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APPLICATION TO SERVE ON THE HUMBOLDT COUNTY
HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

APPLICANT NAME: Toby Vanlandingham

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Hoopla California 95546

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OCCUPATION: Weitchpec Tribal Councilmember for the Yurok Tribe

PERSONAL REFERENCES:
(1) Frankie Joe Myers PHONE: 707- _____

(2) Joe James PHONE: 707- _____

PRIOR ADVISORY BOARD OR BOARD OF DIRECTORS EXPERIENCE? _____ NO ☒ YES

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

I have been involved in various human rights organizations for multiple years now. I am a co-founder of Not Your Mascots, inc., where we were involved in educating and empowering native people to fight against racial injustices perpetuated by negative stereotypes of indigenous people. We worked in concert with other minority rights organizations to better inform the public about the insensitivities directed toward minority groups by the dominant society.

I am an enrolled Yurok tribal member, and an elected leader on the Yurok Tribal Council, I am 1 year in to my 3 year term. I believe that often times native people are oftentimes underrepresented in Humboldt county. It has been my goal throughout my lifetime to make sure all people receive the same level of representation.

With my experience in a government leadership role, along with my experience fighting for the rights of indigenous peoples and other peoples of color, I believe I can be an asset to the Human Rights Commission

PLEASE ATTACH A CURRENT RESUME.

DATE: 01/08/2019 SIGNATURE: [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 HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION, Clerk of the Board, 825 Fifth Street, Suite 111,
Eureka, CA 95501-1153.

DATE TO SUPERVISOR _____ DATE APPROVED _____ NOT APPROVED _____
3/25/2016

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Work Experience:

DUTIES, ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND RELATED SKILLS:

My current duties as a Yurok Tribal councilmember is the government administration and oversight of a tribal government that employees 350 people within the tribal government and additional 200 employees in two of our branches. I already have extensive experience in conflict resolution, and board and commission positions, extensive experience in advocating for Native indigenous rights. Other accomplishments include being a community leader in the Klamath Local Organizing Committee (2012-2014), Co-founder of Not Your Mascots, Inc. (2014-Current), Tribal Fisherman, Food sovereignty advocate, Journeyman Electrician, Entrepreneur and Business owner. Most recently I was chosen to set on the Advisory Committee drafting Policy Framework, Criteria and Recommendations Roadmap in Advancing Trauma-Informed and Healing-Centered Approaches to Promote Individual, Family and Community Resilience in Prop 64 Expenditures in the Youth Education, Prevention, Early Intervention and Treatment Account.

Education:

High School Diploma

University of North Georgia – Grant Writing

California Tribal College – Leadership Skills, Federal Indian Law, Robert's Rules of Order

Job Related Training:

California Tribal College Leadership Training – August 2018

PICO National Network Leadership Training – January 2018

Falmouth Council and Board Member Training – December 2017

Communicating with Tact and Professionalism – February 2016

PICO/Building Healthy Communities Initiative Community Leader Training – 2012-2013

References:

Joe James – Chairman Yurok Tribe

Frankie Myers – Vice Chairman Yurok Tribe 707-441-1111

Terry Supahan – Executive Director True North Organizing Network