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CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Date: December 13, 2006

A. MOTION: IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE LANE COUNTY COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES ADVISORY BOARD

VACANCIES: 4

B. The Membership Committee of the Lane County Commission on Children and Families has reviewed attached applications.

RECOMMENDATIONS

TERM EXPIRATION

Taylor Woods (Youth)
Sharri da Silva
Chuck Boyer
Debi Farr

6/30/2010
6/30/2010
6/30/2010
6/30/2010

C. TOTAL MEMBERSHIP: 17 NO. OF APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED: 9

ADVERTISING PERIOD: 1/14/05 & 4/19/06 TO: 2/14/05 & 5/17/06 TERMS: 4 YEARS

MANDATED COMMITTEE: YES

STAFF LIAISON: Alicia Hays, Children & Families

PHONE: 682-7492

COMMITTEE CHARGE:

In 1993, the State Legislature adopted HB 2004 and directed the creation of local Commissions on Children and Families in all 36 counties throughout the state, charging the commissions with responsibility for system-wide strategic planning and implementation of a wellness model for children and families.

The purpose of the Commission on Children and Families is to promote and enhance a responsive, accessible system of supports that promotes wellness for all of Lane County's children, youth, and families. The four major goals of the Commission are to create a wellness system for children and youth, create and encourage collaborative partnerships, establish structured community planning and decision making processes, and maintain a framework of accountability. The Commission advises the Board of County Commissioners on critical issues and services affecting Lane County's children, youth and families and serves as a local planning body for the Oregon Commission on Children and Families.

D. BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS:

Pursuant to HB 2004, a majority of members, plus the chair of local commissions, must be laypersons. According to ORS 417.760 (1) (a) the membership of local commissions shall include a Chairperson and a minimum of eight members, and reflect the county's diverse populations [ORS 417.765 (1).]

The Membership Committee has interviewed candidates and has a total of 3 adults and 1 youth candidates selected, all of which are representative of our community.

E. ATTACHMENTS

1. BOARD ORDER
2. CURRENT MEMBERSHIP & TERM EXPIRATION DATES
3. APPLICATIONS

IN THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LANE COUNTY OREGON

ORDER NO. 06

) **IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE**
) **LANE COUNTY COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND**
) **FAMILIES ADVISORY BOARD**

WHEREAS, the Lane County Commission on Children and Families Advisory Board has four (4) vacancies created by departing members; and

WHEREAS, the vacancies were duly advertised, applications reviewed, and interviews conducted;

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the following individuals be appointed to serve on the Lane County Commission on Children and Families Advisory Board as listed below:

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>	<u>TERM & EXPIRATION</u>
Taylor Woods (Youth)	6/30/2010
Sharri da Silva	6/30/2010
Chuck Boyer	6/30/2010
Debi Farr	6/30/2010

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2006.

Bill Dwyer, Chair
Board of County Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM
Date 12/5/06 lane county

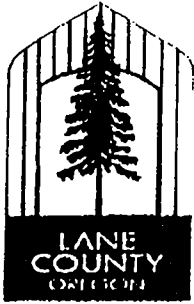
OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL

Lane County Commission on Children and Families

ATTACHMENT 2

LastName	FirstName	Appt. Date	Expires
Abel	Bruce	5/12/1999	6/30/2007
Depew	Debra	1/29/2003	6/30/2009
Green	Bobby	7/18/1996	6/30/2008
Hamilton	Karen	3/20/2002	6/30/2008
Hampton	Judith	12/10/2003	6/30/2008
Jerome	Rob	12/10/2003	6/30/2008
Jones	Angel	6/30/2004	6/30/2008
Larson	Megan	6/16/2004	6/30/2008
Piercy	Kitty	9/2/1997	6/30/2008
Radich	John	1/29/2003	6/30/2008
Schulz	Joachim	3/20/2002	6/30/2007
Stewart	Faye	1/3/2005	6/30/2009
Swank	Shirley	6/30/2004	6/30/2008
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ATTACHMENT 3

