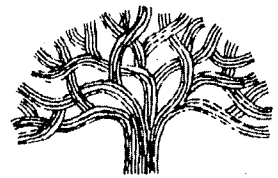


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Office of the Mayor  
Honorable Libby Schaaf  
Mayor

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Letter of Appointment

November 17, 2016

The Honorable City Council  
One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Second Floor  
Oakland, CA 94612

Dear President Gibson McElhaney and members of the City Council:

Pursuant to City Charter Section 601, the Mayor has reappointed the following person as member of the following board or commission, subject to City Council confirmation:

**Cannabis Regulatory Commission**

**Amanda Reiman** is reappointed to the Cannabis Regulatory Commission as the City Auditor Representative for the term beginning August 1, 2016 and ending July 31, 2018, retaining the seat she previously held.

**A. Kathryn Parker** is reappointed to the Cannabis Regulatory Commission as the At Large Representative for the term beginning August 1, 2016 and ending July 31, 2018, retaining the seat she previously held.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Libby Schaaf  
Mayor

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# Amanda Reiman PhD, MSW

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**Current Employment**      Policy Manager, CA  
Drug Policy Alliance  
San Francisco, CA

   Lecturer  
School of Social Welfare  
University of California, Berkeley

   Affiliate Scientist  
Alcohol Research Group  
Emeryville, CA

**Education**                      University of Illinois at Chicago                      *Chicago, IL 1999*

   B.A. in Applied Psychology

   Jane Addams College of Social Work                      *Chicago, IL 2002*

   Masters Degree in Social Work: Community and Administrative  
Practice concentration

   University of California, Berkeley                      *Berkeley, 2006*

   PhD in Social Welfare

   Areas of specialty: Substance use; Theories of deviance; Policy  
analysis

   Dissertation: Cannabis Care: Medical marijuana facilities as health  
service providers

   Dissertation Chair: Lorraine Midanik, PhD

**Selected Presentations**                      National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws  
International Conference *San Francisco, 2006; Portland, OR 2010;  
Denver CO 2011*

- Presented dissertation research: Cannabis Care
- Presented data on cannabis as a substitute for alcohol and other  
drugs
- Presented on dispensary based research and the naïve medical  
cannabis user

Harm Reduction Coalition International Conference *Oakland, 2006;  
Austin, 2010*

- Presented dissertation research: Cannabis Care
- Presented data on cannabis use patterns among the chronically ill.

American Public Health Association Conference *Washington D.C. 2007; Denver 2010*

- Presented research on self medication and substitution among medical cannabis patients.
- Presented data on cannabis use among chronically ill patients

International Conference on Cannabis Therapeutics *Pacific Grove, CA 2008; R.I. 2009; AZ 2012*

- Presented research on medical cannabis facilities
- Presentation on medical cannabis standardization

International Cannabinoid Research Symposium *St. Charles, IL 2009, 2011; Lund, Sweden 2010*

- Presented research on cannabis as a substitute for alcohol and other drugs
- Presented data on cannabis use among chronically ill patients
- Presented poster on utilization of dispensaries for research

International Symposium on Safe Medicine *Portland, ME 2010*

- Presented data on cannabis use among chronically ill patients

Institute on Psychiatric Services (American Psychiatric Association) *San Francisco, CA 2011*

- Presented data on cannabis as a substitute for prescription drugs

Drug Policy Alliance *Los Angeles, CA 2011*

- Presented on three panels related to medical cannabis.

MAPS *Oakland, CA 2011*

- Presented during the day long symposium on cannabis.

University of Denver Law School *Denver 2012*

- Presented at a symposium on medical cannabis policy.

#### Selected Publications

Reiman, A. (2007). *Medical Cannabis Facilities: Inside cannabis care*. VDM Publishing: Germany.

Reiman, A. (2007). Patient Profiles: Medical cannabis patients and health care utilization patterns. *Complementary Health Practice Review*, 12(1), 31-50.

Reiman, A. (2008). Self-efficacy, social support and service integration at medical cannabis facilities in the San Francisco Bay area of California. *Health and Social Care in the Community*, 16(1), 31-41.

Reiman, A. (2009). Cannabis as a substitute for alcohol and other drugs. *Harm Reduction Journal*, 6, 35.

