



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.

C-5

For the meeting of: January 14, 2014

Date: January 8, 2014
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Mark Lovelace and Supervisor Rex Bohn
Subject: Consider Making Appointment to fill At-Large Vacancy on the Forestry Review Committee.

RECOMMENDATION(S): That the Board of Supervisors appoint William E. Kleiner to the vacant At-Large seat on the Forestry Review Committee.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: Per California Government Code Sections 50262, 50264 and 50265 and Humboldt County Ordinance Nos. 354, 2168, 1711, 764, and 523, the Board of Supervisors is the appointing authority for the Forestry Review Committee. An At-Large vacancy currently exists on the Forestry Review Committee and William E. Kleiner is being recommended to fill the seat. Mr. Kleiner's professional expertise in the areas of forest management and forest-related practices make him an excellent candidate to fill the seat. Appointments are four-year terms expiring on June 30th of the fourth year.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Forestry Review Committee Roster and William Kleiner's Application & Resume.

Signature [Handwritten Signature]
Signature [Handwritten Signature]

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

REVIEW: Auditor County Counsel Personnel Risk Manager Other

TYPE OF ITEM:
[X] Consent
Departmental
Public Hearing
Other

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.

Meeting of:

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
Upon motion of Supervisor Bass Seconded by Supervisor Fennell
Ayes Sundberg, Lovelace, Bohn, Fennell, Bass
Nays
Abstain
Absent

and carried by those members present, the Board hereby approves the recommended action contained in this Board report.

Dated: Jan. 14, 2014
By: [Handwritten Signature]
Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board

**FORESTRY REVIEW COMMITTEE**

**AUTHORITY:** Established by Board Order on December 29, 1952  
Reestablished on December 2, 1958 by Ordinance No. 354  
Ordinances 2168, 1711, 764, and 523

**APPOINTING POWER:** Board of Supervisors

**MEMBERS:** Nine (7 voting--2 non-voting) (not necessary to live in district)

If possible, one voting member should be from the California Department of Forestry, and one voting member should be from the University of California Extension Forest Advisor's Office.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Registered professional foresters (RPF) in good standing working in Humboldt County. An RPF in good standing is an individual who holds a current license issued by the Board of Forestry, and who does not have a currently outstanding licensing action issued by the Board of Forestry.

**TERM:** Four (4) Years (expire on 6/30 of the 4<sup>th</sup> year)

**FUNCTION:** Technical forest-related matters of concern to Humboldt County; and recommendations regarding matters to the Board of Supervisors and the Planning Commission

<u>NAME</u>	<u>APPOINTED</u>	<u>REAPPOINTED</u>	<u>EXPIRES</u>
<b><u>District 1</u></b> <b>CHARLES CIANCIO</b> PO Box 172 Cutten, Ca. 95534 445-2179	1/22/13		6/30/16
<b><u>District 2</u></b> <b>BENJAMIN HAWK</b> RPF Forester 39960 Alderpoint Road Blocksburg, CA 95514 777-1790 <a href="mailto:bhawk@hrcllc.com">bhawk@hrcllc.com</a>	12/16/08	01/15/13	6/30/16
<b><u>District 3</u></b> <b>MARK ANDRE</b> 2246 Western Avenue Arcata, CA 95521 822-8184, Ext. 191 (w) 822-8542 (h) <a href="mailto:mandre@arcatacityhall.org">mandre@arcatacityhall.org</a>	6/14/94	5/23/06 6/25/02 8/18/98 12/14/10	6/30/14
<b><u>District 4</u></b> <b>JAMES ABLE</b> 1410 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street Eureka, CA 95501 445-4130(w) 826-0452 (h) <a href="mailto:jable@able-Forestry.com">jable@able-Forestry.com</a>	6/28/88	6/22/04 8/22/00 7/02/96 12/14/10 (	6/30/14

