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Completed by: Alisa Miller Date March 14, 2014

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Application for Boards, Commissions and Committees

Application for Appointment to: Veterans Affairs Commission

Name of Board, Commission, Committee, or Task Force

Seat # or Category (If applicable):

Name: Matthew Scott Gabe

Home Address: Crestmont Drive

Home Phone: 415- [redacted]

Work Phone: 415-989-4140

Business Address: PO Box 207

Occupation: Attorney

Employer: AIPAC

Zip: 94131

Zip: 94105

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Check All That Apply:

A citizen of the United States.

At least 18 years old on or before Election Day.

Not In prison or on parole for a felony conviction

A resident of San Francisco  Yes:  No: (Place of Residence):

Please state your qualifications (attach supplemental sheet if necessary)

I have served 18 years in the Navy on active duty and in reserves. In 1997, I served with MNFI in Iraq as the Officer in Charge of the Combined Review and Release Board.

Education:

BA from the University of Michigan, and JD from Chicago-Kent College of Law.

Business and/or professional experience:

I am an Area Director for the American Israel Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC) and an attorney with the Navy Reserve Judge Advocate General's Corps (JAG). I served on active duty in the Navy JAG from 1994-1998.

Civic Activities:

I am the Vice Commander of the Jewish War Veterans Post 688 and a member of the Marines' Memorial Association.

Ethnicity: (optional)

Sex (optional) M  F

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

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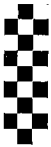
Date: 20 Feb 2013 Applicant's Signature: (required) Matthew Gabe

Please Note: Your application will be retained for one year.

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Appointed to Seat #: \_\_\_\_\_ Term Expires: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Seat was Vacated: \_\_\_\_\_

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**AIPAC**

**FAX**

**PACIFIC NORTHWEST**

**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Matthew Gabe

**Fax:** 415-554-7714

**Fax:** 415-989-5202

**Re:** Application for Veterans Affairs Commission

**Phone:** 415-989-4140 ext. 6151

**Date:** February 20, 2013

**Pages (including cover):** 2

To whom it may concern:

I have enclosed my Application for the open seat on the Veterans Affairs Commission.

Best,

Matthew Gabe

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**AMERICAN ISRAEL PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**  
P.O Box 207 San Francisco, CA 94104 Phone: (415) 989-4140 Fax: (415) 989-5202 [www.aipac.org](http://www.aipac.org)

14 March 2014

Dear Rules Committee Supervisors:

I am honored to be considered for a vacant seat on the Veterans Affairs Commission. I am unable to attend the Rules Committee meeting since I will be in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, serving as a Navy Reservist with the Region Legal Service Office Hawaii.

For more than 19 years I have served honorably in the United States Navy, and I look forward to the opportunity of serving on the Veterans Affairs Commission to address the problems, interests, and needs of veterans who are residents of the City and county of San Francisco.

In 1994, I was commissioned as an Ensign in the Navy Judge Advocate Corps, and reported to my first assignment at the Naval Legal Service Office Great Lakes, Illinois. In April of 1998, I left active duty and affiliated with the Navy Selective Reserves.

In 2007, in support of OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, I was mobilized to active duty, and I served as the Officer in Charge (OIC) of the Combined Review and Release Board, Task Force 134, Multi-National Force Iraq, in Baghdad, Iraq. As the OIC, I was responsible for all production operations, facilities, equipment, security, and personnel in a legal office comprised of attorneys, paralegals, and linguists. During my tenure as OIC, under hostile fire conditions, I ensured the timely and efficient review of more than 14,000 security internee files.

In 2013, I was promoted to the rank of Navy Captain (06) and also selected as the Commanding Officer of the Naval Reserve Regional Legal Services Office Hawaii, which is my current billet.

My military decorations include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (2 awards), the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (3 awards), the Iraq Campaign Medal, the National Defense Service Medal (2 awards), the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, and the Sea Service Deployment Ribbon.

I am active in community organizations such as the Marines' Memorial Association, the Jewish War Veterans of the United States, and the Naval Order of the United States. My wife, my son, and I live in San Francisco.

