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OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

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Office of the Mayor Honorable Libby Schaaf Mayor (510) 238-3141 Fax (510) 238-4731

Letter of Appointment

May 25, 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 a member of the following board or commission, subject to City Council confirmation:

Landmark Preservation Advisory Board

Stafford Buckley, Mayoral reappointment to serve a three- year term on the Landmark Preservation Advisory Board beginning on February 22, 2016 and ending February 21, 2019, retaining the seat previously held by himself.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely

Libby Schaaf Mayor

March 5, 2014

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Name Stafford Buckley

Type of Employment Self-employed Garden Designer

Why I wish to serve The Landmark's Board is a great place for me to plug in to Oakland in a useful way. I believe strongly that it is important for citizens anywhere to participate at a local level. The opening on the Landmarks Board appears to be a natural fit and a good place for me to offer my services and use my skills. I have a long-time interest in architecture, history and preservation and I know Oakland well. I believe that these interests, coupled with my organizational skills, can benefit Oakland.

What experience do you have in this topic area? I have a long expanence with historic properties. In the 70s and early 80s, I was active in the preservation of the Goodman Building in San Francisco and its placement on the National Register. I effectively played the role of City Hall liaison and thus have long experience mediating between passionate preservation advocates and practical solutions. In the 80s I was involved in the preservation of my family home, which was moved from 28th Street to Preservation Park

Experience serving on Boards and Commissions Long-time board member of Operation Concern, the outpatient LGBT mental health clinic of California Pacific Medical Center, Board of Piedmont Historical Society – where I have taken the lead in developing an archive of historic local architects' plans and drawings of significant structures. I have participated on numerous other boards.

<u>Memberships</u> CA Historical Society, BAHA, CA Garden and Landscape History Soc, Pácific Horticultural Society, The Garden Conservancy, Foundation for Landscape Studies, Library of American Landscape History, honorary member of The Garden History Society of the United Kingdom

<u>Volunteer Activities</u> Chair of the Docent Mountain View Cemetery Docent Committee and lead docent – 15 years My particular emphasis is the history of the cemetery as a garden and the history of its maker Frederick Law Olmsted

References

Dennis Evan**o**sky Michael Colbruno Betty Marvin 16 MAY 26 PM 3: 12

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City Attorney's Office

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO C.M.S.
INTRODUCED BY MAYOR LIBBY SCHAAF
RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S REAPPOINTMENT OF STAFFORD BUCKLEY AS A MEMBER OF THE LANDMARKS PRESERVATION ADVISORY BOARD
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, Ordinance No. 192 C.M.S. creates the Landmarks Preservation Advisory Board, whose members are nominated by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council; and
WHEREAS , the Landmarks Preservation Advisory Board consists of seven members including but not limited to Landscape Architect or City Planner, Oakland Historian or Architectural Historian, Real Estate Broker, and Architect, whose members of the Landmarks Preservation Advisory Board are to serve three year terms, which are to be staggered so that some appointments will expire every year, and appointments to fill a term of office are only to be for the remainder of that term; now, therefore, be it
RESOLVED: that pursuant to City Charter section 601, the City Council hereby confirms the Mayor's reappointment of:
Stafford Buckley (Landscape Architect), Mayoral reappointment to serve the term beginning February 22, 2016 and ending February 21, 2019, retaining the seat previously held by himself.
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