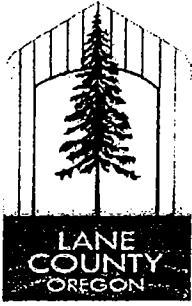


Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: <i>Taylor Woods, Eugene</i>	DATE: <i>12.16.04</i>
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: <i>Lane County Commission on Children and Families</i>	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)
My primary experience with working with kids is when I worked as a counselor in training this past summer at the YMCA. I worked for 5 weeks with kids ages 7-10.
2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?
I moved to Lane County seven and a half years ago and this opportunity would give me the chance to learn about some of the issues + concerns facing Lane County, especially with its families.
3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
The concerns that I would like to see addressed are programs that ~~keep~~ ^{keep} kids safe, programs that help parents be better parents and access to recreation for kids.
4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)
I have had no past involvement with relevant community groups.
5. Lane County is committed to reflecting diverse cultures on its boards/committees and does not discriminate against any person on the basis of gender, race, color, national origin, religion, disability, or age in employment or in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services, and activities. If selected, how would you contribute to this effort?
I think that I could offer a unique point of view because I am African-American and one of the few black students in my school.
6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
No, I am not serving on any advisory boards or committees.
7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)
 No Yes Specify: *my mother is the office manager for a law firm in Eugene. Lane County is a client of that firm. (maybe)*
8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:
I am acquainted with the Jerome family.
9. In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one:
 Unsure West Lane County Springfield South Eugene North Eugene East Lane County

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Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: Sharri A. da Silva, Eugene	DATE: April 4, 2006
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Commission on Children and Families	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)

Please see attached.

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?

Please see attached.

3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.

Please see attached.

4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)

Please see attached.

5. Lane County is committed to reflecting diverse cultures on its boards/committees and does not discriminate against any person on the basis of gender, race, color, national origin, religion, disability, or age in employment or in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services, and activities. If selected, how would you contribute to this effort?

Please see attached.

6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?

Please see attached.

7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

No Yes Specify: Executive Director of Programs, Relief Nursery, Inc.

8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:

9. In which County Commissioner District do you reside? please check one:

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Lane County Citizen Advisory Committee Application

Sharri A. da Silva
Commission on Children and Families

1. ***Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)*** I have a Master's Degree in Counseling Psychology and over 19 years experience working with parents and children. With my combined education and experience in counseling psychology and early childhood education, I have a unique combination of skills to add to the Commission team. I have participated on many advisory groups and steering committees on a national, state and local level. I have been Chair of the Lane County Early Childhood Planning Team since 2001. Please see my resume for additional details related to my experience and qualifications.
2. ***Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?*** I have spent most of my professional life working with children and their families. For many years, I have volunteered my time serving on a variety of committees and boards on both a national and state level. I am passionate about, and devoted to, making a difference in the quality of life for children and families in Lane County. As Chair of the Lane County Early Childhood Planning Team, I will assist in keeping the Commission informed of the work of the Planning Team and take the direction of the Commission back to Planning Team meetings. My broad variety of professional experience, working with children and families as well as with policy-makers, will allow me to bring a unique perspective to my work as a member of the Commission on Children and Families. I believe that the Commission on Children and Families can make a positive difference in our community and I would like to take an active, countywide leadership role as a member of the Commission to contribute to that effort!
3. ***List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.*** Community concerns and service gaps that I would like to see addressed by the Commission include: services to mono-lingual Spanish-speaking children and their families; services to teen parents; infant & young child mental health services; constructive activities for youth; youth homelessness; teenage alcohol use; supporting early childhood literacy development and entry to school ready to learn; and issues related to methamphetamine usage. Note: Many of these issues and service gaps have been identified as Priorities in the Lane County Early Childhood Plan.

4. ***Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups.*** As you can see reflected on the final page of my resume, I have a 21 year history of volunteer involvement on community committees and boards. Currently, on a local level I am Chair of the Lane County Early Childhood Planning Team and a member of the Healthy Start Community Advisory Board. I am also actively involved on a variety of committees and boards on both the state and national level.

5. ***Lane County is committed to reflecting diverse cultures on its boards/committees and does not discriminate against any person on the basis of gender, race, color, national origin, religion, disability, or age in employment or in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services, and activities. If selected, how would you contribute to this effort?*** Honoring diversity in all of its guises is a personal and professional passion for me. Personally, my extended family reflects this value as seen by the diversity in family members' race, color, national origin, religion, and sexual orientation. An example in my immediate family would be that my husband is a black Brazilian, my youngest daughter is of mixed race and culture, and my 17 year old came from an inner-city black American family. Professionally, I have spent the last 6 years actively encouraging an increase in the availability of a full array of services available to the mono-lingual Spanish-speaking community in Lane County. I believe that with this passion, personal and professional experience I have a strong knowledge base and skill set to contribute to the efforts of the Commission in this area.

