

**FISH AND GAME ADVISORY COMMISSION**

**AUTHORITY:** Formed July 10, 1956, by Board Order, and reorganized by Board Order on June 3, 1964; Ordinances 682, 1660, 1665, and 2050

**APPOINTING POWER:** Board of Supervisors

**MEMBERS:** Fifteen (15) – The Supervisor of each District shall appoint three (3) members (not required to live in District). Serve at POB. The BOS *may* appoint up to five (5) associate non-voting members that serve at the pleasure of the Board.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Interest in County issues regarding fishing and game hunting

**TERM:** Terms Expire on June 30<sup>th</sup> - Four (4) Year Staggered Terms (Dist 1, 2, 3 and Dist 4, 5 expire 3 years apart)

**FUNCTION:** Established to serve in an advisory capacity to the Board of Supervisors in all matters concerning fish and wildlife within the County of Humboldt.

**DISCLOSURE CATEGORIES:** 6 and 7

<b>NAME</b>	<b>APPOINTED</b>	<b>REAPPOINTED</b>	<b>EXPIRES</b>
<b><u>DISTRICT 1</u></b>			
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<b><u>DISTRICT 3</u></b>			
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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 FISH AND GAME ADVISORY COMMISSION

APPLICANT NAME: Yadao B Inong  
MAILING ADDRESS: [REDACTED]  
Hoopa, Ca 95546  
TELEPHONE: Home: [REDACTED] Work: [REDACTED] Fax: NA  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: Yurok\_otter@yahoo.com  
OCCUPATION: Fisheries Technician II

PERSONAL REFERENCES:

(1) Jamie Holt PHONE: [REDACTED]  
(2) Andreas Kraus PHONE: [REDACTED]

PRIOR ADVISORY BOARD OR BOARD OF DIRECTORS EXPERIENCE?  NO  YES

PLEASE WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT DESCRIBING WHY YOU'RE INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE FISH AND GAME ADVISORY COMMISSION.

I have spent my life in this area and was raised to be a provider, outdoorsman and a conservationist. I was taught by my father and my family that we are a part of nature and have to take care of it. I believe that we must always leave some for other hunters, fishermen and gatherers and absolutely for future generations. I feel strongly that what we care for today will care for us tomorrow. I've spent years working in the woods in reforestation contracting and have planted and managed hundreds of thousands of trees and am on my third year working for Yurok Tribal Fisheries.

I believe I bring a valued and missing voice to the Commission, not just from an indigenous perspective, one who understands the intricacies of indigenous gathering practices, but also as an active outdoorsman from the state of California. As one who buys licenses and tags every year so that I can hunt the wilderness for blacktail, dive for abalone (not this year), hunt squirrels with treeing dogs and held a guide license I am certainly affected by the decisions of the Commission. I would like the opportunity to share my voice to speak for those who do not feel they are being heard.

PLEASE ATTACH A CURRENT RESUME.

DATE: 4-16-19 SIGNATURE: [Handwritten Signature]

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 FISH AND GAME ADVISORY COMMISSION, Clerk of the Board, 825 Fifth Street, Suite 111,  
Eureka, CA 95501-1153.

DATE TO SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_ DATE APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ NOT APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_  
4/16/2019

# RESUME

March 2019

Yadao Britton Inong

[REDACTED]  
Mailing: P.O Box 497, Hoopa, CA 95546  
[REDACTED]

E-Mail: yurok\_otter@yahoo.com

**Recent Employment** : - Fisheries, Native Community Development, Environmental Cleanup HazMat, Self Employment, Forestry Trail Work

> June 2018- Present Fisheries Technician II, Yurok Tribe Fisheries Trinity Div.

A tech as member of a fisheries crew collecting data of juvenile outmigrating salmonids as well as monitoring changes in usable fish habitat along the upper trinity river. Daily duties include launching and running jet boats in the lower trinity, checking and gathering data from Rotary Screw Traps as well as gathering all pertinent data from captured fish. As a crew we manage every stage of screw trap operations including repairs and assembly. Logging data into data sheets to be later entered into the database. Monitoring the Willow Creek weir video footage for California Fish N wildlife, Arcata office, cataloging fish into database by species, direction, time etc. Habitat monitoring occurring from rubber whitewater rafts using handheld tablets, gps lazars and flow monitoring rods as well as RTK Rovers, Base Station with external radio. Training new hires.

> April 2017- June 2018 Fisheries Technician I, Yurok Tribe Fisheries Trinity Div.

