

OPEN SESSION AGENDA ITEM

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DATE: February 26, 2018

TO: **Members, Board Executive Committee
Members, Board of Trustees**

FROM: Stephanie Choy, Interim Director, Office of Legal Services

SUBJECT: Legal Services of Northern California (LSNC),
Appointment of Attorney Members to Board of Directors

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Pursuant to regulations of the Legal Services Corporation (LSC), the State Bar of California makes appointments to multi-county, federally funded legal services programs. The State Bar Guidelines for Appointment of Attorney members to Boards of Directors of Programs Funded by the Legal Services Corporation allow members to serve a maximum of six years (through successive terms of either two or three years). A member may be reappointed as required to serve as an officer, or for other good cause, such as lack of eligible candidates from the service area.

The State Bar appoints 22 members to the Board of Directors of Legal Services of Northern California (LSNC). The members serve staggered terms. At its October 17, 2017 meeting, the LSNC Board of Directors recommended the reappointment of six attorney board members for a second three-year term. The attorneys are: Lesli Caldwell, Josie Corporon, Mary DuBose, Robert Joehnc, Deborah Kollars and John Zorbas.

BACKGROUND

Pursuant to federal regulations of the Legal Services Corporation (45 C.F.R. § 1607), the State Bar of California makes appointments to multi-county, federally funded legal services organizations upon their request and recommendations. As part of the appointments process, the State Bar is in a position to help individual organizations reach out to a larger and more diverse pool of State Bar members which in turn allows the organizations to attract stronger candidates, and ultimately ensures the organizations have better governance and are more effective delivering legal services to low income Californians. The State Bar Guidelines for Appointment of Attorney Members to Boards of Directors of Programs Funded by Legal Services Corporation allow the members to serve a maximum of six years (through successive terms of either two or three years). A member may be reappointed as required to serve as an officer, or for other good cause, such as lack of eligible candidates from the service area.

Number of Board Members: 36

Length of Term: 3 years

Number of Attorneys Appointed by State Bar: 22

Number Seeking Appointment: 0

Number Seeking Reappointment: 6

DISCUSSION

The Board of Legal Services of Northern California recommends the reappointment of Lesli Caldwell, Josie Corporon, Mary DuBose, Robert Joehnck, Deborah Kollars and John Zorbas. Their proposed terms would commence on March 31, 2018, and expire on March 31, 2021.

The recommendation letter from Gary Smith, LSNC Executive Director, including the current LSNC Board demographics and the resumes for the six attorney board members recommended for reappointment, are attached.

FISCAL/PERSONNEL IMPACT

None

RULE AMENDMENTS

None

BOARD BOOK AMENDMENTS

None

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS & OBJECTIVES

Goal: 4. Support access to justice for all California residents and improvements to the state's justice system.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board Executive Committee and Board of Trustees approve the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees approve the reappointment of Lesli Caldwell, Josie Corporon, Mary DuBose, Robert Joehnck, Deborah Kollars and John Zorbas to the Board of the Directors of Legal Services of Northern California, each for a second three-year term, commencing March 31, 2018, and expiring March 31, 2021, or until further order of the Board, whichever occurs earlier.

ATTACHMENTS LIST

- A.** Recommendation Letter from Legal Services of Northern California
- B.** Current Board Demographics
- C.** Resume for Lesli Caldwell
- D.** Resume for Josie Corporon
- E.** Resume for Mary DuBose
- F.** Resume for Robert Joehnck
- G.** Resume for Deborah Kollars
- H.** Resume for John Zorbas

LEGAL SERVICES
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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

January 26, 2018

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Sent via electronic mail sharon.ngim@calbar.ca.gov

Re: Re-appointment of State Bar Board Members

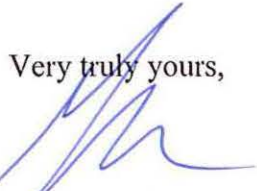
Dear Sharon:

As we recently discussed, at its October 17, 2017 meeting the Board of Directors of Legal Services of Northern California, Inc. (LSNC) approved the following State Bar-appointed attorney Board members for new three year terms:

Deborah Kollars
Mary K. DuBose
John Zorbas
Josie Porras Corporon
Robert Joehnck
Lesli Caldwell

LSNC requests that the State Bar of confirm the re-appointment of these Board members. Their resumes are on file with the State Bar, and an updated LSNC Board roster is attached. Please give me a call with any questions. Thanks very much.

