

Richmond Southeast Shoreline Area Community Advisory

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

May 1, 2023

To: Michael Kent
County Hazardous Materials Ombudsman
Contra Costa County Hazardous Materials Commission

Re: Nomination of Jamin Pursell to the Contra Costa County Hazardous Materials Commission by the Richmond Southeast Shoreline Area Community Advisory Group executive committee

Greetings Mr. Kent.

The Richmond Southeast Shoreline Area Community Advisory Group (CAG) executive committee is pleased to nominate Jamin Pursell to the Environmental Organization Seat of the Contra Costa County Hazardous Materials Commission.

Jamin participates in the Richmond Southeast Shoreline Area (RSSA) Community Advisory Group (CAG) meetings with DTSC and other stakeholders regarding the plans for the proper and comprehensive cleanup of the Zeneca-Stauffer research and industrial plant site on the Richmond shoreline. This site is one of the most hazardous and complex waste sites in California, as it impacts the broader community via high volumes of hazardous waste, as well as dispersal and leakage to surrounding properties and public spaces. He also is the co-chair of the Richmond Shoreline Alliance and on the Sierra Club West Contra Costa Group Exec Committee.

We strongly support this nomination as we know Jamin will be a great asset to the community and environment on the County Hazardous Materials Commission.

Sincerely,

(electronic signature)

Maggie Lazar
Chair
Richmond Southeast Shoreline Area Community Advisory Group

CAG Mission Statement

Our purpose is to ensure that the interests of the entire community are included in plans for the proper and comprehensive cleanup and ongoing monitoring of polluted sites in the Richmond Southeast Shoreline Area. The CAG's job is to involve all stakeholders in a public, inclusive process leading to an appropriate clean up of polluted sites in this area.