Thank you for considering my application for the Veterans Affairs Commission.

3/13/2014 Recieved from:

**Matthew Gabe**

(Veterans Affairs Commission, Seats 1 or 10)



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**Application for Boards, Commissions and Committees**

Application for Appointment to: Veterans Affairs Commission

Name of Board, Commission, Committee, or Task Force

Seat # or Category (If applicable): Any Open Seat

Name: Brendan Rogers

Home Address: 10th St. #

Zip: 94103

Home Phone: (415)

Occupation: Student / Reserve Coast Guard Officer

Work Phone: N/A

Employer: US Coast Guard Reserve

Business Address: PSU 312 USCG Air Station San Francisco SFO International Airport #102 Zip: 94128

Check All That Apply:

A citizen of the United States.

At least 18 years old on or before Election Day.

Not in prison or on parole for a felony conviction

A resident of San Francisco  Yes:  No: (Place of Residence):

Please state your qualifications (attach supplemental sheet if necessary)

16 Year veteran of the US Coast Guard (10 Active 6 Reserve), E-7 Chief Petty Officer, recently promoted to Commissioned Officer. Currently serving as the Training Officer for USCG Port Security Unit 312, at SFO.

Education:

International MBA, EADA Business School Barcelona, Spain  
MA International Studies, University of San Francisco, (expected Jan 2014)

Business and/or professional experience:

Served multiple training roles within military service, including department head roles. Served as a Peer Crisis Intervention Counselor for first responders conducting suicide response operations under the Golden Gate.

Civic Activities:

n/a

Ethnicity: (optional)

Sex (optional) M  F

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

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Date: 12 NOV 13 Applicant's Signature: (required) [Signature]

Please Note: Your application will be retained for one year.

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**Application for Boards, Commissions, Committees, & Task Forces**

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

Seat # or Category (If applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: ERNEST CHUCK AYALA

Home Address: 20th ST Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: 415 Occupation: REACTOR

Work Phone: 415 861-0709 Employer: SELF

Business Address: 532 CASTRO ST Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Business E-Mail: eeayala@aol.com Home E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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:

NATIVE SAN FRANCISCO  
MEXICAN - AMERICAN  
VETERAN WWII  
SEE RESUME

Ernest C. Ayala  
532 Castro Street  
San Francisco, Ca 94114  
415 861-0704-Fax 415 8612657

### **Education**

M.A. –Community Development & Public Service (1978)  
Lone Mountain College-University of San Francisco, Ca  
  
California Community Colleges – Lifetime Instructor Credential - Lifetime Supervisor Credential

### **Military**

U.S. Army  
I served in the Asiatic, Pacific and European theatres during World War 11  
Honorably Discharged in 1946.

### **Experience**

Administrative strength in personnel, budget preparation, policy making, community relations, program planning and development

Former director of youth activities –Archdiocese of San Francisco

President and CEO of Centro Latino de San Francisco, a non-profit community based center dealing with seniors, family and youth.

Ownership and management of real estate and insurance business since 1949

Successful funded projects were in the areas of delinquency prevention, senior citizens nutrition services, and Multi-purpose youth centers and youth employment programs. Funding developed through such agencies as United Way, Mayors Council of Criminal Justice, San Francisco commission of Aging, California Office of Education, and grants from Foundations.

### **Professional Organizations**

Association of Community College Trustees (ACCT)- Lifetime member  
Pacific Regional Chairman, Minority Affairs  
California Community College Trustees, Board of Directors  
Association of Latino Community College Trustees  
Bay Area Trustees Association –Past President  
California Association of Community Colleges, Board of Directors  
American Arbitration Association-Commercial & Community Dispute Resolution  
Graduate Realtors Institute (GRI)  
Real Estate Certificate Institute (RECI)  
San Francisco Real Estate Board  
California Real Estate Association  
California Commission on the Aging –Executive Committee

## **Community Organizations**

American GI Forum –Past Chairman  
Mexican-American Political Association –Past President-Current Vice President  
Knights of Columbus, Mission Council #2519, Past Grand Knight  
San Francisco Fryers Club, Past President  
V.F.W. Chris McKeon Post #38, Past Commander  
Merchants of Upper Market-Castro  
Eureka Valley Merchants Association  
Old-timers Baseball Association of San Francisco  
San Francisco Forum, Past President

