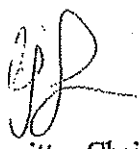


**AVIATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
**Contra Costa County**

**Date:** November 12, 2008  
**To:** Internal Operations Committee  
**From:** Geoffrey Logan  
Contra Costa County's Aviation Advisory Committee Chairman  
  
**Subject:** AAC Appointment

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There are currently two opening on the Aviation Advisory Committee (AAC) for both the At-Large positions. The AAC received four applications from interested candidates to fill these two vacant positions.

Tom Weber, David Freet and I reviewed the four applications and recommended to the full AAC David Dolter for reappointment as he would continue to provide special value to the AAC:

- David Dolter is a senior-level development executive with wide-ranging experience in project management, land acquisition, and planning. He has experience as a city manager and planning director. Further, he lives in an area of the county which has no assigned AAC representative, so he could offer an objective point of view. He resides in the city of Alamo.
- The screening committee therefore requests that the Internal Operations Committee approve our recommendation of reappointing David Dolter as the At-Large 1 Representative to the Board of Supervisors.

This recommendation was unanimously approved by the full AAC. The three remaining candidates will be scheduled for interviews to fill the other At-Large position.

GL:ndo

Cc: Keith Freitas, Director of Airports  
AAC Members

**AVIATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
**Contra Costa County**

**Date:** February 18, 2009  
**To:** Internal Operations Committee  
**From:** Geoffrey Logan  
Contra Costa County's Aviation Advisory Committee Chairperson  
**Subject:** AAC Appointment

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There is currently an opening on the Aviation Advisory Committee (AAC) for one of the At-Large positions. The AAC received five applications from interested candidates to fill these two vacant positions.

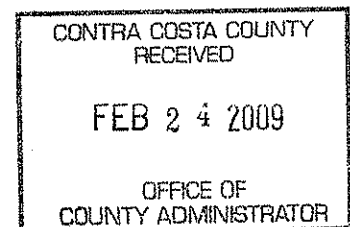
The three AAC officers, Tom Weber, David Freet and I reviewed the applications. Further, we recommended to the full AAC on February 17, 2009 the appointment of Richard Spatz to the AAC. The full AAC unanimously supported the appointment of Richard Spatz. In Brief:

- Mr. Spatz is a resident of the City of Pleasant Hill, has an immense interest in aviation and has vast community involvement experience (see attached). We believe that Mr. Spatz will contribute significantly to the AAC and Contra Costa County.

The AAC therefore requests that the Internal Operations Committee approve our recommendation of appointing Richard Spatz as the At-Large 2 Representative to the Board of Supervisors.

GL:ndo

Cc: Keith Freitas, Director of Airports  
AAC Members



CONTRA COSTA COUNTY ADVISORY BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, OR  
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AVIATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Name of Advisory Body applying for \_\_\_\_\_

Application Form must be typed or hand printed

RICHARD SPATZ

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: 10 ST. LAWRENCE CT.

City: PLEASANT HILL

State: CA

ZIP: 94523

Home Phone: 925-935-2613

Work Phone: 925-935-2613

Signature: *Richard Spatz*

Date: 12-10-2008

Personal Experiences, Skills, and Interests  
Education/Background:

(see attachment)

Occupation/Employer:

Community Activities:

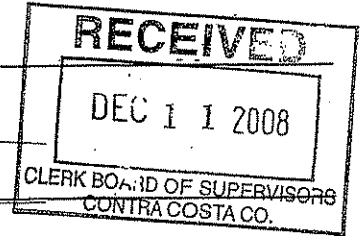
Special Interests:

Information:

1. File completed application with Clerk of the Board. 651 Pine Street, Room 106, Martinez, CA 94553.
2. Members of some advisory bodies may be required to file annual Conflict of Interest Statements.
3. Address and other contact information provided on this application will be accessible to the general public.
4. Meetings of advisory bodies may be held in Martinez or in areas not accessible by public transportation.
5. Meetings may be held either in the evenings or during the day, usually once or twice a month.
6. Some boards assign members to subcommittees or work groups requiring additional time.
7. If you wish you may attach your resumé.

cc: Sup. DIST IV

Kathleen Oleson, Public Works



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## **Richard Spatz     Application for Aviation Advisory Committee**

### **Personal Experiences, Skills and Interests**

#### **Education/Background:**

1965 - Graduated from Miramonte High School.

1965 -1967 Contra Costa College - Associate of Science degree in auto mechanics.

Early to mid 1970's - Diablo Valley College - Associates of Arts degree.  
Studied Administration of Justice and Horticulture.

#### **Occupation/Employer:**

1969 to 1975 Managed King Nursery in Moraga.

1975 to 1982 Employed by East Bay Municipal Utility District as a landscape gardener.

1982 to 2003 Employed by East Bay Municipal District as a heavy equipment mechanic.

January 5, 2003 Retired from East Bay Municipal Utility District after 28 years.

#### **Community Activities:**

1970's: Member of Walnut Creek Junior Chamber of Commerce.

1972-1975: Served as a reserve officer for the Walnut Creek Police Department.

1997 to present: Attend Mt. Diablo Unitarian Universalist Church, and active on the Building and Grounds Committee.

2004-2005: Served on the Contra Costa County Civil Grand Jury.

2008: Member of the Community-Buchanan Airport Partnership.

**Richard Spatz**

**Application for Aviation Advisory Committee continued:**

**Special Interest:**

I am very interested in aviation. I am one of those people who look up when an airplane is flying over, and have enjoyed attending numerous air shows throughout the state during the last three decades. I am fascinated by the subject of aviation and spend considerable amount of time reading articles in magazines and newspapers as well as researching information about planes online.

Every time I fly, I learn more and more about aviation. Starting as a child going to the Oakland airport to see my father off on his business trips in the 1950's, to my experiences flying on a DC-3 during training for my Antarctica mission, flying to Antarctica on a C-130, within Antarctica by helicopter, and my return flight to the US on a Lockheed Super Constellation. They have all been exciting experiences, and I have taken advantage of opportunities to fly in a variety of aircraft including twin engine planes, seaplanes, and county sheriff helicopter around the bay area, delta and Napa Valley.

My most recent fantasy to come true was to take a flight on the Zeppelin, Airship Ventures newest airship, sightseeing around the San Francisco Bay Area just last week.

I have attended most of the monthly Aviation Advisory Committee meetings for the past three years. It is great to live in an area where its residents (if they choose) can learn about the airport. I do not own an airplane, nor do I have a pilot's license, but I am always looking for new adventures.

I have an interest in the continued existence and promotion of Buchanan Field and would like to see the community become more involved and learn about their local airport, which I believe would encourage community support of the airport. I would like to see the airport promoted through educational and enrichment opportunities made available to the public through activities such as an airport open house, aviation exhibits, demonstrations and school / senior group tours etc.