6. ***Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?*** I currently serve on the: Family Support & Connections Steering Committee (State level); Healthy Families America Credentialing Panel (National level); Lane County Early Childhood Planning Team (Local level); Prevent Child Abuse America Peer Reviewer (National level); and the Lane County Healthy Start Community Advisory Board (Local level).

Sharri A. da Silva

Eugene, OR 97402

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

1987 M.S. Counseling Psychology, University of Oregon
1983 B.S. Psychology, University of Oregon

EXPERIENCE

1998 - **RELIEF NURSERY, INC.**
2005- Executive Director of Programs
2004-2005 Director of Programs
2002-2004 Program Director
1998-2002 Program Manager

- Direct and manage a comprehensive service delivery system and coordinate Nursery activities; monitor operations for effectiveness and efficiency
- Assess effectiveness of all program operations, policies and procedures
- Personnel development, training and supervision
- Develop new programs and service provision strategies
- Recruit, select, hire, orient, train, supervise, evaluate, discipline and when necessary terminate, all program staff
- Community networking and outreach including attendance at state and community meetings including: Early Intervention SOC; Early Childhood Planning Team; SB 555 Coordinated Workgroup; Healthy Start CAB and Coordinating Team; Community Mental Health Consortium; Lane Commission on Children and Families; Healthy Start State Leaders Board; and Association of Relief Nursery Directors
- Participate in community organizations to increase resources for Relief Nursery
- Present information, verbally and in writing, about environmental risk, child abuse, and the Relief Nursery programs to community members, local, state, and federal officials, and other community service providers
- Provide assistance to staff in crisis and in emergency situations
- Provide direct supervision to Program Director, Program Supervisors and key program staff
- Oversee and ensure the timely assessment of children participating in Relief Nursery programs
- Ensure coordination of referrals and transitions from the program

- Maintain knowledge of best practice in the areas of service provision, intervention with environmentally at-risk and abusive families, assessment, intervention and evaluation of children and families
- Maintain standards required by certifying agencies
- Plan and implement the Relief Nursery goals and objectives
- Ensure program components are compatible with Agency philosophy
- Maintain placement opportunities and supervision for graduate students
- Develop and monitor budget for all programs
- Write program narrative for grant applications and reports; review and approve grant applications

1995 - 1998 WORLD CLASS DAY CARE

Owner/Director

- Interviewed, hired and fired employees
- Accounting and payroll records and bookkeeping
- Training and supervision of new employees
- Federal and State reports and file management
- Maintenance of student and employee records
- Scheduling of employee and student hours
- Coordination of services with other agencies

1990 - 1996 LOOKING GLASS COUNSELING CENTER

Therapist II

- Team Leader for Teen Parent Program
- Coordinator Pregnant and Parenting Teen Services
- Coordination of services between agencies
- Child and Family Therapy
- Play Therapy
- Community Presentations
- Individual and Marriage/Couple Counseling

1987 - 1997 PRIVATE PRACTICE

Counselor

- Parent Education/Family Counseling
- Marriage/Relationship Counseling
- Work with individuals, families, and groups
- Work with individuals from a variety of cultures

1986 - 1990 LANE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Financial Aid Counselor/Administrator

- Provided counseling and guidance to students, parents, college staff, and the community regarding financial aid
- Responsible for the interpretation and administration of all federal, state, and institutional rules and regulations governing financial aid programs
- Developed and implemented procedures to evaluate the accuracy of the system and the data being used to determine student financial need
- Provided referrals to appropriate campus and community agencies for assistance in addressing personal, academic or financial concerns
- Coordinated and monitored funding from outside agencies, and approved disbursement of these funds according to the unique specifications for each funding source
- Assisted in developing and implementing policies and procedures that ensured consistency and equity in the delivery of financial aid funds
- Participated actively in professional organizations at the federal, regional, state, and local levels
- Supervised subordinate and Work Study personnel
- Involved in interviewing and hiring personnel
- Facilitated large public speaking workshops and group advising sessions on a regular basis