Very truly yours,



Gary F. Smith
Executive Director

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A Legal Services Corporation Program 

Legal Services of Northern California
Board of Directors Composition
January 23, 2018

Ethnicity	Male	Female
White	9	12
Latino	1	3
African American	0	0
Asian American	0	1
	Summary	
10-Males 16-Females 26 Total		21- Caucasian 4-Latino 0-African American 1-Asian American 26 Total

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Lesli M. Caldwell

Experience

February 2007 to present

Solano County Public Defender July 2010 to present

Chief Defender of Office of the Public Defender, Administrator of office of 80 employees.

Chief Deputy Public Defender February 2007 to July 2010

As Chief Deputy: plan, organize and supervise criminal defense operations in the Public Defender's Office, management of 31 attorneys:

July 1980 to February 2007

Office of the Public Defender, Contra Costa County

Deputy Public Defender IV, 1986 to present

Felony trials for twenty two years, defending highly complex and/or sensitive felony criminal cases, to include Death Penalty cases. Using comprehensive knowledge of all aspects of criminal, evidentiary and constitutional law, including substantive, procedural and ethical considerations, defend felony criminal cases.

- Misdemeanor trials and Superior Court Probation calendars
- Juvenile court, dependency and delinquency
- Specialization in gang cases and mental health issues

1977-1979

Community Legal Services San Jose, Cal.

- Student Attorney
- Law Clerk: Housing

Education

University of California, Berkeley
B.A. Sociology, 1976
University of Santa Clara, California
J.D. 1979

Professional Memberships:

California Attorneys for Criminal Justice, 1980 to present, *Board Member* 2007-2011
California Public Defenders Association, 1980 to present
National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, 1999 to present
National Legal Aid and Defenders Association, 2007 to present
American Council of Chief Defenders, 2007 to present
Women Defenders, 1997 to present, *Board Member* 2007 - 2009

Community Service, Board Membership

East Bay Community Recovery Project, 1993-2000 Member, *Board of Directors*,
Oakland YMCA , *Board of Managers*, 2000 –2008; Member

Instructor:

California Public Defenders Association, lecturer, *Capital Defense Seminar*, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2010; faculty member *Basic Trial Skills* (annually, 2000 to present)

California Attorneys for Criminal Justice, lecturer, *Capital Defense Seminar*, 2000 -2003, 2005-2007, invited 2010; *Advanced Trial Skills* seminar June 2005

Brian Shechmeister *Death Penalty College*, lecturer (2000), Faculty 2013

Mendocino County Public Defender Seminar, lecturer (2000, 2001, 2003, 2004)

Contra Costa County Public Defender, Training Committee, member (2000 to 2007)

Institute for Litigation Studies; Center for American and International Law, Texas; faculty member, *Capital Defense Jury Selection*, 2009

Forensic Mental Health Association, lecturer, March 2010

Solano County Public Defender Seminar, lecturer (2005, 2007, 2008), Training Supervisor 2/2007 to present

Publication

Penal Code Section 1368; What to Look for In Your Client; Contra Costa Lawyer, Vol.17, No. 10, October 2004, Contra Costa County Bar Journal

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Education:

University of Iowa College of Law, Iowa City, Iowa

Juris Doctor, May 1999

Extra-Curricular Activities: Co-President of the Organization for Women Law Students and Staff (OWLSS), Fall 1998; participant and student assistant of the London Law Consortium, Spring 1998; student elected representative of the Iowa Student Bar Association, Spring/Fall 1997; participated in the intramural flag football league, Fall 1996 and 1997; member of the Chicano-Hispanic Association for Legal Education (CHALE); member of the Equal Justice Foundation which raised money to provide grants for public interest internships.

