



## City of Santa Barbara City Council Advisory Groups Vacancy Notices

Pursuant to Section 54974 of the California Government Code, notice is hereby given that there are vacancies on the City of Santa Barbara's City Council Advisory Groups.

Applications may be submitted to the City Clerk's Office throughout the year. Applicants will be notified as soon as the next recruitment for City Advisory Groups is scheduled and a revised Vacancy Notice will be posted. Applications may be submitted as follows:

- US Mail: City Clerk's Office, PO Box 1990, Santa Barbara, CA 93102-1990
- Facsimile: 805-897-2623
- Email: [CityAdvisoryGroupApplications@SantaBarbaraCa.gov](mailto:CityAdvisoryGroupApplications@SantaBarbaraCa.gov)

Additional information concerning the function of each Advisory Group, meeting times, and the application for appointment may be obtained from the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 564-5309, or by accessing the City's website at [www.SantaBarbaraCa.gov](http://www.SantaBarbaraCa.gov) (Boards and Commissions page).

## **CITY OF SANTA BARBARA ADVISORY GROUP VACANCY NOTICES**

### **ACCESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Membership: 7

Number of Vacancies: 2

Term Expiration: December 31, 2019 (Public at Large); and  
December 31, 2020 (Architectural/Engineering/Building Community)

Qualifications/Category: Members must be qualified electors\* of the City, or residents.  
  
Representative from the Architectural/Engineering/Building  
Community; or resident of the City.

Incumbent: None.

### **AIRPORT COMMISSION**

Membership: 7

Number of Vacancies: 3

Term Expiration: December 31, 2018

Qualifications/Category: Members must be qualified electors\* of the City or County.

Incumbents: Paul Bowen (County)  
(Appointed 6/26/2018; 6 months)  
Kirk A. Martin (Qualified Elector)  
(Appointed 12/3/2014; 12/7/2010; 12/19/2006; 7/11/2006; 12  
years, 5 months)  
Bruce Miller (Qualified Elector)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 12/9/2006; 7/11/2006; 12  
years, 5 months)

**ARCHITECTURAL BOARD OF REVIEW**

Membership: 7

Number of Vacancies: 2

Term Expiration: December 31, 2018 (Professional Qualifications); and  
December 31, 2019 (Architect/Public at Large)

Qualifications/Categories: Members need not be a qualified elector\* of the City at the time of appointment so long they are qualified electors\* of Santa Barbara County and remain so qualified during their terms on the Board.

Members may be a licensed architect, possess professional qualifications in related fields, including but not limited to, landscape architecture, building design, structural engineering, or industrial design, or may represent the public at large.

Incumbent: Amy Fitzgerald Tripp (Professional Qualifications)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 4 years)

**BUILDING AND FIRE CODE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Membership: Open

Number of Vacancies: 1

Term Expiration: Open

Qualifications/Category: Member must be a resident of the City or of the adjoining unincorporated area of Santa Barbara County; member must also demonstrate knowledge and expertise in specialty areas governed by the construction and fire codes of the City.

May not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

Incumbent: None.

**CENTRAL COAST COMMISSION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS**

Membership: 1

Number of Vacancies: 1

Term Expiration: June 30, 2020

Qualifications/Category: Member must be a resident of the City.

May not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

Incumbent: None.

\* Resident of the City of Santa Barbara who is a U.S. citizen age 18 or older.

**CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**

Membership: 5

Number of Vacancies: 2

Term Expiration: December 31, 2018; and  
December 31, 2021

Qualifications/Category: Qualified elector\* of the City.  
  
May not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government, and for one year after ceasing to be a member, shall not be eligible for any salaried office or employment with the City.

Incumbent: Gabe Dominocielo  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 8 years)

**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE**

Membership: 13

Number of Vacancies: 6

Term Expiration: December 31, 2018 (Westside/Lower Westside Neighborhood and Latino Community)  
December 31, 2019 (Eastside Neighborhood);  
December 31, 2020 (Disabled Community and Oak Park Neighborhood); and  
December 31, 2021 (Homeless-related Services Organization).

Qualifications/Categories: Members must be residents or employees of the designated organization, but need not be qualified electors\* of the City, and must represent the specified category or organization:

- Disabled Community;
- Eastside Neighborhood;
- Homeless-related Services Organization;
- Latino Community;
- Oak Park Neighborhood; and
- Westside/Lower Westside Neighborhood

Incumbents: Alejandra Gutierrez (Westside/Lower Westside Neighborhood)  
(Appointed 6/23/2015; 3 years, 6 months)  
Joanna Romo (Latino Community)  
(Appointed 12/6/2016; 2 years)

\* Resident of the City of Santa Barbara who is a U.S. citizen age 18 or older.