1981 - 1983 FIRST INTERSTATE BANK

Personnel Trainer

- In-depth one-on-one training with employees who were having personnel problems as a last ditch effort to retain them before termination procedures were instituted
- Provided counseling on personal and work related problems as they became apparent in the training process
- Provided computer training statewide to all bank personnel to facilitate computer conversion
- Involved in interviewing, hiring, and terminating employees
- Performed auditing functions

COMMITTEES AND BOARDS

- Family Support & Connections Steering Committee 2006-
- Credentialing Panel Member for Healthy Families America 2005-
- Technical Assistance to Oregon Commission On Children and Families – Healthy Start Credentialing 2004-2006
- Healthy Start Quality Assurance Committee 2003-2004
- Community Mental Health Consortium 2000-2005
- Chair of Lane County Early Childhood Planning Team 2001-
- National Peer Reviewer for Prevent Child Abuse America 2001-
- Together For Children Advisory Board 2000
- Healthy Start Community Advisory Board 1998-1994-95
- Healthy Start Coordinating Team 1998-2005
- Child Advocacy Task Force Planning 1993-1994
- Y.D.C. Pregnant/Parenting Teen S.A.C. 1993-1996
- Florence Area Parent Advisory Board 1990-1991
- Welfare Reform Task Force Member 1989-1990
- Peer Support Group Trainer 1985
- Stress Reduction Workshop Trainer 1985



Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: <i>CHUCK DOVER EUGENE</i>	DATE: <i>5-6-06</i>
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: <i>COMMISSION ON CHILDREN & FAMILIES</i>	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

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RESUME ATTACHED

2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make?
COMMUNITY SERVICE IS IMPORTANT TO ME. I WOULD HOPE TO CONTRIBUTE POSITIVELY TO BOTH DIALOGUE AND DECISION PROCESSES.

3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.

COMMUNITY SAFETY, SAFE CHILDREN, HEALTHY FAMILIES, METH PREVENTION & TREATMENT, EDUCATION

4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)

NO SPECIFIC EXPERIENCE.

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CONSISTENT REVIEW OF THIS GOAL AND HOW IT'S BEING ACHIEVED. ADVOCACY FOR DIVERSITY

6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?

NO

7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)

No Yes Specify:

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Charles R. Boyer

Eugene, Oregon 97403

Phone -

e-mail -

QUALIFICATIONS Twenty five plus years of supervisory experience including public service, schools, not-for-profit corporations and personal/private enterprise. Formal education in organizational design and development. Experience in direct service, program management, human resources, public relations, marketing, grant writing, policy development & budget and contract administration.

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATION BS Degree in Organizational Behavior - University of San Francisco - California Teaching Credential - Secondary & Vocational Application, California Lutheran College, Thousand Oaks, California

EXPERIENCE

CASA PROGRAMS SPECIALIST

Oregon Commission on Children & Families
Salem, Oregon

Provide program consultation to Oregon's thirty-two CASA programs. Duties include: program development; technical assistance; development and maintenance of multi-faceted resource library for CASA programs; etc. Services provided via telephone, e-communication and on-site visits.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

CASA of Lane County
Eugene, Oregon

Administration of non-for-profit, human service agency providing advocacy for abused and neglected children. Duties included grant writing; interagency and court relations; legislative activity; public relations; staff and volunteer training & supervision; etc.

COORDINATOR

Oregon Judicial Department - Citizen's Review Board
Jackson, Josephine, Klamath & Lake Counties

Coordinate efforts of volunteer boards that review cases held by the State Child Welfare Office. Duties included recruitment and training of board members; preparation of reports for local juvenile courts; working with families and various local and state child welfare agencies.

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Oregon Community Support, Inc.
Eugene, Salem, Corvallis & Springfield, Oregon

Administration of private, not-for-profit corporation serving developmentally disabled clients. Duties included supervision and administration of over 200 employees; contracts & budget administration; etc.

PROGRAM SUPERVISOR

Santa Barbara County Schools – Environmental Education Program
Santa Barbara, California

Supervision of experiential, residential education program serving over 3,000 participants annually. Duties included staff & student supervision; program/curriculum design & delivery; community education programs; grant writing; public relations; etc.

