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Applications

Profile

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Indicate Supervisor Who Will Receive a Copy of your Application *

Fifth District - Steve Lavagnino

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Primary Phone

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Cachuma Resource Conservation District Board of Directors: Submitted

Reference 1 Name

Jim Glines

Reference 1 Address

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Reference 1 Telephone

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Reference 1 Occupation

Chairman of Board of Community Bank of Santa Maria

Reference 2 Name

Teresa Bontrager

Reference 2 Address

[Redacted]

Reference 2 Telephone

[Redacted]

Reference 2 Occupation

Executive Director Santa Barbara County Farm Bureau

Reference 3 Name

Kevin Merrill

Reference 3 Address

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Reference 3 Telephone

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Reference 3 Occupation

Southern Operations Manager Mesa Vineyards Management Company

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No

Interests & Experiences

Please explain why you are interested in serving, and what experience you bring to the Committee. Attach additional documentation as necessary.

I am requesting to be reappointed to the Cachuma Resource Conservation District Board. In early 2013 I began attending these monthly meetings to discover this board's purpose, projects, and successes. I soon became an associate member and then a full voting board member. I currently serve as the secretary/treasurer and co-chair of the finance committee. I have a high attendance record having only missed a few meetings since I began as an associate member. I am the 4th generation of our agricultural family to be born and raised Santa Maria Valley and I bring this history to this board. I retired from 37 successful years teaching at Santa Maria High School and I want to continue to help guide our board in its conservation endeavors.

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I bring many credentials to this board including years of volunteering for the Santa Maria High FFA. I chaperoned girls to judging contests at either ends of the state and watched them grow academically and socially into diverse women. I am proud to be an Honorary Chapter Farmer of the Santa Maria FFA. I bring years of volunteering for many Ag related activities and because of my commitment, the Santa Barbara County Farm Bureau honored me as Advocate of the Year. I blended my knowledge of FFA and the Farm Bureau organization and along with 3 others, and created the Blue Jacket Bonanza Program that is now nation wide. Our barbecue team and I cook for community fundraisers and we are very proud to keep the Santa Maria Style Barbecue tradition alive. I served as Co-Chair of the Grand Nationals Livestock Show Barbecue for 29 years. I am on the Board of Directors of Community Bank of Santa Maria and I bring my cow-calf ranching business experience to both boards. Our future is important to me. I would appreciate being reappointed.

Demographics

Ethnicity

Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

Gender

Female


Date of Birth

Education Completed:

BA from Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, Secondary Life Teaching Credential, and 60+ units post graduate. University of San Diego additional post graduate work.

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Profile

Russell

First Name

Chamberlin

Last Name

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Indicate Supervisor Who Will Receive a Copy of your Application *

Third District - Joan Hartmann

Mobile:

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Cachuma Resource Conservation District Board of Directors: Not Submitted

Reference 1 Name

Paul Van Leer

Reference 1 Address

Las Vargas Ranch

Reference 1 Telephone

Reference 1 Occupation

Rancher

Reference 2 Name

Anna Olsen

Reference 2 Address

Santa Ynez

Reference 2 Telephone

Interests & Experiences

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I am a co-manager and co-owner of our family ranch and concerned about our natural resources. I have worked with the CRCD on 2 programs we have done on the ranch and look forward to supporting and helping expand the programs the CRCD is working on.

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I am a director for the Santa Barbara County Cattlemen's Association. Have done extensive training with the Allan Savory, Holistic Management Institute for improving the rangelands including water infiltration. I pay attention to the Groundwater Sustainability Act as our ranch falls within the Eastern Management Area as well as the San Antonio Groundwater Basin. I give lots of talk and workshops regarding the improvements we are seeing on the ranch with our land management practices.

Demographics

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Russell Chamberlin

Work Experience

2009-Current *Ted Chamberlin Ranch*, Los Olivos, CA
Co-Manager oversee raising cattle including animal health, grazing and rangelands, install / repair underground water pipe, operate heavy equipment, grade roads, metal fabrication, perform maintenance and repairs of wells and equipment as well as strategic business planning.

2002-2009 *Vogel Design*, Penn Valley, CA
Design and calculate fire sprinkler systems for residential and commercial buildings using autoCAD and hydraCALC. Experience with MEP coordination, field survey, fire pumps, wet, dry, pre-action, deluge, high-pile storage and in-rack systems.

2000-2002 *Sierra Group Exhibits*, Grass Valley, CA
Designed high impact custom trade show exhibit booths in 3D and drew construction drawings for fabrication, using autoCAD.

1996-2000 *Engineered Fire Systems*, Cedar Ridge, CA
Designed high quality fire sprinkler shop drawings and hydraulic calculations for residential and commercial buildings using autoCAD.