## **Public Service Activities-Past & Present**

National Democratic Convention. Delegate 1972  
United Way of the Bay Area, Speakers Bureau  
Mayor's Council of Criminal Justice, Executive Board  
San Francisco Delinquency Prevention Commission – Past Chairman  
Human Rights Commission, Youth & Education Committee  
San Francisco Community College Board of Trustees, Past President  
Community College Urban District Association, Past President  
Golden Gate National Recreation Area. (GGNRA) Advisory Commission  
California Commission on the Aging –Executive Committee-present

## **Unions**

I.L.W.U. Local 6  
Teamsters Local 265  
International Union, Mine, Mill & Smelter Workers, CIO Local 50

## **Educational Seminars & Task Forces**

Presenter, "Trustee Leadership in Affirmative Action" –Seattle, Pacific Region of the Association of Community College Trustees, 1978  
Presenter, "The Political Trustee "-  
The Public Media and the Board 1978 -California Community College Trustees.  
Moderator, "In service Training for Administrators "-Monterey, Cal 5/25/78

## **Awards**

1972 – Letter of Commendation from Ronald Pelosi, President of Board of Supervisors, and San Francisco for civic activities including youth, veterans, and senior citizens.  
9/30/72 Commended by California State Assembly for "Efforts and sacrifice to better the community in field of youth and civil service "by Assemblyman John Burton  
1974- Bay Area Mexican-American Affairs – Outstanding Service to Mexican-American Community  
1974- Awarded the Phoebe A. Hearst Medallion by the San Francisco Examiner for Community Service and especially for working with youth  
1974-75 Hijos de Maceo, in appreciation for dedicated services to the community  
1976- United Way of the Bay Area, recipient of the Symbolic Award for Speakers  
1980-AMAE-Association of Mexican-American Educators –Education of Mexican American Children  
1983- Los Padrinos- Pacific Bell Telephone Co. Community Service  
1984-BART- Outstanding Contribution Hispanic Community



1984-California Community Colleges-Leadership, Counsel, Service

### **Awards**

- 1998- San Francisco Hispanic Chamber of Commerce – Community Leadership
- 1998- Association of Community College Trustees-(ACCT)-Lifetime membership
- 1998- Association of Latino Community College Trustees- Lifetime membership
- 2000- AARP- Valued Leadership
- 2003- San Francisco Association of Realtors – Chair Cultural Diversity

### **Certificates**

- 2003 -Certificate of Appreciation- Superior Court of San Francisco
- 2002- Certificate of Service –Superior Court of California –Chief Justice Ronald George
- 2006- Certificate of Appreciation – Selective Service System

### **Appointments**

- 2003- Selective Service System- San Francisco
- 2002- Delegate, California Democratic Party, Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi
- 2004- Secretary of State, Kevin Shelley- Poll Workers Training Manual Committee
- 2006- Delegate, White House Conference on Aging by Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi



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Application for Appointment to: **VETERANS AFFAIRS COMMISSION**  
Name of Board, Commission, Committee, or Task Force

Seat # or Category (If applicable): **Mayoral or Board of Supervisors Appointed Seat (seats 2 or 10)**

Name: **Dwane J. Kennedy**

Home Address: **25th Street, Unit** Zip: **94107**

Home Phone: **415-** Occupation: **Business Owner, Urban Planner**

Work Phone: **415-401-9300** Employer: **CITYshapers, Inc.**

Business Address: **101 California Street, Suit 2710, San Francisco, CA** Zip: **94111**

Check All That Apply:

- A citizen of the United States.  At least 18 years old on or before Election Day.
- Not in prison or on parole for a felony conviction
- A resident of San Francisco  Yes:  No: (Place of Residence):

Please state your qualifications (attach supplemental sheet if necessary).  
 Please see attached

Education:

BA, Architecture, University of California, Berkeley, CA  
 MUP, Mater of Urban Planning, University Kansas- Lawrence, KS

Business and/or professional experience:

Please see attached

Civic Activities:

Please see attached

Ethnicity: (optional) White Sex (optional) M  F

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

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Date: 3/4/2014 Applicant's Signature: (required) 

Please Note: Your application will be retained for one year.

