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Completed by: Alisa Miller Date July 18, 2014

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[Appointment, Planning Commission - Dennis Richards]

Motion approving/rejecting the President of the Board of Supervisors', Supervisor David Chiu, nomination of Dennis Richards to the Planning Commission, term ending July 1, 2018.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Charter, Section 4.105, the President of the Board of Supervisors has submitted a communication notifying the Board of Supervisors of the nomination of Dennis Richards to the Planning Commission, received by the Clerk of the Board on July 18, 2014; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors, by Motion No. 02-80, established a process to review the President's nomination to the Planning Commission; now, therefore, be it

MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby approves/rejects the President's nomination of Dennis Richards to the Planning Commission, term ending July 1, 2018.

President, Board of Supervisors
District 3
第三區
市參事會主席



City and County of San Francisco
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DAVID CHIU
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July 18, 2014

Angela Calvillo, Clerk
Board of Supervisors
City Hall, Room 244
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Madam Clerk,

Pursuant to Charter Section 4.105, I hereby nominate Dennis Richards to serve on the Planning Commission for a term ending July 1, 2018. His application is attached. Please generate and refer to the Rules Committee the motions necessary for the consideration of this nomination.

Sincerely,

David Chiu
David Chiu

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Board of Supervisors
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Application for Boards, Commissions, Committees, & Task Forces

Name of Board, Commission, Committee, or Task Force: Planning Commission

Seat # or Category (If applicable): _____ District: _____

Name: Dennis Richards

Home Address: Beaver Street Zip: 94114

Home Phone: 415- _____ Occupation: Credit, Coll., Cust. Service VP

Work Phone: 415-536-2149 Employer: Salesforce

Business Address: One Market Street, Suite 300 Zip: 94105

Business E-Mail: drichards@salesforce.com Home E-Mail: drichards20@ _____

Pursuant to Charter Section 4.101 (a)2, Boards and Commissions established by the Charter must consist of electors (registered voters) of the City and County of San Francisco. For certain other bodies, the Board of Supervisors can waive the residency requirement.

Check All That Apply:

Registered voter in San Francisco: Yes No If No, where registered: _____

Resident of San Francisco Yes No If No, place of residence: _____

Pursuant to Charter section 4.101 (a)1, please state how your qualifications represent the communities of interest, neighborhoods, and the diversity in ethnicity, race, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, types of disabilities, and any other relevant demographic qualities of the City and County of San Francisco:

I have been a resident of San Francisco for the past 19 years and am a gay man over the age of 50. I have been deeply involved in community service/ non-profit work in 16 of the 19 years that I have lived here having been on the boards and in leadership positions of many non-profits and neighborhood associations dealing with HIV/AIDS, housing, historic preservation, traffic and pedestrian safety and appropriate land uses including Formula Retail. The community service that I have done clearly shows a true understanding and belief in the values of "San Francisco."

Business and/or professional experience:

B.A. University of Pittsburgh (1985) Dual Major Business and Chinese (language)
District Credit Supervisor (1985-1988) Eastman Kodak Co.(manufacturing)
Credit Manager (1988-1990) HP (medical and health sciences)
Americas Credit Manager (various roles) 1990-1999 HP (hardware, peripherals and printer manufacturer)
Sr. Director of Credit, (2000-2005) Agilent (health sciences and measurement manufacturer)
VP, Credit Collection and Customer Service (2005-2014) Salesforce (on demand customer relationship and service applications) (I will be leaving Salesforce on 12/1/14)

Civic Activities:

BOARDS AND POSITIONS: (please also see attached community involvement resume)
Dolores Street Community Services (HIV/AIDS, Housing)/Board Member
Friends of 1800 (LGBT Historic Preservation)/President
San Francisco Architectural Heritage (Board Member and Treasurer)
Duboce Triangle Neighborhood Association (Board Member and President)
Castro/ Eureka Valley Neighborhood Association (Board Member)
Market Octavia Community Advisory Committee (Committee Member representing neighborhood groups)

Have you attended any meetings of the Board/Commission to which you wish appointment? Yes No

For appointments by the Board of Supervisors, appearance before the RULES COMMITTEE is a requirement before any appointment can be made. (*Applications must be received 10 days before the scheduled hearing.*)

Date: 7/18/14 Applicant's Signature: (required) Dennis Richards

(Manually sign or type your complete name.
NOTE: By typing your complete name, you are hereby consenting to use of electronic signature.)

