COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT APPLICATION

Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission (SCCRTC)
Bicycle Advisory Committee

The Bicycle Advisory Committee consists of eleven seats: one for each city within Santa Cruz County, one for each of the county districts, one representing the Bike to Work program and one representing the Community Traffic Safety Coalition. Each of the seats has an alternate member appointed in the case that the primary member is unable to attend a meeting.

Meetings are currently held the second Monday of even numbered months at 6:00 p.m. in the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission conference room, located at 1523 Pacific Avenue in downtown Santa Cruz. Please refer to the Committee description and bylaws for more information: https://sccrtc.org/meetings/bike-committee/.

If you are interested in serving on this committee, we recommend reviewing the by-laws and attending a meeting to familiarize yourself with the committee process. After doing so please complete this application and email a scanned signed copy to aschenk@sccrtc.org or return a signed copy to the RTC office.

Name: _____________________________________________________________
Home address: _______________________________________________________
Mailing address (if different): ___________________________________________
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Phone: (home) ________________ (business/message/mobile)__________________
E-mail: _____________________________________________________________
Length of residence in Santa Cruz County: ~20 years _______________________

I am applying to represent the following vacant position (circle one):

- City of Capitola - Primary
- City of Capitola - Alternate
- City of Scotts Valley - Primary
- City of Scotts Valley - Alternate
- City of Santa Cruz - Alternate
- City of Watsonville - Alternate
- County District 4 - Primary
- County District 4 - Alternate
- County District 5 - Alternate

I would consider a different position - either a different location or alternate versus primary (circle one): Yes / No
Previous experience on a government commission or committee: (Please describe the committee/commission’s purpose and your role.)

Previously, I worked for the County of Santa Cruz Public Works Dept. I also convene and chair an Active Transportation Committee in Scotts Valley. I served on the Board of Directors for Ecology Action for 11 years. I am a consultant for the City of Scotts Valley Public Works Department.

Other Relevant Work or Volunteer Experience

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Statement of Qualifications: Please attach a brief statement indicating why you are interested in serving on this committee and why you are qualified for the appointment. If you have served on this committee in the past, please summarize your accomplishments on the committee and indicate which of the committee’s potential future endeavors most interest you.

Certification: I certify that the above information is true and correct and I authorize the verification of the information in the application in the event I am a finalist for the appointment.

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Signature                 Date

Return Application to:    SCCRTC Attn: Anais Schenk
                          1523 Pacific Avenue
                          Santa Cruz, CA 95060
                          fax: (831) 460-3215 or email: aschenk@sccrtc.org

Questions or Comments:    Contact Anais Schenk at (831) 460-3209 or by email at aschenk@sccrtc.org.
I operate an environmental consulting firm. Environmental Innovations (EI) provides environmental consulting services to businesses, local governments and learning institutions in the areas of Green Business, environmental awareness, public outreach, and Sustainable Management.

It would be an honor to serve on the Bicycle Committee representing Scotts Valley. I have lived in Scotts Valley since 2005 and in Santa Cruz County for approximately 20 years. I coached cross-country mountain biking for five years. I am an avid cyclist, both road and mountain. I have been keen to see active transportation grow in Scotts Valley with the influx of bike industry and a growing group of citizens who are also passionate. I started a volunteer group called the Scotts Valley Active Transportation Group. We run a “Rolling School Bus” once a month that safely takes kids to Vine Hill School. The effort involved the school, parents, the Police Department as well as volunteers to lead and usher kids to school by bike. I have proposed bike infrastructure and obtained funding for that infrastructure. I know the routes well and can speak to how they tie in with other County routes.

Josephine Fleming, Principal Scientist and Owner

Skills Summary:
- Environmental Scientist with Multi-media experience in soil, wastewater, storm water, air, and solid waste resource management
- Experience with regulatory compliance, resource conservation, and sustainability
- Training and work ethic from the private sector with experience in the public sector
- Significant supervisory experience with a track record of only hiring and maintaining the best employees
- Rational, analytically-minded, mathematical thinker
- Strong collaboration abilities, never confrontational
- Ability to understand complicated industrial and corporate processes and recognize cost-saving pollution prevention opportunities
- Practice resource conservation and pollution prevention techniques at home and in life to afford a sustainable future to the next generation

Awards:
- Western Regional Pollution Prevention Network Pollution Prevention Champion 2003.
- County of Santa Cruz “Gold” Employee of the Year Award 2004.
- California Water Environment Association Pretreatment, Pollution Prevention and Stormwater Person of the Year 2003
- Department of Toxic Substances Control Office of Pollution Prevention Recognition for exemplary work in promoting Pollution Prevention 2003 and 2006
- CWEA Certified Environmental Compliance Inspector

Education:
- University of California, Riverside: Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science, Minor in Spanish Literature.
- Universidad de Granada, España: Educational year abroad, emphasis on ecology in Hispanic cultures.
- University of New England, Australia: First year toward a full scholarship Ph.D. in Resource Engineering.
Experience:

Environmental Programs Coordinator, Extra Help: Amy Gross, County of Santa Cruz Department of Public Works. Perform public outreach duties as it pertains to the Santa Cruz County Sanitation District, present pollution prevention opportunities to businesses in the District and market businesses on behavioral changes toward sustainability. Begin and coordinate a Monterey Bay Area Green Business Program to provide an incentive for businesses to go above and beyond regulations. Additional duties were to supervise work necessary to achieve certification of governmental facilities. (March 2006 to April 2007)

Environmental Programs Coordinator: Russell Bateson, County of Santa Cruz Department of Public Works. This environmental regulatory position performed all of the above, as well as overseeing an Environmental Compliance Inspection Program and a Federally-mandated Industrial Wastewater Pretreatment Program. (May, 2002 to February 2006)

Senior Environmental Engineer: Cherryl McDougall, Seagate Technology LLC. Performed duties related to Environmental Health and Safety including composing, managing and administering the following programs: hazardous waste management, hazardous waste minimization, air emissions management, industrial wastewater management, chemical management, chemical hygiene, emergency response planning, hazardous energies management, and numerous health and safety programs. (January 2001 to April 2002)


Laboratory Research Assistant: Dr. David Crohn, Solid Waste Management, University of California, Riverside. Assist in constructing a mathematical computer model for the treatment of municipal wastewater through an artificial wetlands and its effects on the ecological system. Determined nutrient cycling patterns in water and benthos. Additional experiments also determined nutrient cycles in farm soils treated with biosolids and in composts. (October 1995 to August 1996)

Radiation Safety Technician: Environmental Health and Safety, University of California, Riverside. Radioactive and hazardous waste pickup, analysis, and disposal or proper storage to comply with EPA regulations. (August 1994 to October 1995)


Lab Assistant: Borax España. Maintenance and operation of an Atomic Absorption Spectrometer to analyze Boron products. (June to September 1992)

Leadership/Community Experience:

Director: Ecology Action of Santa Cruz Board of Directors. As a board member, responsibilities were to oversee and govern the actions of the organization. Ecology Action is a nonprofit environmental consultancy delivering cutting edge education services, technical assistance, and program implementation for initiatives that assist individuals, business and government to maximize environmental quality and community well being.

Director: Neighborhood Childcare Center Board of Directors. As a board member, responsibilities were to oversee and govern the actions of the organization. NCC is a preschool for children of working parents committed to economic and social justice (sliding pay scale), with a focus on conflict resolution, cultural diversity, and Spanish language enrichment.

List of Current Clients:

City of Watsonville
Ecology Action of Santa Cruz
County of Santa Cruz
City of Scotts Valley
California Green Business Network
California State University Monterey Bay