A tech as member of a fisheries crew collecting data of juvenile outmigrating salmonids as well as monitoring changes in usable fish habitat along the upper trinity river. Daily duties include launching and running jet boats in the lower trinity, checking and gathering data from Rotary Screw Traps as well as gathering all pertinent data from captured fish. As a crew we manage every stage of screw trap operations including repairs and assembly. Logging data into data sheets to be later entered into the database. Habitat monitoring occurring from rubber whitewater rafts using handheld tablets, gps lazars and flow monitoring rods.

>Jun 16-Oct 16, Trail Crew Foreman, Yurok Transportation Program

Foreman of a trail crew working primarily on USFS lands. Overseeing a crew of young adults clearing and building trails, cutting firewood for community and working community events. Taught and supervised crew running and maintaining chain saws, trimmers and hand tools. Maintained records of work completed as well as logistical analysis of crew and project needs.

>Jan 10-Present, Self Employed, Outfitting, Guiding and Horse Training,

Guiding clients on pack trips and hunts in the mountains and training horses and giving horsemanship lessons. Responsible for all tasks related to an outfitting and training business. Morek Yadao Outfitting

> Aug 11-May 12, Cultural Consultant, Red Deer Consulting

Community development, giving presentations to various groups on numerous subjects: Yurok 101, Cultural Sensitivity and Awareness to Social Workers as well as activity specific presentations such as Brush Dance. Developed projects designed to strengthen the local native community such as organizing and leading camps into the wilderness with the goal of building character and wilderness

skills while strengthening cultural ties and knowledge. Our ladies camp was geared towards basket making, the boys' camps towards Bushcraft and navigation in a wilderness environment.  
Red Deer Consulting, Arcata CA

>Dec 09- March '10 HazMat Laborer,  
Mapping and cataloging various sites of environmental concern along the Yurok Reservation.  
Working as part of a 2 man crew to contain and mitigate effects of long term petrol leaking.  
Yurok Tribe Environmental Program (YTEP), Klamath CA

>Sept 09-Oct 09 HazMat Labor Foremen, Yurok Environmental Program  
Foreman for labor crew cleaning up numerous illegal dumpsites located in dangerous treacherous terrain, rope access only. Worked with heavy equipment operators while crew and I utilized manual labor and chainsaws, winches and hand tools to do our duties.  
YTEP, Weitchpec CA

>Sept 08-Oct 08 HazMat Labor Foreman, Yurok Environmental Program  
Foreman for tribal labor crew while cleaning numerous illegal dumpsites on the Yurok reservation.  
Worked with heavy equipment operators on excavators, dozers, trucks, helicopters etc. YTEP,  
Weitchpec CA

>Dec 05-Feb 08 Yurok Social Services, Prevention Coordinator,  
I was in charge of all prevention-rehabilitation oriented programs within Yurok Social Services targeting both youth and adults. I wrote and managed grants from several funding sources, managed employees and numerous contractors to best offer services to all areas of the Yurok Tribal service area covering two counties. Did feasibility studies and ran pilot programs to learn how to best meet the needs of our community. Maintained records and spreadsheets of all our contacts to measure our impact in all the various locales and target demographics per program and funding source. Our clients ranging from happy children and families to referral cases of the worst kind, we had a regular presence in the juvenile detention facilities of both Humboldt and Del Norte counties in addition to conducting regular sessions in many school districts. It was not uncommon for me to present to schools in Crescent City, Arcata and Pecwan in the same day. As a cultural resource within the tribe I was called on to present anytime there was a need for cultural awareness and sensitivity as well as leading tours and giving presentations that further the awareness and appreciation of local native culture such as guided boat tours up the river for the Annual Aleutian Goose Festival. I was co-coordinator and then coordinator of the Annual Fish Run Relay for two years. Along with those duties I was also responsible for organizing and facilitating Cultural Sensitivity trainings for outside agencies with attendees from state, tribal and county governments.  
Yurok Social Services, Klamath CA

**Education:** 2 ½ years, 45 units, 1996-1999 Humboldt State University

**Professional Experience:**

**June 1989 to August 09**-Reforestation, Salvage Logging, Construction, Hazmat, Ranching

- >Horsemanship Clinic, Heart Of The Redwoods Horse Rescue, Eureka Ca
- >Horsemanship Instructor, Numerous Clients in Northern CA
- >Horse Trainer, Circle S Ranch -Kiger Mustangs-, Cave Junction OR

