

January 27, 2016

Request to be appointment as a Director to Silicon Valley Clean Energy Authority Board

Mayor, Vice Mayor, Follow Councilmembers,

I am requesting to be Mountain View's appointed Director to the Silicon Valley Clean Energy Authority Board.

On behalf of the City of Mountain View, I have been working on the creation of this Board since its inception in February 2015.

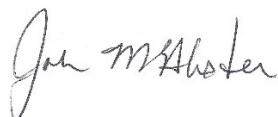
I have attended over 9 meetings and have engaged in decisions that have covered the following topics:

- Formation of a Community Choice Energy JPA
- Work plans and timeline development which included:
 - Initial study report
 - Technical Study
 - Program Partners/Geographic Scope
 - Draft Program Goals
 - Funding and Resources
 - Cost sharing
 - Steering and Advisory Committees

I am knowledgeable about the program, know the Partners involved and have the time, passion, and commitment to make this CCE the best possible Clean Energy source for the residents of Mountain View and our surrounding neighbors.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John McAlister".

John McAlister

January 28, 2016

Mayor Showalter and Council,

Re: Silicon Valley Clean Energy Authority (SVCCE) Director (and alternate) Appointment

In preparing for the January 12 CCE New Business item, I thoroughly studied the Pacific Energy Advisors technical study. That study provided a basic understanding of energy, emissions, economics and operation of CCE programs.

Since we approved the Silicon Valley Community Choice Energy (SVCCE) joint powers agreement (JPA), I have done further preliminary study of the electrical power industry, energy markets, including renewable energy, power purchase contracts and associated complexities and risks. I have also consulted staff at Marin Clean Energy and Sonoma Clean Power about their respective programs, how they work, how they are independent of local government, and relationship with PG&E and the California Public Utilities Commission.

An answer to a Council question for the CCE agenda item indicated there were no qualifications in the JPA for Directors. Governing bodies can consider whatever factors they choose. I respectfully suggest some greater knowledge of CCE is necessary.

However, I also realize the first steps of the SVCCE will be mostly about establishing an organizational structure, hiring an executive director, funding and loans as well as the technical aspects of CCE. In that regard, I have corporate experience in new programs, system engineering, engineering and contract management, research and development and new business proposals.

As a Mountain View Director for SVCCE, I know how to work collaboratively with other Directors, consultants, city staffs and the public that have many informed CCE advocates. I will represent the City's position and interests and help make SVCCE as effective as possible for Mountain View electricity customers.

I would graciously accept your appointment as SVCCE director for Mountain View.

Regards,



John Inks

February 3, 2016

Re: Alternate for Joint Powers Authority Board for the CCE

Dear Council,

I am interested in serving as the Alternate on the new Joint Powers Authority that is being established for the Silicon Valley Community Choice Energy Partnership. In our plan to meet our carbon reduction standards, this is identified as the single most important step that we can take. This aligns well with my work on the Council Environmental Sustainability Committee and my passion for environmental protection.

In my professional career, I have been involved in the formation of two joint powers authorities; the one for San Francisquito Creek protection and the one for the Santa Clara Valley Habitat Conservation Plan. It would be an honor to be able to put this experience to work by serving as an alternate on this important body.

Please appoint me as Mountain View's Alternate to the Joint Powers Board for our new CCE.

Sincerely,

Pat Showalter, PE
Mayor