Reiman, A. (2009). Moral Philosophy and Social Work Policy. *Journal of Social Work Values and Ethics*, 6(3):  
<http://www.socialworker.com/swve/content/view/full/136/69/>

Kerr, W., Greenfield, T., Patterson, D., and Reiman, A. (2009). *Alcohol Policy Research and Alcoholic Beverage Control Systems: Annotated Bibliography and Review*. Prepared for the National Alcoholic Beverage Control Association.

Gambrill, E. and Reiman, A. (2011). A Propaganda Index for Reviewing Articles and Manuscripts: An Exploratory Study. *PLoS ONE* 6(5):e19516. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0019516.

Janicheck, J. and Reiman, A. (2012). Clinical Service Desires of Medical Cannabis Patients. *Harm Reduction Journal*, 9:12.

Lucas, P., Reiman, A. and Earleywine, M. (in press). Cannabis as a substitute for alcohol and other drugs: A dispensary-based survey of substitution effect in Canadian medical cannabis patients. *Journal of Addiction Theory and Research*.

Teaching	Graduate Student Instructor: Research Methods University of California, Berkeley	2004-2006
Experience	G.S.I. of the Year: Research Methods	Fall/Spring 2005/2006
	Lecturer University of California, Berkeley School of Social Welfare Social Welfare 148: Substance Abuse Treatment Social Welfare 110: Social Work as a Profession Social Welfare 282A/B: Research Methods Social Welfare 116: Social Work with the LGBT Population Social Welfare 238B: Drug and Alcohol Policy	Summer 2006-present
	Faculty Mentor Transfer Alliance Program University of California, Berkeley	Summer 2007
	Faculty Mentor McNair Scholar's Program	Summer 2009

**Research Experience**

National Association of Social Workers, Illinois Chicago, IL 2001 - 2002

**Graduate Student Intern**

- Researched and disbursed information regarding policy changes affecting Illinois social workers.
- Developed and carried out a research project on the salaries and benefits along various job positions, education levels and years of experience of Illinois social workers.
- Helped plan Lobby Day, a chance for social work students in Illinois to visit the state capital and meet with legislators.

National Abandoned Infants Assistance Resource Center

Berkeley, CA 2002-2003

**Graduate Student Researcher Level II**

- Collected and cleaned data from over 20 programs funded by the Abandoned Infants Assistance Act. Analyzed the data and developed a research report related to policies on pregnancy and substance use.
- Updated fact sheets on subsidized and standby guardianship and developed a grid of state-by-state policies concerning subsidized guardianship.
- Researched and developed reports on prenatal substance use and discarded infants.

University of California, Berkeley

Berkeley, CA 2003-2006

**Graduate Student Researcher Level V**

- Worked under Dr. Eileen Gambrill as a graduate student researcher
- Edited new edition of Social Work Practice Textbook
- Developed a rating form for MSW research projects
- Developing a propaganda scale for social services research

Alcohol Research Group: School of Public Health

Berkeley, CA 2005-2006

**Pre-doctoral Fellow**

- Completed dissertation on Medical Marijuana Facilities as Health Service Providers
- Attended weekly seminar on public health related research

**Post-doctoral Fellow**

Emeryville, CA 2006-2008

- Attended weekly seminar on public health related research
- Attended workshops on advanced statistical methods, including HLM
- Completed two general population research studies using the National Household Survey on Drug Use and Health under a UCB approved protocol.
- Conducted a research study on alcohol and marijuana as substitutes/compliments for the second year of the post-doc, using national data from the U.S. and Canada.
- Assisted on an R21 grant resubmission on alcohol consumption patterns and BMI.
- Submitted an R21 grant as P.I. to NIDA to design and pilot a National Cannabis Survey.
- Co-wrote a policy review on economic alcohol policies for the National Alcoholic Beverage Commissioners
- Completed work on a time-series analysis of drug and alcohol mortality in the United States

**Berkeley Patient's Group**

*Berkeley, CA 2007-2012*

- Completed a survey of 350 medical cannabis patients.
- Conducted a focus group on patient service utilization
- Completed a detailed program evaluation report for Berkeley Patient's Group
- Project development for community-based participatory research in California and Maine around medical cannabis
- Conducted needs assessments and program evaluations to inform medical cannabis policy and practice in California.
- Completed 2 Federal Grant applications (R21, R01) in conjunction with the Alcohol Research Group.
- Developed and maintained the patient services program, including the Helping Hands program which provides free medicine to 200 patients per week.
- Developed and conducted educational seminars for the patient population and the greater community.
- Conducted a survey on the use of CAM among medical cannabis patients.
- Coordinated the social service program.