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Appointed to Seat #: \_\_\_\_\_ Term Expires: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Seat was Vacated: \_\_\_\_\_

# DWANE J. KENNEDY

25<sup>TH</sup> Street, Unit  
San Francisco, CA 94107  
(415) 401-9300  
dwaneKennedy@

## Experience

**CITYshapers, Inc., *Urban Planning and Development Consultants, San Francisco, CA* 2002-Present**

- President & Founder of CITYshapers, Inc., an innovative San Francisco consulting firm that provides urban planning, policy analysis and representation to businesses, institutions and property owners located in the San Francisco Bay Area and throughout California.
- Founded start-up consulting practice, managed business operations through market fluctuations, and consistently delivered professional services to clients on projects estimated at more than \$750 million.

**City of Oakland-*Community and Economic Development Agency, Oakland, California* 1999-2002**

- Assigned to Major Project Unit responsible for waterfront development, large-scale development projects and managed the land use entitlement process for projects identified as critical contributions to Mayor Jerry Brown's *10K Downtown Housing Initiative*.
- Provided technical expertise in the areas of environmental review, strategic planning and urban design policy.

**Berger/ABAM Engineers (formerly the J.D White Company) Portland, Oregon 1998-1999**

- Lead Planner for Port of Pasco "*Waterfront Strategic Plan*", City of Springfield, Oregon "*Jasper Natron Transit Oriented District Specific Plan*" and Public Involvement Manager for the "*Washington State Interstate-5 Route Development Plan.*"
- Environmental Planner assigned to Master Planning and Capital Improvement Projects throughout Washington and Oregon.

**City of Kansas City, *Planning and Zoning Department, Kansas City, Missouri* 1995-1998**

- Contributor the City of Kansas Comprehensive Plan, "*FOCUS Kansas City*", that received the 1998 Daniel Burnham Award from the American Planning Association.
- Advanced Planner assigned to aid the implementation and regulatory review of economic development projects throughout the City.

## Education

**Master of Urban Planning (MUP), University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas 1995-1997**

**Bachelors of Arts (BA) Architecture, University of California, Berkeley, California 1989-1993**

## Military Service

Awarded Army Good Conduct Medal, Army Service Ribbon and Honorable Discharge 1994

United States Army Reserve, Independent Ready Reservist 1988-1994

United States Army- Active Duty, 1<sup>st</sup> of the 12<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery "Lance Missile" 1986-1988

**DWANE J. KENNEDY**

25<sup>TH</sup> Street, Unit  
San Francisco, CA 94107  
(415) 401-9300  
dwaneKennedy@

March 4, 2014

*Via E-Mail and Hand Delivery*

The Honorable Mayor Ed Lee  
and the Honorable Members of the  
Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
City Hall  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 200  
San Francisco, CA 94102

**Re: Veterans Affairs Commission Application**

Dear Mayor Lee and Members of the Board of Supervisors:

One-Hundred Forty Nine years ago today, March 4<sup>th</sup>, 1865, President Lincoln gave his second inaugural address to a gathering of citizens in a muddy Pennsylvania field. During his speech, he called upon Americans to heal from the wounds of war, to have charity for all, and “*to care for him who have borne the battle.*” While San Francisco has always been a peaceful and charitable city, many honorable veterans remain homeless, jobless and in need of medical services.

**I would like to join the effort to care for the veterans in our community and I respectfully request consideration for appointment to the San Francisco Veteran’s Affairs Commission.**

As a military veteran, urban planner and San Francisco business owner, I have the experience, insight and expertise to help veterans live, work and thrive in our great City through my contributions on the Commission. In my work as an urban planner, I have become keenly aware of the challenges veterans face in finding affordable housing in a competitive real estate market. I have a proven ability to analyze legislative policy and understand the housing development process. This will be a useful skill to better inform legislators and other decision-makers on the impacts to veterans.

