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NOTICE OF VACANCY

LAFCO SEEKS ALTERNATE PUBLIC MEMBER

The Humboldt Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo) is accepting applications from interested community members to serve as the Alternate Public Member on the Commission. The Alternate Public Member participates in Commission meetings and serves as a voting member in the absence or disqualification of the Regular Public Member. The appointment is for a four-year term ending June 30, 2030.

LAFCo is an independent agency established by the California State Legislature to oversee changes in local government organization and boundaries. The Commission reviews proposals such as annexations and reorganizations, conducts municipal service reviews, and evaluates public service delivery. Through these responsibilities, LAFCo promotes orderly growth, efficient services, and the preservation of agricultural lands and open space.

The Commission is comprised of seven voting members, including two members of the Board of Supervisors, two city council members, two special district members, and one public member, each with an alternate. Meetings are typically held six times per year at 9:00 a.m. on the third Wednesday of odd-numbered months at the City of Eureka Council Chambers.

Eligibility Requirements: Applicants must:

- Be a resident of Humboldt County;
- Be available to attend regular Commission meetings;
- Have a general understanding of LAFCo responsibilities; and
- Not be an officer or employee of a local public agency, or serve on a board or commission with authority to make advisory or final decisions related to land use or the provision of services

The position is considered a public office and requires annual financial disclosure filings (Form 700), which are maintained by LAFCo in accordance with the California Fair Political Practices Commission regulations.

Application Process: This position will remain open until filled. Applications received by June 19, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. will be considered for potential appointment at the July 15, 2026 LAFCo meeting. Selected applicants may be contacted for additional information and/or invited to participate in an interview prior to appointment.

Applications may be submitted by email at info@humboldtlafo.org or by mail to LAFCo, 670 9th Street, Suite 202, Arcata, CA 95521. Application materials and additional information are available at www.humboldtlafo.org or by calling (707) 445-7508.