California State University, Chico, California

Bachelor of Arts, Social Work, May 1992

Legal Experience:

Attorney

Corporon Law Office, Chico, California

2003 - present

Two attorney law practice, focusing on the following practice areas: estate planning, elder law, including long-term care and Medi-Cal planning, conservatorship and planning for incapacity, durable powers of attorney for health care and financial management, probate and trust administration. Guest speaker on issues related to elder law and estate planning. Member of National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys ("NAELA").

Associate Attorney

Neil A. Harris & Associates, Chico, California

2002 - 2003

Practiced in the areas of elder law and estate planning, including wills and trusts, under the supervision of the area's only Certified Elder Law Attorney, as certified by the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys. Performed research, prepared court pleadings and made court appearances. Presented information to the public to provide education and enhance understanding of this area of the law.

Legal Contractor and Staff Attorney

Legal Services of Northern California, Butte Regional Office, Chico, California

2001 - 2002

Advocated primarily for elders and the mentally ill through specific grant programs in civil matters including consumer law, public benefits, housing, and related matters. Services were provided largely on an outreach basis requiring travel within a specified geographical area. Successfully represented clients at administrative appeals.

Staff Attorney

Georgia Legal Services Program, Dalton Regional Office, Dalton, Georgia

1999

Provided legal services to low-income and elderly clients in civil matters including public benefits, housing evictions, family law matters, wills, and consumer law issues. Worked on nursing home litigation.

**Certified Specialist, Estate Planning, Trust & Probate Law, State Bar of California Board of Legal Specialization*

Legal Clinic Student Intern

University of Iowa College of Law, Iowa City, Iowa

Fall, 1998

Researched and prepared legal memoranda for Social Security Administration appeal. Assisted petitioners in filing for bankruptcy. Compiled discovery request for 24 U.S.C. § 1983 action.

Non-Legal Experience:

Medical Social Worker

Enloe Medical Center

2000-2002 and

N.T. Enloe Memorial Hospital, Inc., Chico California

1994-1995

Provided medical social services to eligible home care and hospice patients. Performed assessments to assist patients and families in setting goals, provided advocacy, counseling, information, and referrals.

Social Worker III, Child Protective Services

Glenn County Human Resource Agency, Willows, California

2000

Provided emergency assessments of allegedly abused children, including interviewing children, parents, school personnel, and other child care workers. Prepared reports for court ordered detentions and appeared in court on behalf of the Agency.

In-Home Family Therapist

Family Resources, Inc., Muscatine, Iowa

1995-1996

Provided in-home family counseling to promote family relationships and prevent foster care placement.

Medical Social Worker

Butte Home Health and Hospice, Inc., Chico California

1993-1994

Made home visits to home health and hospice patients. Acted as primary managed care and hospice social worker requiring detailed understanding of Medicare and Medicaid benefits. Provided patient advocacy and assisted patients and families in accessing community resources in a 9 county geographical area.

Bar Membership:

The State Bar of California, admitted January, 2002

The State Bar of Georgia, admitted November, 1999

Community Involvement:

Greater North Valley Local Leadership Council

Alzheimer's Association, Northern California & Northern Nevada, Butte, Glenn and Tehama Counties

Peg Taylor Center Board Member

Innovative Health Care Services, Butte, Glenn and Tehama Counties

Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Advisory Committee Member

California Health & Human Services Agency

Northern California Chapter Board Member, Treasurer

National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys

RESUME

MARY K. DUBOSE

Attorney Bar # 217451

EDUCATION

B.S. Education, University of Illinois
M.A. Education, Specialization in Reading Instruction, San Jose State University
M.B.A., Santa Clara University
Ed.d., Educational Administration, University of the Pacific
J.D., McGeorge School of Law (graduated first in the class, 2001)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Elementary School Teacher, San Jose Unified School District--7 years
Bilingual Curriculum Specialist, San Jose Unified--3 years
Elementary School Principal, San Jose Unified--3 years
Director of Curriculum, San Jose Unified--2 years
Assistant Superintendent, San Jose Unified--2 years

Deputy Superintendent, Albuquerque Public Schools--3 years

Deputy Superintendent, Tacoma Public Schools--2 years

Superintendent, Washoe County School District, NV (Reno, Sparks, Incline Village)-- 8 years

Employment Law Attorney, Orrick, Herrington and Sutcliffe, Sacramento, CA—10 years

Blissfully enjoying retirement since August 2011

MAJOR COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

In Tacoma: Served on the Board of Tacoma Nature Center

In Reno: Served on the Boards of United Way, the Boy Scouts, Rotary (President of Rotary Club of Reno), The Children's Cabinet of Northern Nevada (a nonprofit providing services and resources to children and families through a cooperative effort between the private sector and public agencies).