When men and women leave military service to rejoin their communities, there should be jobs available that match their abilities. San Francisco is rich in opportunities in education and innovation. I have personally experienced the transformative journey from soldier, to student, to innovative business owner. I know through my experience as a former student/veteran the systems that provide educational

and training benefits. I know through my experience as both an employee and a business owner the systems that regulate employment.

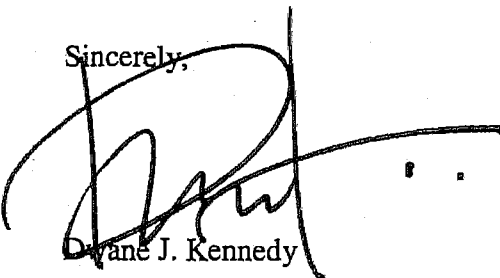
However, **I do not know** the extra burden of a service-related disability and **I do not know** what it's like to slip through the cracks, to become jobless, homeless and beyond the sphere of accessible and affordable care. My experiences and this fortune can be useful as we collectively formulate and evaluate policies to achieve full employment and improve care for all San Francisco veterans.

The San Francisco VA Medical Center is an invaluable resource to veterans from San Francisco and throughout northern California. Its staff is top notch in their mission to provide medical support to veterans and I rely on the Center for my own medical care. The staff is an impressive collection of skilled men and women who are committed to serving the needs of veterans. The patients are equally impressive as they are the men and women who's service ensured that our rights and civil liberties are protected. Through my experience as an urban planner, I believe that I can contribute to the Commission by analyzing policy matters that could improve the delivery of critical medical services including the transportation needs of patients and staff.

Sadly, President Lincoln was assassinated only six weeks after giving his second inaugural address but his uncompromising passion for honoring veterans lives on through the hard work of the Veteran's Affairs Commission, service organizations, care providers and everyday San Franciscans. I look forward to doing my part in this effort and serving as a Member of the San Francisco Veteran's Affairs Commission.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dyané J. Kennedy', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Dyané J. Kennedy

encl: VAC Application  
Professional Resume

**Miller, Alisa**

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**From:** Low, Jen (BOS)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 04, 2014 5:17 PM  
**To:** Miller, Alisa  
**Subject:** FW: Veterans' Affairs Commission - Applicant - Dwane Kennedy  
**Attachments:** Xerox5755\_20140304164957.PDF

Dwane Kennedy's application.

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**From:** Wheaton, Nicole  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 04, 2014 4:55 PM  
**To:** Low, Jen (BOS)  
**Cc:** [dwanekenedy@gmail.com](mailto:dwanekenedy@gmail.com)  
**Subject:** Veterans' Affairs Commission - Applicant - Dwane Kennedy

Jen,

Per our conversation earlier today, I have included the application submitted to our office today by Mr. Dwane J. Kennedy.

As mentioned in my conversation with you, the one vacant seat of which the Mayor has appointing authority is one where, pursuant to Administrative Code Section 5.100 we are mandated to appoint "one person who served in the Armed Forces of the United States of America and is suffering under a physical disability arising from that service, in accordance with the definitions applied in such cases by the Veterans' Administration." I do not believe that Mr. Kennedy meets those qualifications, however, it is my understanding that he could meet those of the current BOS seat that is available.

I have copied Mr. Kennedy here, and I would encourage you and him to connect. From his application he looks as though he may be a stellar candidate for BOS Seat #10.

Best,  
Nicole

Nicole A. Wheaton  
Director of Appointments  
Commission & Board Liaison  
Office of Mayor Edwin M. Lee  
(415) 554-7940



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Name of Board, Commission, Committee, or Task Force: Veterans Affairs Commission

Seat # or Category (If applicable): Seats<sup>1</sup> 2, 5 & 10 District: N/A

Name: Angela R. Y. Jenkins

Home Address: PO Box \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: CA

Home Phone: 415- \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \*See below

Work Phone: same as above Employer: Business Owner

Business Address: Same as above Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Business E-Mail: ar@thirdtraditionsfoundation.org Home E-Mail: aryjenkins@ \_\_\_\_\_

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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:**

See attached sheet

**Business and/or professional experience:**

See attached sheet - \*Due to the sensitive nature of my work in a civic agency position, I cannot list job title. Related professional civic experience is detailed in the attached.

