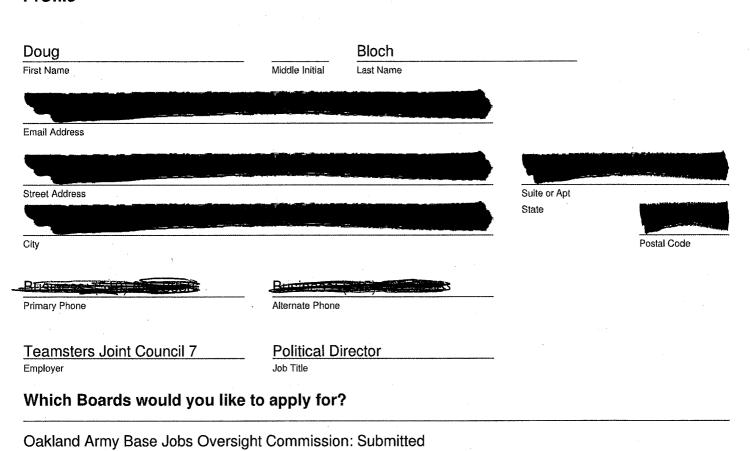
Profile



Interests & Experiences

Please tell us how your qualifications and participation will relate to the requested board and/or commission's mission.

The Teamsters represented thousands of contract workers at the Army Base prior to the base closure. When the base closed, we remember the promise to bring good union jobs back to Oakland, particularly to West Oakland and the City's African-American community. As such, I represented the Teamsters in negotiations with both the City and the Army Base developers for the Community Jobs Agreement. Our union is signatory the Agreement. I have subsequently worked toward realizing the project's success, including advocating for state and federal funding, consulting with the West Oakland Jobs Resources Center, and more. Teamsters are currently working on the construction and we will represent rail, warehouse, and other workers when it is built. Additionally, I have almost twenty years experience as a community and labor organizer in Oakland, running campaigns in West Oakland and East Oakland, at the Port of Oakland, and more. I am intimately familiar with the economic, environmental justice, and other issues surrounding port-related developments.

Doug Bloch Page 1 of 2

Please submit your resume or curriculum vitae. You may upload a document. (A Word format is preferred.) Alternatively, you may paste the text of your resume in the field provided below.

<u>Doug_Bloch_Resume.docx</u>
Upload a Resume
Please paste the text of your resume or curriculum vitae below.
·
Please click the acknowledgement below.
Service on City of Oakland boards, commissions, and committees may require filings of the
FPPC's Statements of Economic Interest (Form 700). Upon appointment and determination
of filing status, I will comply with all filing obligations.
Service on City of Oakland boards, commissions, and committees may require filings of the FPPC's Statements of Economic Interest (Form 700). Upon appointment and determination

☑ I Agree *





Doug Bloch

Objective

Community/Political organizing position with progressive organization.

Experience

2004-present

SEIU Local 24/7

Oakland, CA

Lead Researcher

- Developed and implemented corporate, legal, legislative, and regulatory strategies to advance organizing and bargaining campaigns in Bay Area and Sacramento.
- Developed successful strategies to organize sub-contracted service workers in the public sector.
- Coordinated union's political program, including endorsement process and legislative efforts.
- Delegate to Alameda County Central Labor Council.

2003-2004

California ACORN

Oakland, CA

California Political Director

- Coordinated statewide education reform campaign in six cities and Sacramento. Managed local and statewide coalition of Labor, community organizations, academics, and elected officials.
- Ran countywide referendum campaign--including the coalition and fieldwork--to keep big box stores
 out of unincorporated Contra Costa County, one of costliest election campaigns in Wal-Mart history.

2001-2003

Oakland ACORN

Oakland, CA

Head Organizer

- Managed staff, budget, campaigns, Executive Board, and external relationships.
- Organized community around neighborhood issues in Districts 3, 5, 6, and 7.
- Increased voter turnout by over 20% in 88 low-turnout precincts in East and West Oakland in support
 of Just Cause eviction protection ordinance.
- Working with the Oakland Education Association, organized parents in Oakland flatlands schools around education reform issues and built local coalition to support efforts.

1999-2001

ACORN

Seattle, WA

Pacific Northwest Regional Director

- Established new organizing operations in Seattle and Portland.
- Managed staff, budgets, and campaigns and built external relationships for both offices.
- Ran successful campaigns for expanded utility assistance programs and new sidewalks for a lowincome Seattle neighborhood.

1994-1999

NGO Coordinating Committee

Thailand

Organizer

- Organized people living with HIV/AIDS to win increased health benefits.
- Organized two slum communities to win land rights and city services.

Education

1995

University of Washington

Seattle, WA

- B.A., International Studies.
- Graduated Summa Cum Laude.

Skills

Proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel, Powerpoint, and Access. Fluent in Thai.