



# COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 12/16/2025

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File #: 25-1340

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**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Clerk of the Board

**Agenda Section:** Consent

**Vote Requirement:** Majority

**SUBJECT:**

Consider the Appointments of Dr. Michael Mangahas and Leah Lamattina and the Reappointments of Lorey Keele, Wendy Hill and Brian Davis to the Humboldt County Children and Families Commission (First 5 Humboldt Commission)

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Appoint Dr. Michael Mangahas and Leah Lamattina to the Humboldt County Children and Families Commission (First 5 Humboldt Commission); and
2. Reappoint Lorey Keele, Wendy Hill and Brian Davis to the Humboldt County Children and Families Commission (First 5 Humboldt Commission).

**STRATEGIC PLAN:**

This action supports the following areas of your Board's Strategic Plan.

Area of Focus: Safe & Healthy Communities

Strategic Plan Category: 1001 -Support and sustain partnerships between public safety and partner agencies to enhance public safety in our communities

**DISCUSSION:**

The Humboldt County Board of Supervisors is the governing and appointing body for the Humboldt County Children and Families Commission, also known as First 5 Humboldt. This appointment is exempt from the Board protocol for at-large appointments as they are provided with appointment recommendations from the Executive Director of First 5 Humboldt. First 5 Humboldt's Executive Director Mary Ann Hansen has provided the Board with a letter of support, dated March 5, 2025, requesting the appointment of the following: Dr. Michael Mangahas to fill the current vacancy on this commission and Leah Lamattina. Mary Ann Hansen has also requested the reappointment of the following: Lorey Keele (for one year as her membership will be termed out after one more year); Wendy Hill and Brian Davis for 3 years.

**SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

General Fund

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

There is no financial impact to making this appointment. Appointments are volunteer positions.

**OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:**

First Five Commission

**ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:**

None

**ATTACHMENTS:**

1. Applications
2. Letters of Support

**PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:**

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