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Dear Mr. Wiseman,

I am placing myself for consideration in the nominating process for the MLPA North Coast Regional Stakeholder Group.

Our region needs a dedicated and balanced voice in the MLPA process. I have been an active participant in the MLPA since it began and with the Open Beaches & Trails group have been working on MPA Array Proposals.

I understand the overall depth of this issue and will represent the interests of our region's stakeholders.

My record of public service includes:

Current Humboldt County Planning Commissioner
Current Director at MCSD (McKinleyville Community Services District)
Current Director ACWA (Association of California Water Agencies)
Current Member Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District Water Task Force
Current Beaches and Trails Representative for the Blue Ribbon Coalition
Founder of Open Beaches & Trails

Past member of the Humboldt Bay Harbor District Strategic Planning Committee - developed legislative language that permanently protected commercial surf fishing at Redwood National/State Park, and currently working on the transfer criteria for surf fishing access at Gold Bluffs Beach/RNSP with the California Commercial Beach Fishermen and other stakeholders.

Past member of the advisory committee that developed the Humboldt Co. LCP (Local Coastal Plan) for 4 years

Past member of several planning groups for Humboldt County including the current McKinleyville General Plan, The MCSD, planning committee for newly constructed sediment filtration ponds; Chairman of 10 Pony Express Days celebrations and fund raising for the McKinleyville Library and Sheriff's substation, created the Humboldt Area Foundation Fireman's Fund

Charter Member of the Mad River Rotary

Founding member, first director and long time board member of the Humboldt Open Door Clinic

Current and past Board member of InterState Rodeo Association, Northern California Horseman's Association; Pony and Pals, 4-H, Junior Livestock Auction, California State Grange Association, McKinleyville Rodeo Association

I have the time, knowledge of the issues and as I hope you are aware, the dedication, and the commitment to fair play and balance and an overwhelming dedication to my family, my community, my country, and the public policy process to be the right person for a seat on the MLPA Regional Stakeholder Group.

Thank You for your consideration of this matter and any help you can give me in representing the north coast more effectively in the MLPA process.

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