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COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

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APPLICATION TO SERVE ON THE HUMBOLDT COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

APPLICANT NAME: Todd Fulton

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OCCUPATION: Security CA Timberlands Green Diamond Resource Co., Owner
Operator Finch Creek Cattle.

PERSONAL REFERENCES:

- (1) Shannon McWhorter PHONE: _____
(2) Craig Compton PHONE: _____

PRIOR ADVISORY BOARD OR BOARD OF DIRECTORS EXPERIENCE? NO YES

PLEASE WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT DESCRIBING WHY YOU'RE INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE **PLANNING COMMISSION**.

I would like to be more connected with our communities growth and development. As a livestock producer and being connected with the timber industry I believe I could provide a unique perspective to the Planning Commission. I have a strong interest in our counties land use and want to be more involved in its development and regulation.

PLEASE ATTACH A CURRENT RESUME.

DATE: 02/09/2024 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 PLANNING COMMISSION, Clerk of the Board, 825 Fifth Street, Suite 111,
Eureka, CA 95501-1153.

DATE TO SUPERVISOR _____ DATE APPROVED _____ NOT APPROVED _____

▶ Todd C. Fulton

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Objective

Humboldt County Planning Commission At-large position

Education

College of the Redwoods Police Academy (December 13, 2002)

- ▶ Served as Class Sergeant
- ▶ Received Outstanding Performance Community Service award.
- ▶ Holds intermediate, and advanced POST certificates.
- ▶ Numerous other certifications of training, Firearms Instructor, Defensive Tactics Instructor, Interview and Interrogation, SWAT, Homicide Investigations, Officer Involved Shooting.
- ▶ Previously Ca. Licensed Real Estate Agent.

Experience

Mill Worker. Pacific Lumber Company (1986-1995)

Logger/Heavy Equipment Operator, Tree Climber. Pacific Lumber Co. (1995-2002)

Deputy Sheriff II (December 16, 2002 – June 19, 2017)

Rancher cow/calf operation (2006-present)

Security Patrol, Green Diamond Resource Co. Ca Timber Lands (June 30, 2017 to present)

Currently working as the California Timberlands (CAT) Security Patrol. My duties consist of patrolling properties belonging to Green Diamond Resource Co., within the California Operational location. Duties include dealing with trespass issues, protesters, homeless encampments, theft of commodities, and providing access to approved visitors and contractors. Maintaining gates across the landscape and tracking and issuing keys associated with access to the property is also part of the job. As of January 2023, my position has been absorbed by the CAT Real Property Department and now includes helping with potential business development opportunities, land purchases, and managing real property assets. Aside from my role in Security Patrol, I also serve as the only heavy-lift drone pilot. Part of my role as a Drone Pilot includes participating in the CA Timberlands safety program. The drone is currently being utilized to assist Hook Tenders in setting up yarder road lines. I also participate in the company safety program and present specific topics during quarterly safety compliance training.

Currently serving as a board member for North Coast Regional Land Trust and the Humboldt/Del Norte Cattlemen's Association. In these positions, I have become involved with Land Use issues as well as agriculture-related issues and uses. I have also seen the challenges of the permitting process regarding development and conservation.

While serving as a Humboldt County Sheriff's Investigator for the Criminal Investigations Division, my duties included, but were not limited to investigating major crimes within the boundaries of Humboldt County, collecting evidence of crimes, preparing, and serving search warrants. Preparing in-depth reports for successful prosecution. Before my promotion to Sheriff's Investigator, I was assigned to the Sheriff's Special Services Division as the Livestock Deputy, a

position I held for approximately 7 years. Duties included rural crime investigation, assisting the Humboldt County Drug Enforcement Unit, assisting the Humboldt County Drug Task Force, as well as the Drug Enforcement Administration, and CADOJBNE (California Department of Justice Bureau of Narcotics Enforcement) While working with these different agencies, I assisted in gathering intelligence for search warrants, serving search warrants, and collecting evidence. While working in Special Services, I assisted and managed numerous search and rescues, worked with local ranchers and timber companies investigating trespass issues and commodities thefts, and conducted investigations into industrial accidents.

I started my career with The Pacific Lumber Company working in mill systems, operating several pieces and types of equipment utilized in the production of rough lumber and finished products. After transferring to the woods operations, I worked in all aspects of the logging industry from setting chokers behind heavy equipment and yarders, landing man, tree climber, and heavy equipment operator on both the logging side and the road construction side. During winter months I worked with the company fish trapping program for their hatchery and oversaw contract tree planting crews.

Skills

- ▶ Competent in operating many pieces of heavy equipment utilized in the timber industry.
- ▶ Skilled in land navigation using a compass, maps, and GPS.
- ▶ Have successfully executed many cases from investigation to courtroom testimony.
- ▶ Comfortable in rural environments
- ▶ Strong communication skills (verbal and written)
- ▶ Clean Driving Record (Class C with M.I endorsement)
- ▶ Able and willing to work with anyone.
- ▶ ATV Certified
- ▶ First Aid CPR, Tactical Combat Casualty Care (TCCC) trained.
- ▶ Drone Pilot
- ▶ Open-minded
- ▶ Management of a Commercial Cow Calf operation.
- ▶ Forest and pasture management.

Community Activities

- Nine-year veteran of the Fortuna Volunteer Fire Department (Currently Exempt)
- Director, Fortuna Rodeo Association (Merchant Contributions/ Saturday Night Entertainment)
- Member of the Humboldt County Farm Bureau serving on the CA Farm Bureau Livestock Advisory Committee
- Committee member of the Redwood Chapter California Deer Association
- Board member for the Humboldt Del Norte Cattlemen's Association
- Committee member for the Humboldt County Junior Livestock Auction Board
- Board member North Coast Regional Land Trust.