**SPARC**

*San Francisco, CA 2011*

- Oversaw a research project assessing the relationship between meditation and cravings for methamphetamine.

**Medi-Cann**

- Currently collaborating on a UC Berkeley approved study reviewing charts of individuals seeking medical cannabis recommendations in Medi-Cann clinics to assess substitution behaviors.

**Administrative Experience**

**Academic Coordinator**

*Berkeley, CA 2008-2010*

**School of Social Welfare, UC Berkeley**

- Worked with the Associate Dean to create the course schedule and workload for the department
- Acted as an advisor for students having issues with the program and/or faculty
- Participated on the Executive Committee and other faculty and departmental committees
- Sought and hired outside lecturers to cover courses within the department
- Scheduled weekly colloquia



**A. Kathryn Parker**

Oakland, CA 94612

**Relevant Experience:**

**Robert A. Raich, P.C.**

March 2011 to Present  
Oakland, CA  
*Paralegal*

**Americans for Safe Access**

March 2011 to September 2011  
Oakland, CA  
*Development Manager*

**Marijuana Policy Project**

January 2009 to April 2010  
Washington, DC  
*Membership Coordinator*

**Students for Sensible Drug Policy**

August 2006 to May 2008  
Raleigh, NC  
*North Carolina State University Chapter Secretary*  
May 2008 to Present  
*Alumna*

**Relevant Conferences Attended:**

**This is Your Brain on Drug Policy**

Hosted by Students for Sensible Drug Policy  
San Francisco, CA  
March 2010

**International Drug Policy Reform Conference**

Hosted by Drug Policy Alliance  
Los Angeles, CA  
November 2011

**Women's Visionary Congress**

Hosted by Women's Visionary Council  
Petaluma, CA  
July 2011

**2012 International SSDP Conference**

Hosted by Students for Sensible Drug Policy  
Denver, CO  
March 2012  
*Panelist: How to Use a Non-Drug Policy Career to Fight the War on Drugs*  
*Recognized for "Outstanding Alumni" award*



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Approved by the City Attorney and Legal Counsel  
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City Attorney's Office

# OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY MAYOR LIBBY SCHAAF

**RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF AMANDA REIMAN AND A. KATHRYN PARKER AS MEMBERS OF THE CANNABIS REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**WHEREAS**, Section 601 of the City Charter provides that members of City boards and commissions shall be appointed by the Mayor subject to confirmation by the affirmative vote of five members of the City Council, and

**WHEREAS**, the Oakland Cannabis Regulation and Revenue Act (Ordinance 12694 C.M.S.), also known as Measure Z, adopted by the voters of Oakland, November 2, 2004, in the General Municipal Election, creates the Cannabis Regulatory Commission to oversee the ordinance's implementation and the disbursement of revenue from licensing and taxation of businesses that sell cannabis; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oakland Cannabis Regulation and Revenue Act specifies that members of the Cannabis Regulatory Commission are to be appointed one by the Mayor, one by the City Auditor, one by the City Administrator, and one from each Member of the City Council, to serve unlimited two-year terms; and

**WHEREAS**, the Honorable Mayor Libby Schaaf has reappointed **Amanda Reiman and A. Kathryn Parker** to serve two-year terms subject to confirmation by the City Council, now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That pursuant to City Charter section 601, the City Council confirms this mayoral reappointment as follows:

**Amanda Reiman** is reappointed to the Cannabis Regulatory Commission as the City Auditor Representative for the term beginning August 1, 2016 and ending July 31, 2018, retaining the seat she previously holds.

**A. Kathryn Parker** is reappointed to the Cannabis Regulatory Commission as the At Large Representative for the term beginning August 1, 2016 and ending July 31, 2018, retaining the seat she previously holds.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES – BROOKS, CAMPBELL-WASHINGTON, GALLO, GUILLÉN, KALB, KAPLAN, REID AND  
PRESIDENT GIBSON MCELHANEY

NOES –

ABSENT –

ABSTENTION –

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_

LATONDA SIMMONS  
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of  
the City of Oakland, California