Sample of Projects

Give talks and workshop regarding Regenerative Agriculture to many groups, including the Resource Conservation District at their annual meeting in 2017, the Quivira Coalition in 2017, The Santa Barbara Land Trust in 2019, and a group of ranchers at the V6 Ranch in 2022.

Co -wrote our Carbon Farm Plan with Ann Coates formally with CRCDC, Jeff Creque of Carbon Cycle Institute and Courtland Smith of Legacy Works Group in 2016.

2018 received funding from the CDFR, Healthy Soils Program to spread compost on 63 acres of rangelands.

Education

1993 *CSU Chico*, Chico CA
B.A. Art: Sculpture

Profile

Ron

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Fifth District - Steve Lavagnino

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

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Reference 1 Name

Jeff Lundberg

Reference 1 Address

Reference 1 Telephone

Reference 1 Occupation

Grower

Reference 2 Name

Jeff Saleen

Reference 2 Address

Reference 2 Telephone

[REDACTED]

Reference 2 Occupation

Food Safety Director

Reference 3 Name

Phil Alvarado

Reference 3 Address

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Reference 3 Telephone

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Reference 3 Occupation

Retired School District Supervisor

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Board Director for Cachuma Resource Conservation District.2019-2022.

Interests & Experiences

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Have farmed for 40 years. My father farmed, raised working on the farm. Farmed as Labastida Bros. Farms 1974 -1995, as R & D Labastida Farms 1996 -2010.

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I always been on the farm. After attending Hancock College entered the family farm partnership. Mid 80's farming over 600 acres of row crop. In 1988 1st farm to have a Certified Organic farm in their operation. Currently Food Safety Director with Babe Farms / Coastal Valley Farms /Central Coast Berries. Handle various regulatory areas including all areas of water management. Senior auditor for California Certified Organic Farms (contracted part time). Serve as VP for local district chapter of CCOF. President of Three Bros. Harvest / TM Solutions (Labor Service). Community, family started Cruzin4life in Santa Maria in 2004. Founding Board member, continue to be active again raising \$200,000 per year to be donated to local Cancer Center,

Demographics

Ethnicity

Asian or Pacific Islander

Gender

Male



Date of Birth

Education Completed:

Hancock College

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Ron Labastida
rlabastida@aol.com

Professional Experience:

Food Safety Director - Babe Farms/Coastal Valley Farms 2013 to present
Take care of all regulatory matters: water board, food and safety auditing, human relations, customer complaints, pesticide intervals and testing.

Organic Inspector – CCOF 1991 to present
Visit organic farming operations; review compliance documentation; observe cultural practices

Production Supervisor – Babe Farms/Coastal Valley Farms 2010 to 2013

Farmer – Labastida Farms 1974 to 1995; R&D Labastida Farms 1995-2010
600 acres; Mixed vegetables; grew for Bonita Packing
First farmer in Santa Maria to be organically certified 1988

Field Labor Contractor – Three Brothers Harvest & TM Solutions 2005 to present

Volunteer and Board Experience

Vice President CCOF Board 2013 to present
Farmer’s Market Boards 1988 to 1992
Member/ founder Cruzin 4 Life 2003 to 2018
Advisory Board Hancock College starting January 2019

Education

AA Hancock College 1974

Skills/Areas of Expertise

Farm Management
Human Resources
Organic Certification
Government Regulations

Profile

James

First Name

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First District - Das Williams

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Reference 1 Name

Richard Russell

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Reference 1 Telephone

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Reference 1 Occupation

retired farmer

Reference 2 Name

Byron Calloway

Reference 2 Address

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Reference 2 Telephone

[Redacted]

Reference 2 Occupation

Caltrans Maintenance Supervisor

Reference 3 Name

Gary Tiexera

Reference 3 Address

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Reference 3 Telephone

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Reference 3 Occupation

Farmer

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NA

Interests & Experiences

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I was born and raised in the Cuyama Valley and farmed and ranched here for over 40 years. I have seen many changes over the years. The new water law will mandate changes in how and what we farm. Local RCDs, such as Cachuma RCD, can and should be available to help growers make the hard decisions that will have to be made. I was on the Cuyama RCD before Cachuma RCD was formed and would like to continue to have the honor to represent Cuyama Valley on the CRCD board.

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Cuyama School Board- 8 years, Cuyama Community Assoc Director- 5 years, Cachuma RCD- 25+ years

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Upload a Resume

Demographics**Ethnicity**

Prefer not to Answer

Gender

Male


Date of Birth

Education Completed:

BS Farm Management, Cal Poly 1970

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