<u>NAME</u>	<u>APPOINTED</u>	<u>REAPPOINTED</u>	<u>EXPIRES</u>
<b>District 5</b>			
<b>GARY RYNEARSON</b> Green Diamond Resource Co. PO Box 68 Korbel, CA. 95550 668-4483 (w) 839-4780 (h) <a href="mailto:grynearson@greendiamond.com">grynearson@greendiamond.com</a>	06/26/90	10/19/10 06/27/06 06/25/02 08/18/98 06/14/94	6/30/14
<b>At-Large</b>			
<b>YANA VALACHOVIC</b> County Forest Advisor UC Cooperative Extension 5630 South Broadway Eureka, Ca. 95503 (707) 445-7351 <a href="mailto:yvala@ucdavis.edu">yvala@ucdavis.edu</a>	6/27/06	12/14/10	6/30/14
<b>CHRISTOPHER CARROLL</b> Timberland Resource Consultants 165 South Fortuna Boulevard Fortuna, CA 95540 725-1897 <a href="mailto:carroll@timberlandresource.com">carroll@timberlandresource.com</a>	3/28/00	6/27/06 6/25/02 12/14/10	6/30/14
<b>JAMES M. ROBBINS</b> Fortuna Resource Management CalFire – Humboldt/Del Norte Unit 118 Fortuna CA 95540 Office: 707-726-1251 Cell: 707- 599-6435	01/07/2014		6/30/17

**VACANT**

**Ex Officio (2)**

**Director of Planning & Building**

**KEVIN HAMBLIN** 11/13/12  
(or designee)  
3015 "H" St.  
Eureka, CA 95501  
268-3735  
[khamblin@co.humboldt.ca.us](mailto:khamblin@co.humboldt.ca.us)

**County Assessor**

**MARI A. WILSON**

01/01/11

(or designee)

825 5th St.

Eureka, CA 95501

476-2337

[mwilson@co.humboldt.ca.us](mailto:mwilson@co.humboldt.ca.us)

Contact: Trevor Estlow, Senior Planner, County of Humboldt Planning Division, 3015 H. Street,  
phone: (707) 268-3740, fax: (707) 268-3792, [ttestlow@co.humboldt.ca.us](mailto:ttestlow@co.humboldt.ca.us)



CLERK OF THE BOARD DIVISION  
OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' OFFICE

## COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

825 FIFTH STREET  
EUREKA, CALIF. 95501-1153

PHONE (707) 476-2384; 445-7299 (FAX)

### APPLICATION TO SERVE ON THE HUMBOLDT COUNTY FORESTRY REVIEW COMMITTEE

(QUALIFICATIONS) Registered professional foresters (RPF) in good standing working in Humboldt County. An RPF in good standing is an individual who holds a current license issued by the Board of Forestry, and who does not have a currently outstanding licensing action issued by the Board of Forestry.

APPLICANT NAME: William E. Kleiner  
MAILING ADDRESS: PO Box 1136 Residence: 1960 Bartow Road  
Arcata, CA.95518 McKinleyville, CA  
95519  
TELEPHONE: Home: (707) 498-8532 Work: (707) 822-3628 Fax: (707) 822-1923  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: wtswek@suddenlinkmail.com  
OCCUPATION: Consultant Forestry & Land Use

PERSONAL REFERENCES:

(1) Katherine Ziemer, HCFB PHONE: (707) 443-4844  
(2) Joseph Russ, IV PHONE: (707) 786-9239

PRIOR ADVISORY BOARD OR BOARD OF DIRECTORS EXPERIENCE? NOXXXX YES

PLEASE WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT DESCRIBING WHY YOU'RE INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE FORESTRY REVIEW COMMITTEE.

I believe I can provide professional expertise and advice that will serve the people and lands/resources of Humboldt County. My over 40 years of experience across many areas of the western U.S. and abroad provide a wide breath of experience and observations.

PLEASE ATTACH A CURRENT RESUME. See attached Resume/Qualifications.

DATE: 12/31/13 SIGNATURE: *William E. Kleiner*

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct

SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION TO:  
HUMBOLDT COUNTY FORESTRY REVIEW COMMITTEE, Clerk of the Board, 825 Fifth Street,  
Suite 111, Eureka, CA 95501-1153.