- >HazMat Laborer, Yurok Tribe Environmental Program, Weitchpec CA
- >Horse Trainer, Jack Lahr Ranch, Salyer CA
- >Forestry Tech III Foreman, Bear Creek Timber Sale, Yurok Tribe Forestry, Weitchpec Foreman of crew laying out THP and all aspects of that goal
- >Brush Cutter, Wildland Urban Interface W-U-I, Yurok Tribal Forestry, Weitchpec CA
- >Horse Trainer, Ammon Packing, Salyer CA
- >Horse Trainer, Tiger O'Rourke, Morek CA
- >Hand Tree Planting, Prime Contractor with Hoopa Valley Tribal Council, Hoopa, CA
- >Horse Trainer, Geneva Carroll, Eureka CA
- >Horse Trainer, Vik Dobrec, Willow Creek CA
- >Apprentice Horse Trainer/Ranch Hand, Grey Thunder Ranch, Wallowa OR
- >Horse Trainer/Ranch Hand, Foundation Appaloosa Ranch, Arlington WA
- >Foreman, E.P.A Provco, Yuba City CA -Salvage logging and Powerline right of way.
- >Climber, E.P.A Provco, Yuba City CA -Salvage logging and powerline right of way
- >Groundsman, E.P.A Provco, Yuba City CA -Salvage logging and powerline R.O.W
- >Union Laborer, West Bay Builders, San Rafael CA
- >Laborer/Haz.Mat Worker (Lead Certified), West Coast Painting & Blasting, Sand Diego CA
- >Partner in forestry contracts w/ R.L Inong & Associates, Hoopa CA, numerous contracts
- >Tree Planting Foreman, R.L Inong & Associates, Hoopa CA, numerous contracts
- >Brush Cutting Foreman, R.L Inong & Associates, Hoopa CA, numerous contracts
- >Laborer/Brush Cutter/Tree Planter/Handline Cutter, R.L Inong & Associates, Hoopa CA numerous contracts thru years.

**March 2000 to Present** – American Indian Community Development/Prevention: Story Teller, Singer, Cultural Presenter, Cultural Sharing-Brush Dance, Indian Stick Game Coach, Indian Card Game Coach, Drum Song Workshop Coordinator, Card Game Workshop Facilitator, Summer Youth Camp Security, Dance Ground Preparations, Self defense instructor (ladies class), Self-defense assistant Instructor, Indian Stick Game coordinator, Yurok Language Presenter

- >DreamQuest, Willow Creek CA
- >Hoopa Valley Elementary School, Hoopa CA
- >Traditional Village Project, Consultant, United Indian Health Services, Arcata CA
- >TAG, United Indian Health Services, Arcata CA
- >Hoopa Valley Elementary School, Hoopa CA
- >Pecwan, Weitchpec, Katamin and Three Bars Communities, CA
- >Potowat Garden, United Indian Health Services, Arcata CA
- >Ink People, Center for the Arts, Eureka CA
- >JOM, Yurok Tribe, Cutten CA
- >JOM, Hoopa Valley Tribe, Hoopa CA
- >Hoopa Valley High School, Hoopa CA
- >Pikship Productions, Institute for Native Knowledge, Eureka CA
- >Humboldt County Fair, Ferndale CA
- >Child & Family Services, United Indian Health Services, Arcata CA
- >Native Performance Fund, Arcata CA
- >Yurok Social Services, Yurok Tribe, Klamath CA
- >Sacramento State University, Sacramento CA
- >Redway Elementary School, Redway CA

- >Elders Gathering, Redwood Acres, Eureka CA
- >United Indian Health Services, Potowat, Arcata CA
- >Yurok Tribal Language Program, Sregon Ca
- >Yurok Tribe, Salmon Festival, Klamath CA
- >Weitchpec Magnet School, Weitchpec CA
- >Humboldt State University, Arcata CA

**Interests and Hobbies:**

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| Regalia Making & Repair     | Saddle Repair/Leather Work                          |
| Horseback Riding            | Horse Training                                      |
| Giving Horsemanship Lessons | Teaching/Coaching Indian Stick Game                 |
| Hiking                      | Archery   |
| Carving                     | Researching   |
| Hunting                     | Writing   |
| Fishing                     | Auto Mechanics, drive train, engine, electrical etc |
| Coaching sports             | Learning Yurok Indian Language                      |
| Fly fishing                 | Fly Tying   |
| Teaching Fly fishing        | Teaching Fly Tying                                  |
| Camping                     | Off Road Driving                                    |
| Gunsmithing                 | Shooting  |
| Self Defense/Martial Arts   | Teaching Self Defense                               |
| ATV Quad driving off road   |   |

<b>NAME</b>	<b>APPOINTED</b>	<b>REAPPOINTED</b>	<b>EXPIRES</b>
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<b>PATRICIA LAI</b> Arcata, Ca. 95521 p@motherearthengineering.com	<b>7/31/18</b>		<b>6/30/21</b>

**DISTRICT 4**  
**VACANCY**

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<b>KENNY PRIEST</b> Eureka, Ca. 95503 <a href="mailto:Kenny@fishingthenorthcoast.com">Kenny@fishingthenorthcoast.com</a>	<b>03/28/17</b>		<b>06/30/20</b>

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