## **COMMUNITY EVENTS AND FESTIVALS COMMITTEE**

- Membership: 7
- Number of Vacancies: 3
- Term Expiration: December 31, 2018 (Public at Large - 2, and Cultural Arts)
- Qualifications/Categories: Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.
- Members must represent the following categories:
- Public at Large; and
  - Cultural Arts
- Incumbents: Dacia Harwood (Public at Large)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 4 years)  
Roger Perry (Cultural Arts)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 12/19/2006; 7/11/2006; 12 years, 5 months)  
Kate Schwab (Public at Large)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/13/2011; 7 years)

## **CREEKS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

- Membership: 7
- Number of Vacancies: 3
- Term Expiration: December 31, 2018 (Public at Large - 2, and Environmental/Land Use Issues)
- Qualifications/Categories: Members must be residents of the City or County of Santa Barbara and have some experience in ocean use, business, and environmental issues and provide community-at-large representation.
- Members must represent the following categories:
- Qualified elector\* of the City or the County representing the public at large; and
  - Member with experience in Environmental/Land use issues.
- Incumbent: Danielle DeSmeth (Public at Large)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 8 years)  
Natasha Lohmus (Public at Large)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 6/28/2011; 6/30/2009; 9 years)  
Penny Owens (Environmental/Land Use Issues)

### **FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSION**

Membership: 5  
Number of Vacancies: 2  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2018  
Qualifications/Categories: Qualified electors\* of the City.  
Incumbent: Jeannie M. Daniel  
(Appointed 6/23/2015; 3 years, 6 months)  
Kathleen McSweeney Zeitsoff  
(Appointed 6/23/2015; 3 years, 6 months)

### **HARBOR COMMISSION**

Membership: 7  
Number of Vacancies: 1  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2018  
Qualifications/Categories: Qualified elector\* of the City.  
Incumbent: Elizabeth "Betsy" Cramer  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 3/6/2007; 11 years, 9 months)

### **HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION**

Membership: 9  
Number of Vacancies: 4  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2018 (Licensed Architect - 2; Public at Large); and  
December 31, 2021 (Public at Large)  
Qualifications/Categories: Members must demonstrate an interest and knowledge of the  
history and architecture of the City. Five of the nine members must  
be qualified electors\* of the City. Of the two appointed Licensed  
Architects, one member shall be a licensed landscape architect.  
Members must represent the following categories:

- Licensed architect
- Public at large

Incumbent: William "Bill" La Voie (Licensed Architect - County)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; Prior service 1993-2001, and 2002-2010;  
4 years)  
Judith Dodge Orias (Public at Large - City)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 8 years)  
Julio Juan Veyna (Licensed Architect - City)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 4 years)

## LIBRARY BOARD

Membership: 5  
Number of Vacancies: 1  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2018  
Qualifications/Categories: Qualified elector\* of the City.  
Incumbent: Will Tomlinson  
(Appointed 6/23/2015; 3 years, 6 months)

## LIVING WAGE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Membership: 7  
Number of Vacancies: 3  
Term Expiration: June 30, 2020 (Nominee of the Santa Barbara Chamber of Commerce or Santa Barbara Downtown Organization);  
June 30, 2021 (Nominee of a Local Living Wage Advocacy Organization); and  
June 30, 2022 (Owner/Manager of a Business within the City).  
Qualifications/Categories: Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government:

- One member nominated by the Santa Barbara Chamber of Commerce or Santa Barbara Downtown Organization;
- One member nominated by a Local Living Wage Advocacy Organization;
- One member who is a manager/owner of a business operating within the City.

Incumbents: Gabe Dominocielo (Owner/Manager of a Business within the City)  
(Term expired 6/30/2018; continuing to serve until a successor is appointed.)  
Anna Kokotovic (Nominee of Local Living Wage Advocacy Organization)  
(Term expired 6/30/2017; continuing to serve until a successor is appointed.)  
Kenneth Oplinger (Nominee of the Santa Barbara Chamber of Commerce)  
(Term expired 6/30/2016; continuing to serve until a successor is appointed.)

**MEASURE P COMMITTEE**

Membership: 7

Number of Vacancies: 7

Term Expiration: December 31, 2018 (Counselor);  
December 31, 2019 (Resident);  
December 31, 2020 (Criminal Defense Attorney, Civil Liberties Advocate, and Resident); and  
December 31, 2021 (Medical Professional and Medical Marijuana Patient).

Qualifications/Categories: Two residents of the City; and  
One representative each:

- Civil liberties advocate;
- Criminal defense attorney;
- Drug abuse, treatment & prevention counselor;
- Medical Marijuana Patient; and
- Medical Professional

Incumbents: Joe Allen (Criminal Defense Attorney)  
(Appointed Term expired 12/31/2008; continuing to serve until a successor is appointed.)  
Charlotte A. Gullap-Moore (Medical Professional)  
(Term expired 12/31/2017; continuing to serve until a successor is appointed.)  
Brandon Morse (Medical Marijuana Patient)  
(Term expired 12/31/2017; continuing to serve until a successor is appointed.)