PSYCHIATRIC NURSE

Camarillo Development Center
Camarillo, California

Therapeutic and medical nurse for developmentally disabled, mentally ill and geriatric clients. Duties included physical nursing, group and individual therapy, etc.

RELEVANT COMPUTER SKILLS

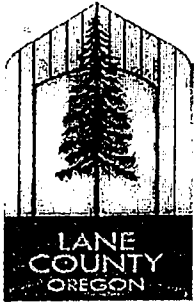
Microsoft Office Software

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

ARC of Lane County, Board of Directors

CASA of Lane County

University of Oregon, Museum of Natural & Cultural History



Lane County
CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: <i>Rep. Debi Farr, Eugene</i>	DATE: <i>May 15, 2006</i>
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: <i>Comm. on Children + Families</i>	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.)
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3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.)
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6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)
 No Yes Specify:
8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:
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Application for Lane County Commission on Children and Families

- 1.) I am currently the State Representative from District 14. As a Legislator I have focused my attention on the success of the families in my district by serving on the House Education Committee, the Veterans Affairs Committee and the Health and Human Services sub-committee on Child Welfare.
- 2.) I care deeply about the community I serve, and have worked as a leader bringing people together and helping others locally for twenty five years. I would like to continue this mission.
- 3.) My goal is to help families succeed by addressing the issues of poverty, hunger and unemployment. I strongly believe in prevention programs such as: Healthy Start, Birth To Three, and HeadStart.
- 4.) I am a member of the Oregon Commission for Childcare advocating for quality and affordable childcare. I have worked with Girl Scouts, The American Heart Association and the Oregon Junior Miss Scholarship program.
- 5.) I don't believe in discrimination of any kind. I want to help all families succeed.
- 6.) I am serving on the interim task force on Child Welfare, Veterans Affairs, and HeadStart. I also serve on The Oregon Commission for Childcare, and the Success By Six leadership team. I recently chaired the sub-committee of the House Business, Labor and Consumer Affairs Committee on Pay Day Loans and was successful in passing legislation during the special session that provided safeguards for consumers.
- 7.) My husband is the executive director for Food For Lane County. They are a private not for profit (501C3) agency.
- 8.) I learned of this position from Alicia Hays, a fellow member of the Success By Six Leadership team.
- 9.) My county commissioner district is North Eugene.



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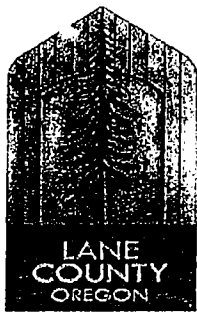
APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: Abigail Fender Eugene	DATE: April -20-2004
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Commission on children and families	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.) *I believe my life has been experience for this committee. Because of my own struggles with my family life, and my experiences with childhood and youth, I am very interested in helping improve all I can for youth and their families.*
2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make? *I think youth today face more problems than ever. As society complicates itself, the conditions and action in our lives can get extremely overwhelming. I want to help make decisions to give youth a chance to have the opportunities to help their futures, families, and their minds and well-being.*
3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed.
 - Economic conditions and support
 - Support systems/positive Re-enforcements
 - More educational opportunities
 - educating parents and parental support
 - psychological support
 - More assistance to homeless youth and families.
4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.) *I volunteered at the Ymca day care centers in my child psychology class.*
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6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
I am not currently serving on any advisory boards or committees.
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APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: <i>Ryan Stroup, Springfield</i>	DATE: <i>5-17-2006</i>
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6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
No!
7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)
 No Yes Specify:
8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:
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1. Experience and training that qualify me for this position include challenges that I faced as the son of a methamphetamine addicted family, my experiences with domestic violence, past encounters with welfare and family services, and homelessness when a child. I have received Associate's Degrees in Liberal Arts, and Electronics. I have been a member of the Air Force Reserves since December of 2003 as an Aircraft Electrician, and will graduate from the University of Oregon in September 2006 with a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science with a focus on human rights.
2. I would like to become a member of this committee because I want to give back to the community for the assistance that myself and my family have received in the past. As a member of the committee, I would provide valuable insight about the impact of addiction and domestic violence on families and the challenges that people face when trying to receive help.
3. As a member of the committee, I would work to educate children about the positive and negative impacts of their decisions. Additionally, I would advocate for expanded services and assistance for children in need. Specific issues of concern include the availability of mental health services, resources for homeless and substance using youth, and assistance for victims of domestic violence.
4. My past community involvement includes working as a program manager for the Willamette Lane Park and recreation District. In this position, I was a point person for dealing with rowdy and unruly youth and oversaw lifeguards, assisted with community Easter egg hunts, and general tasks as directed.
5. I would have the ability to speak from the position of an impoverished youth that dealt with domestic violence and drug addiction. My voice I feel would be best received as a voice that has overcome odds and have become successful despite the obstacles of my past.