DATE TO SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_ DATE APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ NOT APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_  
12/23/2013

## WILLIAM E. KLEINER

### SUMMARY STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Position:** President, Western Timber Services, Inc.  
President, Humboldt Engineering Co., Inc.  
President Kleiner Farms, Inc. (Illinois)  
Consulting Forester, Timber Appraiser, Timber and Resource Land Advisor,  
Timber and Agricultural Land Manager
- Education:**
- 2012 NRCS-CAL FIRE Cooperative Forest Management Plan
  - 2010 Certified as Tree Farm Inspector
  - 1992 Evaluated and accepted by California Department of Fish and Game as to ability to perform Marbled Murrelet Surveys as per the Pacific Seabird Group protocol dated May 12, 1992.
  - 1991 Completed California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection's Archaeological Training for RPF's course of instruction (Refresher Course 1996, 2001, 2006 & 2011).  
Successfully completed California Department of Fish and Game Marbled Murrelet Survey Training Course instructed and tested by the U.S.F.S. Pacific Southwest Forest and Range Experiment Station, Redwood Sciences Laboratory.
  - 1989 Completed Timberland Valuation Seminar by the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers.
  - 1988 Completed California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection Archeology course of instruction (updated 1993, 1999, 2005).
  - 1987 Completed Association of Consulting Foresters Practicing Foresters Institute, Reno, Nevada.  
Completed course and passed examination for course 1A-2 of the American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers.
  - 1986 Completed course and passed examination for course 1A-1 of the American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers.
  - 1983 Applied and passed California Registered Professional Foresters examination.
  - 1981 Completed Association of Consulting Foresters Practicing Foresters Institute, Lake Wilderness, Washington.
  - 1975-1985 Extension courses through Oregon State University and Humboldt State University.
  - 1974-1976 Attended Humboldt State University.
  - 1973-1974 Attended College of the Redwoods, Eureka, California.
  - 1973 Graduated from Arcata High School.
- This list does not include all or many training and instructional seminars attended as the ensuing list would be lengthy.

**Professional Licenses and Affiliations:**

- Association of Consulting Foresters – Member
- Buckeye Conservancy – Past Founding Director - Member
- California Forestry Association – Member - Forest Practices Committee Member
- California Licensed Foresters Association, - Member, Past Director

Forestland Owners of California - Member  
Hawaii Forest Industries Association - Member  
Humboldt County & California Cattlemen's Association - Member  
Humboldt County Farm Bureau - Director, CFBF State Policy Comm. Member  
Northern California Log Scaling and Grading Bureau - Past Director  
Redwood Creek Landowners Association - Member Representative  
Registered Professional Forester #2148, State of California  
Society of American Foresters - Member  
Certified Tree Farm Inspector #96935

**Work Experience:**

1973 - 1985 Forester and timber cruiser WTS.  
1985 - Present Registered Professional Forester.  
1989-Present President of Western Timber Services, Inc. and Humboldt Engineering Co. Inc.

Extensive experience in forest inventory, appraisal and all facets of permitting for forest and rural properties and amenities.

Over 40 years of full-time experience in all facets of forestry and forest management thorough out primarily western U.S. including Alaska, Hawaii and Pacific Rim Countries. Detailed and vetted list of projects and clients can be provided upon request.

**Qualified and Testified or Deposed as Expert Witness or Witness:**

State Court

Superior Court of the State of California - County of Humboldt,  
Superior Court of the State of California - Mendocino,  
Superior Court of the State of California - Trinity  
Superior Court of the State of California - Sonoma  
Superior Court of the State of California - Plumas

Federal Court

United States Court of Claims - San Francisco, California  
United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, Corpus Christi Division  
United States District Court - Eastern District of California

William E. Kleiner, through WTS and associated firms, has worked in conjunction with or for many public agencies, private corporations, foundations, endowments and conservation organizations including but not limited to:

List redacted for this specific summary due to client confidentiality.

**Business Address:**

P.O. Box 1136  
Arcata, CA. 95518  
Telephone - (707) 822-3628

A comprehensive itemization of individual job assignments is not listed for brevity, but can be provided (those not confidential) to clients upon request.

  
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William E. Kleiner, RPF

\_\_\_\_\_ 12/31/13

Date



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

**COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT**

825 5<sup>TH</sup> STREET

EUREKA, CALIFORNIA 95501-1153 PHONE (707) 476-2390 FAX (707) 445-7299

January 14, 2014

William E. Kleiner  
P.O. Box 1136  
Arcata, CA 95518

Re: Forestry Review Committee

Dear Mr. Kleiner:

Enclosed is the Board Order from the January 14, 2014 Board of Supervisors Meeting approving your appointment to the Forestry Review Committee.

Your volunteering to serve on the Forestry Review Committee is truly valued, Mr. Kleiner. Thank you very much for the time you invest.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 707 476-2384.

Sincerely,

Ana Hartwell  
Deputy Clerk of the Humboldt County  
Board of Supervisors

enclosure