

City of Costa Mesa Application for Committee/Board Appointment

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Name: RON AMBURGEN



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77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Indicate the name of the Committee/Board you are interested in serving on:
FAIRVIEW PARK CITIZENS ADVISORY COM.

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I AM VERY INTERESTED IN THE FUTURE USE OF FAIRVIEW PARK.

I AM A LIFELONG CITY RESIDENT

I HAVE BEEN INVOLVED WITH MANY NON PROFITS AND SPORTS BOOSTER CLUBS OVER THE YEARS.

I AM A LOCAL BUSINESS OWNER, CONCRETE CONTRACTOR, FOR THE LAST 37 YEARS

I AM CURRENTLY SERVING ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF COSTA MESA UNITED AND YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

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Name: Terry (aka Frank T.) Cummings

Indicate the name of the Committee/Board you are interested in serving on:

Fairview Park Citizens Advisory Committee

As a 13 year resident of Costa Mesa and frequent user of Fairview Park, I have a keen interest in preserving its unique qualities while searching for ways to increase park utilization.

For 8 years as a dog walker and 11 years as an active member of the Orange County Model Engineers, I have watched the growth and enhancement of the Park's features and wildlife. During that time other user groups have advocated changing from the passive use nature embodied in the Master Plan. In general, these potential users were found inconsistent with the Master Plan. An Advisory Committee would likely be comparing further alternate designs and uses to those presently in place as well as developing tradeoffs between potential new users and existing users. A key criterion would be: to what degree do new users move the City in the direction of decline as happened with Lions Park where much of its square footage has been consumed by developed structures at the expense of open space.

Now, what specifically would I bring to the Committee?

Business Experience: 38 years working in the Aerospace Industry including 28 years as General Manager of a business unit of a publically traded company. The company had 80 employees when I joined it in 1966 and over 5000 when I retired in 1998. During my final year, my unit employed over 1000 people and had sales over \$170 million.

The company employed a "decentralized" management structure which meant a very small corporate office with nearly all management functions handled directly by the General Managers.

Additionally, my unit led the Company's adoption of Total Quality Management and the implementation of practices and policies specified by the Software Engineering Institute (a Department of Defense sponsored entity).

All of this means I have extensive experience managing very large and complex projects and solving difficult problems as well as anticipating unintended consequences.

Other Experience: Board Member of the San Pedro-Peninsula Chamber of Commerce

Education:

BS Electrical Engineering MIT 1961

MS Electrical Engineering MIT 1962

UCLA Executive Management Program 1976

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Name: Brett Eckler

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Fairview Town Citizens Advisory Committee



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March 19, 2013

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City of Costa Mesa
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Subject: Application for Committee Appointment Attachment

1. Why I wish to serve on the Fairview Park Citizens Advisory Committee:

I am extremely interested in exploring various possibilities for this under-utilized park. I'd like to see it be a benefit to more in the community than it currently is. I have presided over and been a part of many volunteer and professional committees locally and within the state. I feel I would bring an experienced voice and one who could work with other committee and community members to identify, research, and ultimately propose viable options for use of this park in Costa Mesa.

2. Experience and Qualifications:

Eckles Construction, Inc
Vice President
Commercial Subcontractor in California

American Subcontractors of Los Angeles, Orange County, and Inland Empire
President - 3 years

American Subcontractors Association of California
President - 6 months

AYSO Region 97
Commissioner - 3 years
Assistant Commissioner - 3 years
Board Member - 2 years

Costa Mesa Youths Sports Commission
Representative - 3 years

Newport Harbor High School Boys Lacrosse Booster Club
Board Member - 6 months

Thank you


Brett Eckles

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Name: DR. Richard J. MEHREN



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FAIRVIEW PARK Citizens Advisory Committee

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I HAVE ALWAYS had an interest in Fairview PARK. I live within walking distance of the PARK and walk throught the park and the adjacent County TALBERT PARK 2-3 X per week.

I spoke before the City Council opposing the County's plan for the park in 1998, and was subsequently appointed to the ORIGINAL FAIRVIEW PARK Citizens Advisory Committee. I served on the Committee for 17 years the last 15 of which I served as CHAIRMAN of the Committee. DURING this time I spoke before the Council advising them that the Committee could not reconcile our vision of the park with the County's plans and recommended that the city try to buy the property.

The Council did just that, and the Committee worked with the Parks and Recreation staff to select a planning firm. Ultimately the Committee working with staff and the planning firm adopted the first FAIRVIEW PARK MASTER PLAN which was presented to the City Council and finally approved by the Council.

I have just recently Retired and would be happy to volunteer time to the FAIRVIEW PARK Committee. I think my perspective from former involvement with the Committee could be valuable.

DURING my walks thru the PARK I have noted some things needing attention which I have advised MR Staples of, while CHAIRMAN of the Committee in the past I WAS ABLE to work closely with city staff, the Council, and the Committee to finally ARRIVE AT A Completed Master Plan.

In addition I served on the original Parks and Recreation Commission for 12 years during which time I took my prescribed turn as CHAIRMAN several times. I am familiar with a variety of plants including native plants.

IN SHORT I LOVE Fairview PARK, am pleased with how it has developed to date and would like to help by giving my input.

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Name: Steve Smith



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Fairview Park Advisory Committee

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I wish to serve on this committee to help preserve Fairview Park as one of Costa Mesa's treasures so that it may be used and enjoyed appropriately for generations to come.

For 17 of the 27 years I have lived in Costa Mesa, my residence was located about 50 yards from Fairview Park. As a result, I was at the park several times a week, sometimes during my morning run, often with my family.

