



Humboldt County Board of Supervisors
Attn. Tracy Damico
825 5th Street
Eureka, Ca 95501

April 14, 2025

Dear County Supervisors,

I am writing in support of the reappointment of Megan Blanchard to serve as Commissioner of the Humboldt County Children and Families Commission, also known as First 5 Humboldt. Ms. Blanchard, in her role as Public Health Nursing Director, she has been a tireless advocate of prevention and early intervention services during pregnancy and the early childhood years. She has served on the Commission since 2017, chaired the Parent and Family Support Community Advisory Committee, and been a consistent and valuable voice for the Humboldt community during that time. Her continued input will be invaluable in helping guide the Commission in serving Humboldt's youngest children and their families.

We enthusiastically support her application to continue to serve as a Humboldt County Children and Families Commissioner.

Respectfully,

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Executive Director

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