In Sacramento: Present volunteer activities include: Lector at Divine Mercy Catholic Church, volunteer attorney for the Western States Pension Assistance Project (part of the Senior Legal Hotline), volunteer attorney at VLSP Employment Law Clinic, Hospice Volunteer (Kaiser Permanente), Volunteer Naturalist and Paddle Guide at Cosumnes River Preserve. Formerly delegate from District A to Natomas Park Homeowners Association.

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EDUCATION

Preparatory Education: University of California, Berkeley, B.A. in Economics, Distinction in General Scholarship, Honors Program Completed in the Major

Legal Education: University of California, Berkeley (Boalt Hall), LL.B., Member, Moot Court Board

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

My legal practice has focused on the areas of environmental law, mining law, oil and gas drilling, all phases of real estate and real estate and land use law, municipal law, municipal finance, redevelopment law, housing and housing finance law, and mandate and injunction litigation. In earlier years of my practice I was also involved in general corporate and civil litigation matters.

I have served as General Counsel for the California Housing Finance Agency, and have been the city attorney and redevelopment agency counsel to a number of cities in California. I have consistently been involved in practice areas at the intersection of private enterprise and state and local government regulation.

Present: Attorney, Nevada County. I have a restricted practice scope. I am working as a "retired annuitant" staff counsel for the Sierra Nevada Conservancy in Auburn (now completed). My principal other activity is as counsel with the Sierra Fund, a Nevada City based 501(c)(3), where my primary function is to work on historic toxic mine clean-up issues.

2005-2007. Executive Director, Project Jump Start (Nevada County). Project Jump Start is a small non-profit corporation that works with the Superior Court, Probation Department, and Public Defender's office, to place indigent inmates in the county jail who have drug and alcohol problems into long term (6 months to a year) residential rehabilitation facilities, of which there are none in Nevada County.

Department of Conservation: October, 1998 –May, 2005. Senior Staff Counsel. As Senior Counsel I dealt primarily with legal issues arising under the Surface Mining & Reclamation Act of 1975 (SMARA), state and federal regulation of aggregate and precious metal mining, oil drilling regulation for the Division of Oil,

Gas and Geothermal Resources, including CEQA, CERCLA, and clean air and water regulation. I worked extensively with the State Mining & Geology Board and its staff, as well as the Office of Mine Reclamation.

I have some background in Native American legal issues as they relate to environmental regulation and land use. My practice also involved issues dealing with the interaction (preemption) between federal and state environmental and environmental and land use regulation. I have been extensively involved in legislative matters in the mining field.

Department of Housing & Community Development: August 1996-October 1998. My primary duties involved underwriting of multifamily project loans for various loan programs administered by HCD.

Private Practice: 1984-1996. Placer County, California. Civil practice emphasizing municipal law, environmental litigation, land use and real estate development law, and CEQA litigation. During this period of time I was a contract city attorney for the City of Wheatland and the Town of Loomis. I was also involved in private real estate development efforts and currently maintain a real estate broker's license.

California Housing Finance Agency: 1976-1984. Senior Counsel and later General Counsel, California Housing Finance Agency, Sacramento. My duties with CHFA included primary legal responsibility for all CHFA matters; management of staff counsel; liaison with bond counsel, office of the State Treasurer and the Attorney General, and the CHFA Board of Directors.

On a technical level my activities included drafting or reviewing all program and financial documents for this new State agency. I had extensive involvement with underwriters, rating agencies, underwriters' counsel, and developers. During my tenure with CHFA, this non-budget agency went from a start up mode to having issued in excess of \$2 billion in tax exempt financing, which in turn was loaned to non-profit and for-profit single family and multi-family housing developers.

