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COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

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APPLICATION TO SERVE ON THE HUMBOLDT COUNTY

PLANNING COMMISSION

APPLICANT NAME: Tonya Farmer

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

Miranda, CA 95553

TELEPHONE: Home _____ wk: Same Fax: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: tonya farmer @ hotmail - com

OCCUPATION: Accountant / Attorney (CA State only)

PERSONAL REFERENCES:

(1) Joel Mast Berger PHONE: _____

(2) Darryl Cherney 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.

See body of email for response.

PLEASE ATTACH A CURRENT RESUME.

DATE: 2/1/2021

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 PLANNING COMMISSION, Clerk of the Board, 825 Fifth Street, Suite 111,
Eureka, CA 95501-1153.

DATE TO SUPERVISOR _____ DATE APPROVED _____ NOT APPROVED _____

Tonya M. Farmer

Redway, CA ▪

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Admission / Certification

Washington State Bar (admitted April 2015)

CPA Examination (passed July 2008)

Education

Northeastern University School of Law, Boston, MA

Juris Doctor, May 2013

Selected Coursework: Corporations, Securities Regulations, Business Bankruptcy, Secured Transactions, Federal Courts, Civil Trial Practice, Evidence, Advanced Legal Research.

Seattle University, Seattle, WA

Bachelor of Business Administration, *magna cum laude*, Accounting, May 2002

Honors: Dean's List (all semesters).

Societies: Beta Gamma Sigma

Legal Experience

Housing Justice Project, Seattle, WA

October 2015 - October 2016

Volunteer Attorney

- Provides pro-bono legal assistance to low-income tenants regarding landlord tenant issues.
- Argues at show cause, informal grievance, and motion hearings.
- Drafts briefs and complaints and performs legal research.

Greater Boston Legal Services, Consumer Rights Unit, Boston, MA

Spring 2013

Legal Intern

- Assisted attorneys with pro-bono legal and advocacy work centered on illegal foreclosures and predatory lending.

State Street Bank and Trust Company, Boston, MA

Fall 2012

Legal Intern

- Provided legal, regulatory, and compliance support to exchange-traded fund complexes.
- Prepared and coordinated SEC filings and board materials.
- Performed quarterly financial review.

Suffolk County District Attorney's Office, S.P.U., Boston, MA

Spring 2012

Legal Intern

- Assisted in the investigation and prosecution of white-collar crime.
- Drafted legal memoranda, subpoenas, and a request for direct indictment.
- Conducted on-site interviews and inspections of client's books and records.

Massachusetts Department of Revenue, Litigation Bureau, Boston, MA

Fall 2011

Legal Intern

- Researched issues and drafted legal memoranda regarding personal income tax, sales & use tax, excise tax, and partnership tax.

Business Experience

Accountant, Seattle, WA
Self-employed Accountant

May 2010-Current

- Performs accounting services for real estate and cannabis industries.
- Investigate financial fraud.
- Analyze financials for litigation.
- Prepare and present documents in court as expert witness.

Northwest Capital Appreciation, Inc., Seattle, WA
Controller

Feb. 2004-Oct. 2007

- Managed a private equity firm's accounting department.
- Handled communications with high net-worth investors for five separate limited partnerships with aggregate investments in excess of \$100MM.

Military Service

United States Air Force, Bitburg, GE

Feb. 1998-June 1992

- Served in the 36th Logistic Squadron, Bitburg Air Base.
- Honorably discharged.