

COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO  
APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT  
TO A BOARD, COMMISSION, OR COMMITTEE

Date: 12-1-14

Applying For: Homeless Services Oversight Council (HSOC)

Name: Tarjes D. O.

Address: [REDACTED]

Email Address: [REDACTED]

Home Phone: [REDACTED]

Place an "X" next to the HSOC membership category below which you wish to represent:

- County Government Service Providers (Behavioral Health, Planning, Social Services, Veterans Services, or Probation)
- Non-profit Service Providers
- Which area(s) of the county does this organization serve? \_\_\_\_\_
- Affordable Housing Developers
- Local K-12 Academic Institution
- Local Businesses/Business Organizations
- Law Enforcement
- Local Health Provider
- Local Faith Community
- Interested Community (preferentially with homelessness experience)
- Currently or Formerly Homeless Person
- Veterans Services Representative
- Local University or School of Higher Education
- Local Hospital
- Victims' Services Representative

Please cite your affiliation, as staff member, board member or volunteer, with any community services agency or organization:

Officially on break from most of my previous applications, which is why I believe now is a good time to re-

Please describe how you qualify for the HSOC category which you have selected above:

I have a very long history of interest and participation in community issues, with a special focus on the homeless.

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While not necessarily required, knowledge of issues relating to homelessness and/or previous involvement in addressing homelessness are desirable for HSOC members and will be considered by the selection committee prior to making its recommendations to the Board of Supervisors. Please summarize your experience with the issue of homelessness or with homeless clients:

I began working with the homeless population in the Santa Monica area over 25 years ago, as a volunteer. I didn't begin formal employment until 1998 and my involvement continues to today.

Please explain why you would like to serve on the HSOC (attach a separate sheet if necessary):

I am very passionate and concerned about the people who are living in our streets, creeks, shelters, etc.

Solving the homeless crisis is something I am committed to do no matter how long it takes or what is involved. Extremely committed to solving

Please note: It is possible that the selection committee may contact you to ask for additional information if necessary to prepare its recommendations for HSOC membership to the Board of Supervisors. Yes

If appointed, are you willing to participate in the majority of meetings each year and, if necessary, in numerous related meetings of subcommittees?  Yes  No

Should you be appointed, are you willing, if necessary for that particular body, to file a statement of disclosure as a public official under the standards set forth by the Fair Political Practice Commission?  Yes  No

Signed [Signature] Date 12-6-14

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Date called/interviewed \_\_\_\_\_ Recommended for appointment? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Appointee prefers not to have address or phone numbers(s) published? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Additional Comments: