



Contra
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County

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Gayle B. Uilkema, District II Supervisor
Date: January 25, 2011

Subject: REAPPOINTMENT TO THE WESTERN CONTRA COSTA TRANSIT AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

RECOMMENDATION(S):

REAPPOINT the following people to the following seats of the Western Contra Costa Transit Authority Board of Directors for a two-year term with an expiration date of December 31, 2012:

Rodeo Member Alternate
Tricia Robles
P.O. Box 447
Rodeo, CA 94572

San Pablo Member
Maureen K. Powers
2771 Sargent Avenue
San Pablo, CA 94806

FISCAL IMPACT:

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **01/25/2011** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I
Supervisor
Gayle B. Uilkema, District II
Supervisor
Mary N. Piepho, District III
Supervisor
Karen Mitchoff, District IV
Supervisor
Federal D. Glover, District V
Supervisor

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

ATTESTED: January 25, 2011

David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: KATHERINE SINCLAIR, Deputy

Contact: Jill Ray,
925-335-1046

None.

BACKGROUND:

The Western Contra Costa County Transit (WCCTA) was established in August 1977 as a Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement between the County of Contra Costa and the cities of Hercules and Pinole. The agency was created with the purpose of owning, operating and administering a public transportation system serving the area between the Richmond/El Sobrante border to the west and the Al Zampa Memorial bridge to the east. WCCTA is governed by a 7-member Board of Directors and supported by professional staff. The two cities of Pinole and Hercules are each represented by two members, while the unincorporated communities of Crockett, Rodeo, and MonTaraBay each have one representative, appointed by the Contra Costa Board of Supervisors. Terms are two years in length.

The WCCTA service area comprises just over 20 square miles of West Contra Costa County, including the cities of Pinole and Hercules and the unincorporated areas of Montalvin Manor, Bayview, Tara Hills, Rodeo, Crockett, and Port Costa. The area is bounded to the north by the Carquinez Strait, the city limits of Pinole and Hercules to the east, the Richmond city border to the south, and by San Pablo Bay to the west. In addition, WestCAT operates regional service between Martinez and the Hercules Transit Center, transbay service between the Hercules Transit Center and the San Francisco Transbay Terminal, and regional service between the Hercules Transit Center and Contra Costa College. Currently, population in the WCCTA service area is approximately 62,000 inhabitants.

Ms. Robles and Ms. Powers have done an excellent job as Board Members and Supervisor Uilkema would like to reappoint them for another two year term.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

The seats will be unfilled.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

None.