



Contra Costa County

Print Form

Please return completed applications to: Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 1025 Escobar Street, 1st Floor Martinez, CA 94553 or email to: ClerkofTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us

BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

First Name: Shirley, Middle Initial: L, Last Name: Krohn, City: Walnut Creek, State: CA, Postal Code: 94598, Job Title: retired, Length of Employment: [blank]

Board, Committee, or Commission: Advisory Council on Aging, Seat Name: member, Have you ever attended a meeting of the advisory board for which you are applying? Yes, all since 2004

EDUCATION

Check appropriate box if you possess one of the following:

High School Diploma [checked], CA High School Proficiency Certificate [blank], G.E.D. Certificate [blank]

Table with 3 columns: Colleges or Universities Attended, Degree Type/ Course of Study/Major, Degree Awarded (Yes/No)

Occupational Licenses Completed: [blank], Other Trainings Completed: [blank], Certificate Awarded for Training? Yes/No

Do you have any obligations that might affect your attendance at scheduled meetings? No, If Yes, please explain: [blank]

Would you like to be considered for appointment to other advisory bodies for which you may be qualified? No

Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces? No

Please explain why you would like to serve on this particular board, committee, or commission.

[Empty text box for explanation]

Describe your qualifications for this appointment. (NOTE: you may also include a copy of your resume).

[Empty text box for qualifications]

I am including my resume with this application:

Please check one: Yes No

Are you currently or have you ever been appointed to a Contra Costa County advisory board?

Please check one: Yes No

If Yes, please list the Contra Costa County advisory board(s) on which you are currently serving:

Advisory Council on Aging

If Yes, please also list the Contra Costa County advisory board(s) on which you have previously served:

[Empty text box for previously served]

List any volunteer and community experience, including any boards on which you have served.

See resume

Do you have a familial relationship with a member of the Board of Supervisors? (Please refer to the relationships listed under the "Important Information" section on page 3 of this application or Resolution No. 2021/234).

Please check one: Yes No

If Yes, please identify the nature of the relationship: [Empty text box]

Do you have any financial relationships with the county, such as grants, contracts, or other economic relationships?

Please check one: Yes No

If Yes, please identify the nature of the relationship: [Empty text box]

I CERTIFY that the statements made by me in this application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith. I acknowledge and understand that all information in this application is publicly accessible. I understand and agree that misstatements and/or omissions of material fact may cause forfeiture of my rights to serve on a board, committee, or commission in Contra Costa County.

Signed:

[Redacted Signature]

Date:

7/19/24

Submit this application to: ClerkofTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us **OR** Clerk of the Board
1025 Escobar Street, 1st Floor
Martinez, CA 94553

*Questions about this application? Contact the Clerk of the Board at (925) 655-2000 or by email at
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Important Information

1. This application and any attachments you provide to it is a public document and is subject to the California Public Records Act (CA Government Code §6250-6270).
2. All members of appointed bodies are required to take the advisory body training provided by Contra Costa County.
3. Members of certain boards, commissions, and committees may be required to: 1) file a Statement of Economic Interest Form also known as a Form 700, and 2) complete the State Ethics Training Course as required by AB 1234.
4. Meetings may be held in various locations and some locations may not be accessible by public transportation.
5. Meeting dates and times are subject to change and may occur up to two (2) days per month.
6. Some boards, committees, or commissions may assign members to subcommittees or work groups which may require an additional commitment of time.
7. As indicated in Board Resolution 2021/234, a person will not be eligible for appointment if he/she is related to a Board of Supervisors' member in any of the following relationships: (1) Mother, father, son, and daughter; (2) Brother, sister, grandmother, grandfather, grandson, and granddaughter; (3) Husband, wife, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, stepson, and stepdaughter; (4) Registered domestic partner, pursuant to California Family Code section 297; (5) The relatives, as defined in 1 and 2 above, for a registered domestic partner; (6) Any person with whom a Board Member shares a financial interest as defined in the Political Reform Act (Gov't Code §87103, Financial Interest), such as a business partner or business associate.

RESUME'

SHIRLEY KROHN



Retired in 1997 after 40 years with Bechtel Corporation. Career included: Publications Management, Major Event Planning & Coordination, College Recruiting, New Hire Training & Orientation, Training Programs in Cost, Schedule & Estimating, Outplacement Counseling, and Coaching Executives on Presentation Skills.