Please Note: Your application will be retained for one year. Once Completed, this form, including all attachments, become public record.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:
Appointed to Seat #: _____ Term Expires: _____ Date Seat was Vacated: _____

Dennis Richards
Beaver Street
San Francisco, Ca. 94114
drichards20@

Utilize over 15 years of thoughtful and balanced neighborhood and community activism coupled with over 25 years of professional experience future community service for the City and County of San Francisco.

My neighborhood and community activism has been in many areas including:

Land Use

Historic Preservation
Housing Preservation and Creation
Long Range City Planning
Formula Retail
Specific Neighborhood Developments

Human Services

Homelessness
HIV/AIDS Care
Dog Rescue

President, Friends of 1800 (Market Street)

1996-2002

Led this LGBTQ Historic Preservation in the saving, landmarking and rehabilitation of the Historic Fallon Building at 1800 Market Street as a part of the LGBT Community Center. The Friends of 1800 during this time also secured City Landmark Status for the Harvey Milk Camera Shop on Castro Street

Board Member, Dolores Street Community Services

1999-2001

Served on the Board of Directors for this Mission District Human Services Non-profit which includes the Dolores Shelter Program and Richard J. Cohen HIV/AIDS Residence.

Member, Supervisor Mark Leno "Monster Home" Task Force

2000-2001

Neighborhood representative which developed policy concerning large scale single family homes

Board Member and Treasurer, San Francisco Architectural Heritage

2002-2009

Part of the Core Leadership Team of San Francisco's largest historic preservation advocacy organization. While Treasurer I worked with the board and staff to help SF Heritage transform itself both programmatically (reaching out to all communities and looking as well as considering cultural preservation) and financially to position it for the future. Today, SF Heritage through its new leadership and board is looked upon as the city's premiere preservation organization representing all communities and cultures and not just actual architectural preservation.

President, Duboce Triangle Neighborhood Association
President Emeritus Board Member

2005-2012
2013-present

Led this active neighborhood association founded in 1976 through the Market and Octavia rezoning which has been the most significant zoning changes since 1978. Worked with the San Francisco Planning Staff and Commission and many other community groups as well as with members of some of the 3000 households in Duboce Triangle to develop sensible, balanced zoning changes for the Market and Octavia Plan area for the next which has resulted in a complete transformation of the Upper Market, Hayes Valley, Van Ness & Market Area as well as portions of SOMA and the Inner Mission/Mission Dolores. Worked through several controversial specific projects including 55 Laguna Street and several Formula Retail proposals and worked with Supervisor Scott Weiner and Planning Director John Raiham and Planning staff and Commissioners to develop Formula Retail Concentration policy for the Upper Market. Worked with all developers to build better projects which integrated well with the neighborhood in terms of design, community benefits as well as affordable housing. Also co-hosted the first San Francisco Mayoral Debate on 8/8/12 for the last San Francisco mayoral election at the historic Castro Theater.

Board Member, Eureka Valley Neighborhood Association

2010-2012

Member, Market Octavia Community Advisory Committee (CAC)

2008-present

Appointed by the Board of Supervisors twice for the neighborhood association representative to this important advisory committee which both monitors Plan progress against its goals as well as recommends where the millions of dollars of community benefit fees are spent. The CAC works with Planning staff and other city agencies such as DPW, MTA and Mayor's Office on developing thoughtful positions of concern to the MO Plan area as well as the best allocation of community benefit fees in this rapidly developing Plan Area.

Community Partner and Associate. Muttville (Senior Dog Rescue)

San Francisco
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Date Printed: July 18, 2014

Date Established:

July 1, 2002

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Authority:

Charter Section 4.105- per Prop D. Election March 5, 2002

Board Qualifications:

The Planning Commission consists of seven voting members.

The President of the Board of Supervisors shall nominate three members to the commission.

The Mayor shall nominate four members to the commission.

Each nomination of the President of the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor is subject to the approval of the Board of Supervisors, and shall be the subject of a public hearing and vote within 60 days. If the Board fails to act on the nomination within 60 days of the date the nomination is transmitted to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisor the nominee shall be deemed approved.

The mission of the City Planning Department is to guide the orderly and prudent use of land, in both the natural and built environment, with the purpose of improving the quality of life and embracing the diverse perspectives of those who live in, work in, and visit San Francisco. The Commission shall periodically recommend to the Board of Supervisors for approval or rejection proposed amendments to the General Plan.

Report: The Commission shall periodically recommend to the Board of Supervisors for approval or rejection proposed amendments to the General Plan.

Sunset Date: None