



# COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 6/2/2026

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**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Supervisor Michelle Bushnell

**Agenda Section:** Consent

**Vote Requirement:** Majority

**SUBJECT:**

Letter of Appreciation to Kelly Patton and Second District Appointment of Jason Sells to the Humboldt County Fish & Game Advisory Commission

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Receive and file the report.

**STRATEGIC PLAN:**

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

Area of Focus: Sustainable Natural Resources & Infrastructure Stewardship

Strategic Plan Category: 9999 - Core Services/Other

**DISCUSSION:**

The Clerk of the Board has been notified that Kelly Patton has resigned from the Humboldt County Fish & Game Advisory Commission. Patton has served on the commission as the Second District's representative and has contributed meaningfully to its work. The Board wishes to formally recognize and express its appreciation for Patton's dedication and service to Humboldt County.

Supervisor Bushnell is pleased to appoint Jason Sells to the Humboldt County Fish & Game Advisory Commission as the new representative for the Second District. Sells will fill the remainder of Patton's term, which expires on June 30, 2027.

All appointed members of the Humboldt County Fish & Game Advisory Commission will be required to comply with California Fair Political Practices Form 700 requirements as well as completing AB1234 Ethics Training every two years.

**SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

General Fund

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

There is no financial impact to make appointments for these volunteer positions.

**OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:**

None

**ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:**

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None

**ATTACHMENTS:**

Letter of Appreciation

**PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:**

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