During that time, I came to know Fairview Park well and to appreciate its importance not only to the city, but to the county as well. I have seen the park affected by all types of weather, by crowds, and even by tragedy, as I was living near the park when Cecelina Godsoe was murdered there in 2001. I have a unique and clear understanding of how these events may impact its use and condition.

In addition, my extensive personal travel has taken me to countless parks in cities in the U.S. and abroad. This will help the committee develop "best practices" recommendations that will save both time and resources.

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Name: David J. Stiller
Street: _____
City: _____
Phone (_____) _____
E-mail Address: _____



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Indicate the name of the Commission/Committee/Board you are interested in serving on:

Fairview Park Citizen's Advisory Committee

1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

Fairview Park is the largest park in Costa Mesa, it is very largely undeveloped and the fulfillment of the Master Plan will be a significant process in the city's future.

My experience as a Parks Commissioner in the past provides me with a depth of knowledge which will enable me effectively serve on this Committee and assist in the realization of the great potential of Fairview Park to the benefit of the residents of Costa Mesa.

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Costa Mesa Senior Corp.
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Attention: The Board of Directors

Dear Directors:

I apply for appointment to your Board of Directors.

I was married to Clarisse Stiller from 12-31-1965 until she she died on 9-1-2007. Both our sons attended public schools in Costa Mesa. My birthdate was 10-17-1935.

EDUCATION:

I was graduated from Cleveland Heights High School in Ohio in June 1953.

I was graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy in June 1957, received a B. S. degree and a Commission as an Ensign in the U. S. Navy.

I completed two years of night Law School at Cleveland Marshall Law School from September 1965 through June 1967.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD:

I served as a Commissioner Officer in the U. S. Navy from June

1957 until June 1965. I resigned my Commission as a Lieutenant and received an Honorable Discharge.

I was employed as a Purchasing Agent by the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company from September 1965 until May 1969.

I was employed by Merrill Lynch as an Account Executive from May 1969 until July 1973.

I was employed by the Allstate Ins. Co. as a bodily injury investigator and a litigation specialist from July 1973 until February 1996.

I was employed by as an investigator by Pioneer Claims Service from March 1996 until November 1999 when I was last gainfully employed.

PUBLIC SERVICE:

I served on Costa Mesa's Transportation Commission from March 1989 until that Commission was abolished by the City Council in December 1993.

I served on Costa Mesa's Parks and Recreation Commission from April 1993 until January 2001 and again from February 2005 until January 2007.

I was appointed as an Alternate to Costa Mesa's Investment Oversight Committee in October 2005 and continue to serve in that capacity.

Very truly yours,

David J. Stiller

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Name: Anna Vrška

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I am a long time resident of Costa Mesa (since 1987), and would like to be involved in keeping Costa Mesa a wonderful place to live as well as working to make it better. To that end, I've attended city council meetings over the last year and kept up to date on what is going on in the city. Last month I was excited to hear about the Fairview Park Citizens Advisory Committee and feel this is a good way for me to participate, contribute my skills & knowledge. For the last 3 years I have been on the Board of Directors of Orange Coast River Park and immensely enjoyed learning about OC parks / open spaces and working to preserve, maintain & improve them. I am enthusiastic to positively contribute what I can. Thank you for your consideration.

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Name: Dennis Popp
Street: _____
City: _____
Phone: _____
E-mail: _____



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Fairview Park Committee

1. Indicate why you wish to serve on this Commission/Committee/Board:

I live near the park and visit it frequently – on foot. Since I see it often I collect ideas about enhancements – and concerns that I'd like to address directly.

I'm particularly interested in the bluff access issues. And, I'd like to help find ways to utilize the park's space and facilities for the most people. And, as far as possible, I'd like to see it used for the most diverse activities possible. I think planning, scheduling, and a minimum of changes will accommodate the most citizens.

The better we make the park, the more it will be used. And the more it is used, the more it will draw productive people to join us as Costa Mesa citizens.

Finally, since I live nearby, I can help keep some of the Park's other neighbors informed of park issues and plans informally.

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Name: Lee A. Ramos



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I am applying to serve on the Fairview Park Advisory Committee because I believe this is the right time to step forward and give to my city and the community. I came to Costa Mesa in 1947 and have had the privilege to share in the history of the community. I am truly grateful for the support that my parents received in raising our family in Costa Mesa and consider my volunteer time as giving back to them, all the neighbors and citizens from my past. I view this as an exciting time in the city to move forward for the future, and would feel very honored to be a part in helping our city to develop Fairview Park. My strong points are the ability to bring people to together, to listen, and to meld ideas from all levels. Having a connection here for 64 years I believe I will be able to share the past with the present and to work for the future. As Costa Mesans we have the opportunity to develop Fairview Park for all our families and children. It will be a part of all of us. My background and work experience is the ability to bring people's ideas together successfully. I have been a national regional supervisor of offices across the country, I have reorganized departments, set standards and policies, and taught and mentored supervisors. The gift of volunteer time will be the enjoyment of seeing families sharing in coming to Fairview Park's future development.

Thank you for your consideration.

Lee A. Ramos

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Name: Frank Davern

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I would like to serve on the Fairview Park Citizens Advisory Committe, because I am interested in making sure that Fairview Park is the best park that it can be.

I hike 4-miles in Fairview Park almost every morning before work with my two pups for the past several years. I really do enjoy the people that I run into during my early morning hikes, it is usually the same group of people, not a lot of hikers out there at 5:30 am. I would like to help those people have a voice on what goes on in the park, even if it's just a small voice.

I have been volunteering in the outdoor community for years, helping build and maintain trails, picking up trash and giving tours. I even have a hiking blog, where I review hikes in and around Orange County. You can find my blog at; www.ca-hiking.com

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