

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT



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For the meeting of: April 11, 2017

Date: April 7, 2017

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Estelle Fennell

Subject: Appointment of Dave Morris to the Fortuna Fire Protection Board of Commissioners

<u>RECOMMENDATION(S)</u>: That the Board of Supervisors appoint Dave Morris to the Fortuna Fire Protection Board of Commissioners.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: On April 4, 2017 the Board received notification that Mike Renner had resigned from the Fortuna Fire Protection District Board of Commissioners, after serving since February, 2010. Supervisor Fennell and the Fortuna Fire Protection Board of Commissioners is recommending the appointment of Dave Morris to fill the open seat.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Fortuna Fire Protection District Board of Commissioners Roster.

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REVIEW: Auditor	County Counsel	Personnel		Risk Manager Other	
Public	ent rtmental c Hearing 			BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT Upon motion of Supervisor W Son Seconded by Supervisor Fennell, Ayes Wilson, Fennell, Sundberg, Bohn, P Nays Abstain Absent and carried by those members present, the Board hereby approves the recommended action contained in this Board report. Dated: April 1, 2017 By: Part Action By: Part Action Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board	
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FORTUNA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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AUTHORITY:	Election of June 8, 1937, Board Action of June 16, 1937
APPOINTING POWER:	Board of Supervisors
MEMBERS:	Five (5)
QUALIFICATIONS:	None Stipulated
TERM:	Pleasure of the Board
FUNCTION:	Oversee and Govern the Fortuna Volunteer Fire Department

DISCLOSURE CATEGORIES:

NAME	APPOINTED	REAPPOINTED	EXPIRES
David Nicholson	2013		•
Mel Berti	2016		
Robert Johnson	2008		
Mike Renne r	2010		
Kent Johnson	2007		

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Michael L. Renner 1940 Home Ave. Fortuna, CA 95540

March 31, 2017

Supervisor, Estell Fennell Humboldt County Board of Supervisors 825 5th Street, Room 111 Eureka, CA 95501

RE: Fortuna Fire Protection District

Dear Estell,

After considerable thought and consternation, I feel that it is time for me to resign my position as a commissioner on the Fortuna Fire Protection District Board. Many changes have transpired during my tenure on the board that I look back upon and feel proud to have been a part in the workings with the entire board. The highlights include, but not totally encompassing, are the co-operation to go forward with the new assessments, the public voting on a rate increase, the construction of the new fire person housing dorm, new offices, new equipment and especially the hiring of a full-time fire chief, district secretary and division chief of operations and training.

As Mari Lou and I have a second residence in Henderson, NV that we spend part time enjoying, I feel that I cannot any longer make the meetings on a monthly basis and continue to keep a pulse on the greater Fortuna Fire District community. I am extremely confident that another commissioner will be appointed to help continue the goals and aspirations of the board and fire department management.

I have been honored to serve with the outstanding commissioners of FFPD. I thank you for my appointment years ago. I will always be available to offer my services in any way I can, for you and the community in the future.

Sincerely Yours,

Michael L. Renner