**Civic Activities:**

See attached sheet

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

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**Date:** 03-03-2014      **Applicant's Signature: (required)** Angela R. Y. Jenkins

(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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## **2014 SF VA Commission Application – Angela R. Y. Jenkins**

### **Target Seats**

Vacant seat 2, portion of a four-year term ending January 31, 2017.

Vacant seat 5, term expiring on January 31, 2014, must be a woman veteran, for a four-year term ending January 31, 2018.

Vacant seat 10, expiring on January 31, 2014, must be an at-large appointment, for a four-year term ending January 31, 2018.

### **State your qualifications**

I have several veterans in my family. My father told stories of swimming for safety through oil fires in the waters of Pearl Harbor. My brother solemnly received the bodies of young men fallen in Southeast Asia as a member of the Army service color corps during Vietnam. My uncles strutted in their brown uniforms while in segregated regiments in World War II. And, like my father, brother and uncles before me, I proudly served my country during the first Gulf War. Immediately after my Honorable Discharge in 1992, the VA Center in San Francisco uniquely supported my transition into civilian life by providing services to me through another woman veteran. She successfully guided me through a complex bureaucratic maze to acquire tailored services that fit me perfectly.

The VA Center's multiple support tools were the impetus and enabler for a college education and successful 22-year federal career. The opportunity to give back what I was given is one of the reasons I am seeking to serve veterans on the VA commission.

My experience also impressed on me that value of ensuring other women veterans receive comparable treatment.

Currently I serve on the Equity Advisory Committee of San Francisco Human Rights Commission advocating support for Reentry populations as a member of the Out Migration Subcommittee. I am aware of veterans' disproportionate contact with the criminal justice system and I hope to reverse this trend.

I am a graduate of Urban Habitat's Boards, Commissions and Leadership Institute (BCLI), an institute known for training and seating many conscientious community members on influential boards throughout the Bay Area.

### **Education**

- Five Years - UC Berkeley ISMS Conference and Training - invited to ISMS planning
- collaborative leadership
- Urban Habitat's Boards, Commissions and Leadership Institute Graduate
- USDA Graduate School Executive Leadership Training Program
- San Francisco State School of Ethnic Studies
- Graduate work replicated the correlation between volunteerism and religiosity

### **Business and Professional Experience**

- Director of private consulting firm bringing harmony to the cognitive dissonance between good intentions and actual impact
- Former member of the board of trustees for an international non-profit where I implemented policies, authoring proposals, breaking new ground in the area of inclusiveness and communication
- Oversight of region budget development, managing budget processes for committees vital to the organization's success
- Chair of Reentry Subcommittee on SF Human Rights Commission's Equity Advisory Committee

### **Civic Activities**

- Continued participation in South Beach Mission Bay Rincon Hill Neighborhood Association
- Officer position in San Francisco Black Out Migration Group
- Doris's Ward African American Action Network Public Safety Committee
- San Francisco's Human Rights Commission African American Leadership Council
- Grassroots community work garnered interviews in Newsweek, Associated Press, and front-page recognition in the Philadelphia Inquirer



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**Application for Boards, Commissions, Committees, & Task Forces**

Name of Board, Commission, Committee, or Task Force: San Francisco Veterans Affairs Commission

Seat # or Category (If applicable): 5 District: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Deborah Dacumos

Home Address: Clarendon Avenue Zip: 94114

Home Phone: 415- [REDACTED] Occupation: retired military nurse/independent case manager

Work Phone: 415-519-3602 Employer: self-employed

Business Address: 70 Clarendon Ave Zip: 94114

Business E-Mail: coldacumos@yahoo.com Home E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**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:**

As a nurse and retired female veteran with an aged mother, who is a widow of a WWII veteran, I am able to assess, plan and provide interventions for the social, physical, mental, and spiritual needs of the veterans regardless of age, gender, race, and abilities/ disabilities. My experience in emergency preparedness also gives me the necessary knowledge and skills to assist communities in planning for disasters, especially in the care of homebound, elderly and special needs residents.