Private Practice: 1966-1976. Los Angeles. During most of this time I was an associate and partner in the Los Angeles firm now called Richards, Watson & Gershon. The firm had an extensive real estate and municipal law practice and my practice within the firm emphasized those two areas. I started the firm's redevelopment agency practice. During this period I functioned as a city attorney and/or redevelopment counsel for a number of cities in the Southern California area, including Bell Gardens, Carson, Rosemead, Palm Desert, Lawndale, Vista, Monrovia and Costa Mesa. I also handled the first administrative case (and later others) involving the then newly created California Coastal Zone Conservation Commission.



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Deborah J. Kollars is an associate attorney at the Sacramento-based boutique law firm Remy Moose Manley, LLP, which specializes in environmental law, land use and planning, water law, initiatives and referenda, and administrative law generally. The partners of the firm are Whitman F. Manley, James G. Moose, Andrea K. Leisy, Sabrina V. Teller, Tiffany K. Wright, and Howard F. Wilkins, III. The firm also employs other attorneys who are experienced in environmental and land use law.

Ms. Kollars joined the law firm in April 2013 after an extensive career as a journalist and communications consultant on water issues. Her practice focuses on land use and environmental law, including the California Environmental Quality Act.

EDUCATION

Ms. Kollars received her Bachelor's Degree in Journalism in 1983 from the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, where she graduated with distinction. She received her Juris Doctor from the University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law in Sacramento, California, in May 2012. She graduated with great distinction and was admitted to the Order of the Coif. While at McGeorge, Ms. Kollars was awarded annual Dean's Scholarships; earned Dean's List honors in 2010, 2011 and 2012; was admitted to the Traynor Honor Society; received a Witkin Award in Legal Process; and was awarded second honors in Trial Advocacy.

EXPERIENCE

During her final semester in law school, Ms. Kollars served as a judicial extern to the Honorable Ronald B. Robie, California Court of Appeal, Third Appellate District. While there, she wrote draft opinions for Justice Robie, and assisted his chambers in other duties and research projects. In 2010, Ms. Kollars completed a legal internship with the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, where she assisted with research on federal and state water and environmental matters.

Prior to joining the legal profession, Ms. Kollars enjoyed a successful career as a journalist. She wrote for the Miami Herald newspaper between 1983 and 1986, then joined The Sacramento Bee newspaper, where she was a senior writer until 2008. While at The Sacramento Bee, she specialized in in-depth government and public policy reporting, earned numerous state and national journalism

awards, and developed deep ties within California's capitol region. Her coverage areas included local government, politics and elections, urban development, public education, flood control, consumer affairs and the arts.

Between 2008 and 2012, Ms. Kollars worked as a communications consultant to the State Water Contractors while attending law school. Her work involved research and writing on a wide range of water, environmental, hydrological, ecosystem and biological topics, including the Bay Delta Conservation Plan, for both internal and external audiences.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Member, State Bar of California (No. 285195)
- Member, Environmental Law Section of the State Bar
- Member, Sacramento County Bar Association.

CURRICULUM VITAE

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POSITION

Law Library Director, Spring 1995 - Present.

Direct operations of mid-size California County Law Library with an annual budget of now but \$180,000: Responsible for law reference services to the public, print and online collection development, management of accounts, recruitment of volunteers, hiring and training staff, cataloging and outreach.

EDUCATION

M.S.L.S., 1994, The Catholic University of America; J.D., 1985, Monterey College of Law; B.A., 1981, University of California, Berkeley

LIBRARY AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Faculty, Legal Research and Writing, Cal Northern School of Law [Chico, CA] Summer 1999 - Summer 2002.

Reference Librarian, Library of Congress, Congressional Research Service, Washington, DC Spring 1994.

Library School *Practicum*: Educated in the role of the Congressional Reference Division; trained in the use of the computer-based retrieval system of LC by the LC Staff; assigned to the Government and Law Team: Performed online searches and answered Government and Law reference questions for Congressional members and staff.