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Lane County CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPLICATION

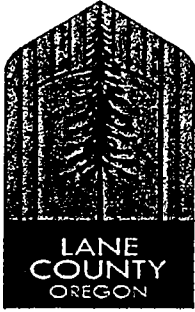
APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: <i>Dannielle Fields / Springfield</i>	DATE: <i>1/17/05</i>
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: <i>Lane County Commission of Children and Families</i>	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.) *I year internship w/ Springfield Marcola family resource centers. ongoing*
2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make? *I want to be a member to have the opportunity to positively impact the community I live in. I want to contribute youth representation*
3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed. *I would like to address the homeless, runaway youth concern as well as focusing on rounding myself in other areas of the committee.*
4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.) *See 1*
5. Lane County is committed to reflecting diverse cultures on its boards/committees and does not discriminate against any person on the basis of gender, race, color, national origin, religion, disability, or age in employment or in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services, and activities.
6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones?
NO.
7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)
 No Yes Specify:
8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other: *Reffered by James Mattiace.*
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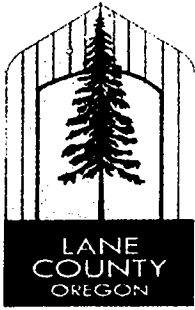
APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: Erik Johnson Cottage Grove, OR	DATE: 2/2/05
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Commission on Children and Families	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

1. Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.) As a High School Sophomore, I have completed over 60 hours of Community Service time, and have worked extensively with groups especially in my work with the American Cancer Society. I don't have very much experience dealing with the specific matters addressed by this Council.
2. Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make? On the matter of children and families, I am perhaps most concerned with the issues of the former, as I feel that so much of a person's life is defined by the quality of their youthful years. Supporting them is of great importance to me.
3. List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed. Specific community issues that I feel are important to address are primarily those related to hunger in Lane County, drug and alcohol use associated with teenagers and positive youth development programs, and child abuse/domestic violence. Programs focused on these matters are of primary concern to me.
4. Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.) Last year I headed the formation of a youth team for the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life Event. I continue working with the ACS. Also I have been most recently involved in a Youth Advisory Council for Cottage Grove, and in school I am a member of the Student Council.
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6. Are you currently serving on any Advisory Boards or Committees? If so, which ones? As I mentioned previously, I am involved in my town's Youth Advisory Board, committees affiliated with the American Cancer Society, and school Student Government.
7. Are you employed by, have any business, contractual arrangements or family connections with programs having contractual agreements with the County or that might be within the purview of the committee on which you are seeking appointment? (If there is a change in your circumstances, please advise the staff for the committee within 30 days.)
 No Yes Specify:
8. How did you learn about this vacancy? Newspaper Word of mouth Other:
I received information about the vacancy during a youth Advisory Council meeting with the Cottage Grove City Manager Richard Meyers.
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APPLICANT'S NAME AND CITY: <i>Adrian Jacobson - Springfield</i>	DATE: <i>1/23/06</i>
NAME OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE: <i>Commission for Children & Families</i>	PLEASE CHECK ONE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Reappointment

- Give a brief description of the experience or training that qualifies you for membership on this advisory committee (If you wish, you may attach a resume or other pertinent material.) *I've grown up in a broken family, so I can relate to some kids, whereas most people can't.*
- Why do you want to become a member of this committee, and what specific contributions do you hope to make? *Since I've been bullied and made fun of almost my entire life, I hope to put some kind of stop to bullying in school.*
- List the community concerns related to this committee that you would like to see addressed if you are appointed. *I just want to see bullying be a bygone.*
- Briefly describe your present or past involvement in relevant community groups. (Having no previous involvement will not disqualify you for appointment.) *N/A*
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