**MOSQUITO AND VECTOR MANAGEMENT DISTRICT BOARD**

Membership: 1

Number of Vacancies: 1

Term Expiration: January 7, 2019

Qualifications/Categories: Member must be a resident of the City who is registered to vote in the City of Santa Barbara, or a member of the City Council.

Incumbent: Larry L. Fausett  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 6/24/2014; 4 years, 7 months)



### **NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY COUNCIL**

- Membership: 13
- Number of Vacancies: 4
- Term Expiration: December 31, 2018 (Public at Large - 2; and Neighborhood Representative - 2)
- Qualifications/Categories: Members shall be residents of the following neighborhoods: Eastside, Westside, Laguna, and Lower Eastside (as those neighborhoods are described in the General Plan Land Use Element). Members at large may reside in any area of the City.
- The City Council may, but is not required to, appoint up to three (3) youth of age sixteen (16) years or older. Priority in youth assignments should be given to youth from the six (6) specified neighborhoods.
- Incumbent: Beebe Longstreet (Public at Large)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 4 years)  
Stacey Lydon (Lower Westside Neighborhood)  
(Appointed 6/28/2016; 2 years, 6 months)  
May O'Mahoney (West Downtown Neighborhood)  
(Appointed 12/6/2016; 2 years)  
Don Perkins (Public at Large)  
(Appointed 6/26/2018; 6 months)

### **PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION**

- Membership: 7
- Number of Vacancies: 2
- Term Expiration: December 31, 2018
- Qualifications/Categories: Qualified electors\* of the City. One member may be an individual of age sixteen (16) years or older who resides in the City but is not a qualified elector of the City.
- Incumbents: Tara Armbruster  
(Appointed 12/6/2016; 2 years)  
Beebe Longstreet  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; Prior Service 199-2006; 8 years)

## **PLANNING COMMISSION**

Membership: 7  
Number of Vacancies: 1  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2018  
Qualifications/Categories: Qualified elector\* of the City.  
Incumbents: Jay Higgins  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 4 years)

## **RENTAL HOUSING MEDIATION BOARD**

Membership: 15  
Number of Vacancies: 7  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2018 (Landlord, Tenant - 2, and Homeowner);  
December 31, 2019 (Landlord, and Tenant); and  
December 31, 2021 (Landlord).  
Qualifications/Categories: Majority of members (8) must be City residents; a maximum of  
members (7) may be non-City residents who reside in a jurisdiction  
that contracts with the Rental Housing Mediation Program for  
services. Those jurisdictions currently are: City of Goleta, and City  
of Carpinteria.  
  
Members must meet the definition of the following categories:  

- Tenant Mediator: tenants who rent or lease his or her residence  
and may not own residential property;
- Homeowner Mediator: homeowner must own his or her  
residence and may not own any other residential property; and
- Landlord Mediator: landlord that must own or manage residential  
properties for consideration or compensation, whether single  
or multiple units.

  
Incumbents: Jeremy Bassan (Landlord)  
(Appointed 12/12/2017; 1 year)  
Robert Burke (Tenant)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 8 years)  
Rene Gomez (Tenant)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 4 years)  
Bruce Wollenberg (Homeowner)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; Prior Service 2006-2014, 1981-1989; 4  
years)

**SANTA BARBARA YOUTH COUNCIL**

Membership: 15  
Number of Vacancies: 3  
Term Expiration: June 30, 2019 (Local Private School); and  
June 30, 2020 (Local Alternative, Community, or Continuation High School)  
Qualifications/Categories: Members must be between the ages of 13 – 19 years. Members must be residents of the City:

- Two members must be from a Local Alternative, Community, or Continuation High School (Residents of the City or County of Santa Barbara); and
- One member must be from a local private school.

Incumbents: None.

**SIGN COMMITTEE**

Membership: 3  
Number of Vacancies: 2  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2018  
Qualifications/Categories: Qualified electors\* of the City who represent the public at large.  
Incumbents: Ken Sorgman  
(Appointed 6/26/2018; 6 months)

**SISTERS CITIES BOARD**

Membership: 3  
Number of Vacancies: 1  
Term Expiration: December 31, 2018  
Qualifications/Categories: Member may be a resident of the City or County of Santa Barbara.  
Incumbents: Takako Wakita  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 12/19/2006; 12/17/2002; Prior Service 1995-1999; 16 years)

\* Resident of the City of Santa Barbara who is a U.S. citizen age 18 or older.

## **TRANSPORTATION AND CIRCULATION COMMITTEE**

Membership: 7

Number of Vacancies: 4

Term Expiration: December 31, 2018

Qualifications/Categories: Members must be qualified electors\* of the City. Up to 2 of the 7 members may be qualified electors\* of the County.

Incumbents: Hillary Blackerby (City)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 6/30/2009; 9 years)  
E. Howard Green (City)  
(Appointed 6/23/2015; 3 years, 6 months)  
Susan Horne (City)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 12/7/2010; 8 years)  
Kathleen Rodriguez (City)  
(Appointed 12/9/2014; 6/26/2012; 6 years, 6 months)