**Business and/or professional experience:**

I am a retired military nurse who was a deputy commander for a combat support hospital. In that capacity I supervised the clinical operations of the hospital and also the needs of the soldiers and their families. Since retiring, I have been a member and leader of the medical team for the International Military Lourdes Pilgrimage caring for wounded and sick WWII to GWOT veterans and their families. I continue to provide care management for elderly and those with special needs. I was an emergency room head nurse and emergency preparedness liaison officer for 2nd Medical Brigade working with the OES of SF Bay Area counties.

**Civic Activities:**

As a member of the San Francisco Veterans Affairs Commission (SFVAC), I have been involved in promoting the Veterans Treatment Court for incarcerated veterans in San Francisco. I have made several visits to the incarcerated veterans at San Bruno Pod and had been able to gather and relay their concerns to the commission. One of the major requests in my first visit in February 2013 was for the establishment of a SF Veterans Treatment Court (SFVTC). The following month's visit, I was able to give the information for the approval for the SFVTC. I am involved with the San Francisco Interfaith Council (SFIC) and the 2013 Thanksgiving Prayer Breakfast honored "The Veterans and the Faith Community that Serves Them." The SFIC helps provide assistance to homeless and veterans in need through fund raising and the work of the faith community. I am applying for re-appointment as a member of the SFVAC.

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: March 3, 2014 Applicant's Signature: (required)



**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: \_\_\_\_\_

**Miller, Alisa**

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**From:** Deborah Dacumos [coldacumos@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, March 03, 2014 11:52 AM  
**To:** Miller, Alisa  
**Cc:** Stephen Noetzel  
**Subject:** SF Veterans Affairs Commission application  
**Attachments:** sfvac 20140303 application.pdf

Ms Miller,

I am attaching my application for the SF Veterans Affairs Commission. I tried faxing to 554-7714, but there was no answer. I have cc'd President Noetzel.

Thank you

COL (RET) Deborah Dacumos  
415-519-3602

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**Authority:**

Administrative Code, Section 5.100 et seq. (Added by Ord. 449-82, amended by Ordinance Nos. 33-94, 224-94, 97-97, and 245-09).

**Board Qualifications:**

The Veterans Affairs Commission consists of a total of seventeen (17) members, twelve (12) of whom are appointed by the Board of Supervisors and five (5) of whom are appointed by the Mayor as follows:

- At least three (3) must be women veterans (at least two (2) members shall be appointed by the Board);
- Two (2) members who served in the Armed Forces of the United States and who have a physical disability arising from that service (the Mayor and Board of Supervisors shall each appoint at least one (1) member), in accordance with the definitions applied in such cases by the Veterans' Administration; and
- All members shall reside in the City and County of San Francisco. The Board of Supervisors may only waive this requirement by Ordinance.

The term of each member of the Commission shall be four (4) years; provided, however, that the members first appointed shall, by lot, classify their terms so that three (3) members shall serve a one-year term, four (4) members shall serve a two-year term, four (4) members shall serve a three-year term and four (4) members shall serve a four-year term. On the expiration of these and all successive terms, their successors shall be appointed for a four-year term in a manner similar to that described for the initial members. In the event a vacancy occurs during the term of office of any member, a successor shall be appointed for the unexpired portion of the term of the office vacated in a manner similar to that described for the initial members.

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The Commission shall directly advise the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors on all matters affecting veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States of America, on the problems, interests and needs of veterans who are residents of the City and County of San Francisco and on the coordination of economic development, health care, and social services programs as they relate to veterans who are residents of the City and County of San Francisco.

The Commission shall have the power and duty to:

- Hold hearings and submit recommendations to the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor regarding the problems, interests, and needs of veterans; and
- Make recommendations to the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor concerning the coordination of economic development health care and social services programs as they relate to veterans who are residents of the City and County of San Francisco.

Reports: The Commission shall render an annual written report of its activities to the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor.

Sunset Date: None referenced.