



**Board of Supervisors
City and County of San Francisco
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Application for Boards, Commissions, Committees, & Task Forces

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

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

Name: Beverly Melugin

[Redacted] Zip: 94523

Occupation: Executive Director

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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:

Resident of San Francisco: Yes No If No, place of residence: Pleasant Hill

Registered Voter in San Francisco: Yes No If No, where registered: Contra Costa County

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:

As C5 Children's School Executive Director, I have been part of a highly diversified team that successfully managed the adaptation of a powerful curriculum and business model that led to optimal outcomes for children and staff and the evolution of widespread public prominence over 19 years.

At C5, up to 42 staff members and I daily provide a comprehensive, high quality program for up to 150 infants through Pre-K children, their families, and the San Francisco community, with a new center opening this fall. All staff, children, and families represent the broad diversity of the City's population and proudly collaborate to apply their marvelous diversity of individual orientation, cultures, and learning styles that continually result in optimal learning and development for the children and the rest of us. Our shared values and extra efforts are celebrated and are a source of continued powerful learning, skill building, physical development and adult and child cohesion that result in a wealth of special annual programs. They include: our Festival of Learning, Winter Cultural Highlights, Summer Book & Box, Costume Days, Family Food Experiences, and The Fall Family Festival. Also, C5 families and staff have participated in the San Francisco Pride Parade for 17 years.

In addition, as a Native American and registered member of the Cherokee Tribe, my lifelong personal and professional work on challenging social issues has prepared me for further work with people from all categories of life conditions and orientations.

Business and/or professional experience:

My career has been devoted to education and community action. My early work experience was as a classroom teacher in an inner-city public school and then with other public schools as a curriculum specialist and as an administrator. During My Master’s Degree work at the University of Oregon, I was deeply involved in implementing The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act with school administrators across the state. Based on personal experience, I titled my thesis Politically Active Parents of Handicapped Children. I taught a university class for three years for employees of community agencies on the rights of individuals with disabilities and special rights. As a school district-wide curriculum specialist in Eugene Oregon, I also focused on diversity and implemented Title IX requirements. I have 25 years of experience in Head Start as a director, evaluator, and/or consultant in Kansas, Oklahoma, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Alaska, and California.

Civic Activities:

I have always been active on issues in the communities where I have lived and work. Significant areas of my involvement and advocacy over the years have been on issues related to my work. I have served on numerous advisory and leadership committees in Oklahoma, Kansas, Oregon, Washington, and California focusing on Early Care and Education; Individuals with Special Rights; Equity; Diversity; and Women’s Studies. I advocated for the original San Francisco Preschool For All program and its second 25 year extension and the recent Proposition “C” initiative. Our program at C5 has been an active participant in the City’s Early learning Scholarship program since its inception, as well as participating in other subsidy programs. We have many low-income families enrolled each year, and we continue our support to them through graduation from our program. I have engaged in CPAC meetings and activities for 10 years, and I was appointed as an official member of CPAC by Supervisor Jane Kim in September 2016. I was elected Chair of CPAC in April 2019 and served in that capacity until April of this year, 2021. I am pleased that my involvement in CPAC increased and that I could make additional contributions to developing significant opportunities for the future of Early Care and Education in San Francisco.

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

Appointments confirmed by the Board of Supervisors require an appearance before the Rules Committee. Once your application is received, the Rules Committee Clerk will contact you when a hearing is scheduled. *(Please submit your application 10 days before the scheduled hearing.)*

Date: July 16, 2021 **Applicant’s Signature: (required)** Beverly A. Melugin

(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.

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Appointed to Seat #: _____ Term Expires: _____ Date Seat was Vacated: _____