

## INTER OFFICE MEMO

**To:** Board of Directors

**Date:** 06/08/2023

**From:** Rashida Kamara, Director of ADA & Special Services

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**SUBJECT:** Appointment to Advisory Committee Representing Martinez

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**Background:**

On May 17, 2023, the City of Martinez appointed Robert Kaplan to serve on County Connection's Advisory Committee as the primary member representing the Contra Costa County. This appointment will expire May 31, 2025.

**Financial Implications:**

None

**Recommendation:**

Staff recommends Board approval of the appointment of Robert Kaplan as the representative for the City of Martinez on County Connection's Advisory Committee.

**Action Requested:**

Staff requests the appointment of Robert Kaplan be approved by the Board, effective July 1, 2023, through May 31, 2025.

**Attachments:**

Attachment 1: The City of Martinez Citizen's interest form-R. Kaplan

Attachment 2: Resolution NO. 051-23 of the City Council of the City of Martinez- May 17, 2023



# CITY OF MARTINEZ CITIZEN INTEREST FORM

For City Use Only	
Date Interviewed	____/____/____
Letter/FPPC	____/____/____
Commission	_____
Appointed	_____
Reso Number	_____

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL DATA**

NAME <b>Robert Kaplan</b>		HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE <b>925-642-5828</b>
RESIDENCE ADDRESS (STREET, CITY) <b>22 Meleean Lane Martinez</b>		E-MAIL ADDRESS <b>rob_kaplan1@yahoo.com</b>	
RESIDENT OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY SINCE:	<b>1986</b>	RESIDENT OF THE CITY OF MARTINEZ SINCE:	<b>1989</b>
BUSINESS NAME (IF ANY) <b>P</b>	BUSINESS ADDRESS		BUSINESS PHONE
EDUCATION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DEGREE <b>MBA-St Marys</b> <input type="checkbox"/> VOCATIONAL / TRAINING _____ <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____		

**EMPLOYMENT**

PRESENT EMPLOYER (OR LAST) <b>Alta Cycling Group</b>	POSITION / OCCUPATION <b>VP Sales</b>	LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT <b>20 years</b>
IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY SERVING ON A COMMISSION OR HAVE PREVIOUSLY SERVED ON A PUBLIC BODY, PLEASE INDICATE THE AGENCY:		
QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OR REASONS FOR APPLICATION <b>Longtime cycling industry professional. Active with People For Bikes (National Bicycle Advocacy Organization). Family business - Play It Again Sports-Concord (now owned by Daughter and Son in law). Very interested in helping to transform our community to more walk/ride friendly.</b>		

**IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE, CHOOSE WHICH COMMISSION/COMMITTEE YOU WOULD LIKE TO SERVE**

_____ Cemetery Commission	_____ Veterans Commission
_____ Civil Service Commission	_____ Planning Commission
_____ Design Review Committee	<b>X</b> Parks, Recreation, Marina & Cultural Commission (PRMCC)
_____ Oversight Committee	<b>X</b> Other <b>Transportation</b>

**REFERENCES***Provide at least two individuals who are local residents qualified to comment and that are not connected officially with the City of Martinez*

NAME <b>Christy Kaplan</b>	ADDRESS <b>22 Meleean lane Martinez</b>	PHONE <b>925-360-7752</b>
NAME <b>Kayli Bordak</b>	ADDRESS <b>1155 Breckenridge Martinez</b>	PHONE <b>925-3229198</b>
NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE

**Robert Kaplan**

Type Name to Sign Form

Print Form

Email Form

*If printing, mail or fax completed forms to:*

CITY CLERK - City of Martinez  
 525 Henrietta Street, Martinez, CA 94553  
 Fax: (925) 229-5012

## RESOLUTION NO. 051-23

### A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARTINEZ APPROVING NEW APPOINTMENTS TO VARIOUS COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES

**WHEREAS**, the Martinez City Council has adopted Ordinances which provide for the appointment of members to the City of Martinez Commissions and Committees (“Advisory Body”) by the Mayor with the confirmation of the City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, there are vacant seats in the Civil Service Commission, Measure D Citizens Oversight Committee, Measure H Citizens Oversight Committee, PRMCC, Planning Commission, CCCTA Advisory Committee and Veterans Commission, as the previous incumbents of these seats had unscheduled departures or do not seek re-appointment; and

**WHEREAS**, Martinez citizens had expressed their interest in serving on an Advisory Body and have submitted applications for consideration; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor considered these applications and proposes appointing the following citizens as members according to the laws, ordinances, and regulations governing each Advisory Body:

- Deb Mackey - Civil Service Commission (alternate)
- Emma Holcombe - Civil Service Commission (alternate)
- Ben Therriault - Civil Service Commission (alternate)
- Yasmin Zand - Measure D Citizens’ Oversight Committee
- Logan Campbell - Measure D Citizens’ Oversight Committee
- Lorena Castillo - Measure H Citizens’ Oversight Committee
- Noe Torres - Measure H Citizens’ Oversight Committee
- John Klopp - Measure H Citizens’ Oversight Committee
- Paul Sonnikson - Measure H Citizens’ Oversight Committee
- Jenna Ebert - Measure H Citizens’ Oversight Committee
- Kylie Long - Parks, Recreation, Marina and Cultural Commission
- Max Godino - Parks, Recreation, Marina and Cultural Commission
- Rochelle Johnson - Planning Commission
- Joseph Evans - Planning Commission
- Robert Kaplan - CCCTA Advisory Committee

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City Council of the City of Martinez hereby confirms the Mayor’s new appointments as members to the City of Martinez Advisory Bodies according to the laws, ordinances, and regulations governing said Advisory Bodies, to the terms listed below:


- Deb Mackey – Term expiring May 31, 2027

- Emma Holcombe - Term expiring May 31, 2027
- Ben Therriault - Term expiring May 31, 2027
- Yasmin Zand - Term expiring April 30, 2024
- Logan Campbell - Term expiring May 31, 2025
- Lorena Castillo - Term expiring May 31, 2025
- Noe Torres - Term expiring May 31, 2025
- John Klopp - Term expiring May 31, 2025
- Paul Sonnikson - Term expiring May 31, 2025
- Jenna Ebert - Term expiring May 31, 2025
- Kylie Long - Term expiring June 30, 2024
- Max Godino - Term expiring May 31, 2027
- Rochelle Johnson - Term expiring June 30, 2026
- Joseph Evans - Term expiring June 30, 2024
- Robert Kaplan - Term expiring May 31, 2025

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**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Martinez at a Regular Meeting of said Council held on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023, by the following vote:

- AYES: Councilmembers Jay Howard, Satinder S. Malhi, Debbie McKillop;  
Vice Mayor Mark Ross, Mayor Brianne Zorn
- NOES: None
- ABSTAIN: None
- ABSENT: None

  
 RICHARD G. HERNANDEZ, CITY CLERK  
 CITY OF MARTINEZ