor

JULIE COMBS  
ERNESTO OLIVARES  
JAKE OURS  
ROBIN SWINTH  
GARY WYSOCKY

I am requesting appointment to one of two upcoming vacancies on the North Bay Division, LOCC, Executive Board.

I have been an active member of the League of California Cities since my election to the Santa Rosa City Council in 2008. In 2009, I was elected to serve a one-year term as President of the North Bay Division. I have attended LOCC annual conferences for the past four years, and I remain active with the North Bay Division by attending quarterly meetings and serving on the nominating committee.

For the past year I have served on the LOCC Public Safety Policy Committee, and I currently serve on the Standing Committee on Gun Violence.

I respectfully ask for your vote in filling one of the vacant positions.

Sincerely,

ERNESTO OLIVARES  
City Council Member

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July 29, 2013

Sonoma County Mayors and Councilmembers

Re: Application for North Bay Division, League of California Cities – Executive Board

Dear Mayors and Councilmembers,


I am pleased to submit my letter of consideration for one of the positions on the Executive Board for the North Bay Division of the Leagues of California Cities. I am seeking reappointment to this position, as I believe I have represented our cities and towns well over the last two years and would like to continue representing our communities. I have enjoyed participating on the Executive Board and feel the position has helped grow my understanding of the challenges faced by all of the member cities and towns. We have been able to share common experiences and solutions.

As an appointee to the League of California Cities Tax and Revenue Policy Committee, I have seen how many of the financial issues facing our local cities are also impacting cities throughout California. It is necessary for us to work together to support State-wide efforts which bring the most benefit to our cities and towns. As we work in partnership with other cities, we have a stronger voice and can effect change.

It has been my distinct honor to represent you on the Executive Board for the North Bay Division of the League of California Cities and on the Child Care Planning Council.

I look forward to working collaboratively with you to solve the challenges facing us. I believe that working together we can find creative solutions. I truly appreciate the support and consideration of the Mayors and Councilmembers. Feel free to contact me at [sharvey55@aol.com](mailto:sharvey55@aol.com) or at 707-795-0637.

Respectfully yours,

  
Susan Harvey  
Councilmember, City of Cotati



# CITY OF PETALUMA

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Chris Albertson  
Vice Mayor

July 8, 2013

Sonoma County Mayors and Councilmembers  
c/o Karen Massey, Assistant City Manager / Comm. Dev. Dir.  
City of Cloverdale  
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Cloverdale, California 95425

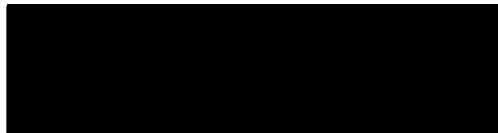
Sonoma County Mayors and Councilmembers,

I am submitting this letter in nomination as a representative on the North Bay Executive Committee with the League of California Cities.

I have been involved with municipal government for over 40 years, serving 38 years in the fire service, including over 6 years as the Fire Chief for the City of Petaluma and the past 2-1/2 years on the Petaluma City Council.

I support the mission of the League of California Cities and look forward to being a strong voice for the North Bay Executive Committee, representing our common interest.

Respectfully,



Chris Albertson, Vice Mayor

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Aswan, Arab Republic of Egypt  
Chambolle-Musigny, France  
Greve in Chianti, Italy  
Kaniv, Ukraine  
Patzcuaro, Mexico

July 19, 2013

Sonoma County Mayors and Council Members

Re: Application for North Bay Division, League of California Cities- Executive Board

Dear Mayors and Councilmembers,

I am submitting this letter of interest for your consideration to fill a position on the Executive Board of the North Bay Division of the League of Cities. It has been a privilege to represent you on this Board since August 2011 and I would appreciate your continued support and request that you appoint me to this position.

It has been my distinct honor to currently serve as your representative on the Sonoma County Agricultural Preservation and Open Space District Advisory Committee since June 2009. I serve and am currently the Chair of the Committee.

Besides serving on the Ag Preservation and Open Space District, prior to elected office I served on the 2007 Sonoma County Community Climate Action Plan Committee. In 2008, I entered into elected office in Sonoma and currently represent the City of Sonoma on the following boards:

- Association of Bay Area Government (Delegate)
- Cittaslow Sonoma Valley Advisory Board
- Sonoma County Transportation Authority
- Regional Climate Protection Authority
- Water Advisory Committee

It is my intent to represent as I do now the interests of all the cities and towns in Sonoma County. I am well informed on the issues now confronting the landscape of this county. I work collaboratively with all agencies to have challenging issues presented and discussed. It is most important to listen and represent your views. Engaging the public in a civil and professional manner to get results is a goal I strive for. I have a vision of leadership that watches out for the future generations. I am accessible and connect with people and issues.

I have completed the Advanced Leadership training. I am in communication with our Representative Nancy Bennett Hall, as well as local County Assembly members and Senate representative.

I eagerly anticipate the possibility of continuing to represent you on the NB LOCC Executive Board and accept the challenge to work collaboratively in a regional cities leadership approach to explore and support our cities and town in the challenges and successes in Sonoma County for today and future generations.

Thank you for your consideration and I would very much appreciate your support for this appointment. Feel free to contact me at [lauriegallian@comcast.net](mailto:lauriegallian@comcast.net) or at (707) 738-9847.

Sincerely,



Laurie Gallian  
Councilmember