Youth Services and Adult Reference Volunteer, San Benito County Free Library [Hollister, CA], 1992-1993.

Provided assistance and instruction to young readers in the development of general reading interests and basic library skills

LAW PRACTICE

Contract Attorney, Jones & Jones [Monterey, CA], 1991-1993.

Drafted appellate briefs and discovery requests, prepared pleadings and motions, conducted general library research and provided general litigation assistance to Attorney W. Montgomery Jones and his staff. Second-chaired at an 8-day court trial in Monterey County that involved numerous medical witnesses and culminated in a favorable judgment.

Sole Practitioner, [Carmel, CA and Hollister, CA] 1989-1993.

Provided legal research support in civil cases requiring substantial library work. Areas of experience were conservatorship, real estate, insurance policy coverage and personal injury litigation. Personal clients were landlords and tenants and domestic violence/civil harassment plaintiffs; drafted wills.

PRE BAR-ADMISSION EMPLOYMENT

Judicial Extern, Law and Motion, Superior Court of California, County of Santa Cruz, Fall 1986.

Law Clerk, Noland, Hamerly, Etienne & Hoss [Salinas, CA] 1985 - 1986.

Prepared research memoranda and drafting assignments for members and associates of the firm.

Law Clerk, Jones & Jones [Monterey, CA], 1982 - 1985.

Prepared probate accountings and research and drafting assignments.

COMPUTER KNOWLEDGES

Include Live-Chat Reference, Lexis and Westlaw, QuickBooks and Microsoft Office

PUBLICATIONS

Generic Motion for Pro Se Use where permitted by local rule or custom

www.courtinfo.ca.gov/programs/equalaccess/documents/GenericMotion.doc-2007-12-18

Petition to Declare Minor Free from Parental Custody and Control, for Adoption

[Glenn County Superior Court Local Rule Form](#)

Debtor's Kit for Responding to Summons

Clinic Packet

Default Set-Aside Packet

[Butte County Superior Court Optional Form](#)

Family Law Exhibit List and Trial Brief Combined

<http://www.sblawlibrarv.org/Content.aspx?G=5f36ef0a-acbb-4b6e-8e54-dd224c6aca04>

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Judge Pro Tern, Superior Court of California, County of Butte, Small Claims Division, 1998-. Thirty-seven calendars, February 1998 –

Mediator, Superior Court of California, County of Butte, Subjs.: Civil Harassment/Conflict, Commercial Litigation, Dental Malpractice (Damages), Eldercare (Hospital, Family Member (FM)1, FM2, FM3) Eighteen settlement calendars, April 2005 –

Volunteer, Legal Services of Northern California, Inc., Monthly Debt Clinic, April 2012- April 2013

Rotarian, Oroville Noon Rotary

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

Butte County Sheriff's Parole Board, Public Member 2013-

Butte County ADR Coordinator, by Bd. of Supervisors' Appointment 2005-2011

Legal Services of Northern California, Inc. Board Member 2005-2011

Judicial Council Task Force on Self-Represented Litigants Member 2004-2014

Butte County Superior Court Self Represented Litigants Planning Committee
Member 2001-2002

Cal Northern School of Law Faculty 1999-2002

Council of California County Law Librarians Legislation Committee 1996-1999,
Grants Committee 2003-2010, Grants Committee Chair 2003-2010, Directors'
& Trustees' Manual Co-Chair 2012-, SRL Task Force Liaison 2004-

Board Member Friends of the San Benito County Free Library, 1992-1993

Directly campaigned for and responded to public questions asked at
local legislative meetings regarding a Friends-backed April 1993 local
ballot measure to establish a County Service Area with a parcel
assessment established to maintain Public Library funding.

MCLE SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Judicial Council of California: Regional Conference on Assisting Self-
Represented Litigants, Chico, CA, April 20, 2001. Topic: The Changing
Role of Court Clerks and Law Librarians. Presentation certified for 1.5
hours MCLE. .5 Legal Ethics

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Butte County Bar Association

Council of California County Law Librarians

State Bar of California

PERSONAL

Born, 1957, Berkeley California; Married; Butte County Resident 19 Years