

BOARD of SUPERVISORS



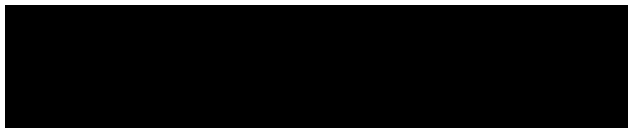
City Hall
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244
San Francisco 94102-4689
Tel. No. (415) 554-5184
Fax No. (415) 554-5163
TDD/TTY No. (415) 544-5227

Application for Boards, Commissions, Committees, & Task Forces

Name of Board/Commission/Committee/Task Force: Park recreation and open space advisory committee

Seat # (see Vacancy Notice for qualifications): 21 or 22

Full Name: John Raul Somoza



Zip Code: 94112

Occupation: Scientist

Work Phone: Employer: Gilead Sciences

Business Address: 333 Lakeside Dr., Foster City Zip Code: 94112

Business Email: john.somoza@biolojia.com Home E: [Redacted]

Pursuant to Charter, Section 4.101(a)(2), Boards and Commissions established by the Charter must consist of residents of the City and County of San Francisco who are 18 years of age or older (unless otherwise stated in the code authority). For certain appointments, the Board of Supervisors may waive the residency requirement.

Check All That Apply:

Resident of San Francisco: Yes [X] No [] If No, place of residence: []

18 Years of Age or Older: Yes [X] No []

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 am a resident of Mission Terrace (District 11). I am of hispanic origin and consider both Spanish and English to be my native languages.

Business and/or Professional Experience:

I am a scientist and have spent the last 20+ years discovering and developing new drugs for cancer, inflammation and, especially, viral diseases (HIV and hepatitis C).

Civic Activities:

1999-2007 - Board of Directors of Child Family Health International, which focuses on global health and works in resource-poor areas of the world.

2013-2021 - Vice Chairman of the Board of Educate Girls, which focuses on improving girls' enrollment, retention and performance in schools in northern India.

2019 - Volunteer (intern) in the office of Ahsha Safai.

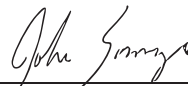
2021 - Volunteer for Project Open Hand, delivering meals in the Tenderloin.

Have you attended any meetings of the body to which you are applying? Yes No

An appearance before the Rules Committee may be required at a scheduled public hearing, prior to the Board of Supervisors considering the recommended appointment. Applications should be received ten (10) days prior to the scheduled public hearing.

Date: 10/6/2021

Applicant's Signature (required):



(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 Vacated: _____