Concurrent Volunteer Activities:

1972 – 2012	Board Chair, Spectrum Federal Credit Union
2004 – Present	Contra Costa County Advisory Council on Aging
2006 – Present	Senior Assembly Member, California Senior Legislature
2013 – Present	CSL Joint Rules Committee Member
2009 – 2012	Board Member, California Council on Gerontology & Geriatrics
2008 – 2010	Program Manager & Presenter – Communities against Senior Exploitation (CASE)
2012 – 2010	Board Member – California Elder Mental Health & Aging Coalition
2009 – 2014	Contributing Editor – “Victimization of the Elderly and Disabled” (VED)

▪ Articles:

- Elder Justice Work Group
- Call to Action 2010 – Confronting Elder Financial Abuse
- From Youngest Sibling to Caregiver
- Intergenerational Learning Experience
- Nonprofits Fight Financial Abuse
- Senior Housing – Village Concept
- Senior Consumers and Financial Exploitation – About CFPB
- Abuse of LGBT Elders in Facilities
- What Aging Advocacy Looks Like
- When the System Fails You*
- Consumer Beware*
- Seniors Writing Legislation Protecting Seniors
- **articles selected to be published in Civic Research Institute, Family & Intimate Partner Violence Quarterly publication*

2011 – 2012	President, Contra Costa County, Advisory Council on Aging
2013 – 2015	Consumer Voice for Quality Long Term Care – Leadership Council member
2014 – 2015	Alameda/Contra Costa Steering Committee – The Conversation Project
2014 –	Coordinated Care Initiative – Advisory Council on Aging Representative

Public Speaking Engagements:

2015	Grace Cathedral, San Francisco, Panelist at screening of Last Will & Embezzlement-panel on elder financial abuse
2013	CalSWEC Aging Initiative Summit – Intergenerational Student Field Placements
2013-2015	20 Presentations on Elder Financial Abuse Prevention & Education Over 25 Presentations about the California Senior Legislature
2012	Lecturer to MSW grad students at CSUS – Demystifying the Legislative Process
2012	Elder Financial Protection Network (EFPN), Call to Action, Panelist – Legislative Update

- 2011 Speaker – Aging in America Conference – “An Intergenerational Mentor Approach to Achieving Social Policy Related Gerontology Competencies”
- 2011 Speaker – Aging in America Conference – “Empowering Financial Professionals, Advocates and Seniors to Stop Financial Abuse”
- 2010 Speaker – Council on Social Work Education Conference – Portland, Ore. – Intergenerational Learning
- 2008 Panelist – Institute of Medicine meeting “The Health Care Workforce for Older Americans Promoting Team Care”
- 2012 – Present Senior Center Without Walls Speaker – Elder Financial Abuse, End of Life Planning & How to be an Advocate

Other Significant Activities & Honors:

- 2014 Public Citizen of the Year – National Association of Social Workers (California Chapter)
- 2012 Volunteer of the Year Award – Culture to Culture Foundation
- 2011 Member, California Elder Justice Workgroup
- 2010 Call to Action – Community Service Awareness for CASE Program
- 2010 California Senior Leaders – Class of 2010
- 2006 – 2008 Director – Fair Lending Consortium
- 2002 – 2006 Board Chair – Elder Financial Protection Network

Legislative Activities:

- 2007 AB 2051 Elder Abuse Offender Registry (Resubmitted as SB 473 in 2014. Authored by Senator Bates)
AB 2100 Report Abuse in Facilities to DA (chaptered)
AP-5 Elder & Dependent Abuse – Standard Reporting & Coding
AP-27 Elder Death Review Teams
- 2008 AB 2543 Geriatric and Gerontology Workforce Expansion Act – Enrolled (vetoed)
- 2008 Repeal Sunset Date on financial institutions being mandated reporters (not picked up)
- 2009 Repeal Sunset Date on financial institutions being mandated reporters (not picked up)
- 2010 SB 345 State Ombudsman Program
SB 33 Repeal Sunset Date on financial institutions being mandated reporters (chaptered)
- 2011 AB 2010 Reverse Mortgage Counseling
- 2012 AB 663 Sensitivity Training for Administrators in Facilities with LGBT residents (chaptered)
Criminal Background Checks on all Caregivers (not picked up)
- 2013 AFP 8 Reduced Federal Student Loan Interest Rates
AP 16 Social Security Fraud Prevention
AP 18 Geriatric Behavioral Health – Create two state positions to monitor MHS Funds
AP 15 Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly – Rates
- 2014 Proposal – Incarcerated Elders
Proposal – Mandated Reporting, Financial Institutions – Enforcement & Fine Increases
- 2014 AB 2623 – Advanced Peace Officer Training in Elder Abuse – Chaptered
- 2015 AP 8 Proposal – MediCal Waiver
- 2019 AB 480 – Mental Health
- 2020 Proposal – Transportation for Older Adults and Disabled Populations

Other Areas of Interest and Advocacy:

- Addressing End of Life Issues