

EXHIBIT 13-A

Vacancy in Voter Division 2 Letters of Interest and Support		
Name of Interested Person	Date Received	Letters of Support
Jay Bartow	10/3/14	
Andrew Clarke	8/26/14	
	8/28/14	Mike Zimmerman and John Narigi, Coalition of Peninsula Businesses
	8/28/14	Sam Teel, Monterey County Hospitality Association
	9/2/14	Chris Shake, Chris Shake Enterprises
	9/8/14	Moe Ammar, Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce
	9/12/14	Karen Cosentino, Monterey County Association of Realtors

Jay Bartow
50 Los Encinos Dr.
Del Rey Oaks, CA 93940
(831)394-2838
September 29, 2014

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Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
P.O. Box 85
Monterey, CA 93942
Attention: Arlene Tavani

Dear Members of the MPWMD:

I am writing to be considered for the open position on the MPWMD for Division 2. I have lived at my current address in Del Rey Oaks since December of 1974, and have followed the long search for a reliable water supply for our Peninsula since that time. I grew up in the San Fernando Valley, attended North Hollywood High School; UCLA, from which I earned a B.A in International Relations in 1966; Fuller Theological Seminary, from which I earned a Master of Divinity in 1970; and I earned a Doctor of Ministry Degree from San Francisco Theological Seminary in 1995.

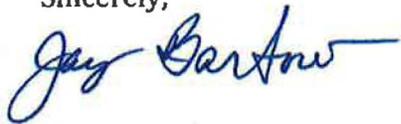
From December 1974 until my retirement in June of 2011 I served as Pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Monterey. I have been active in community service during that time. I was on the founding board of Interim Inc., The Indochinese Refugee Resettlement Program, and helped to launch the Interfaith Homeless Emergency Lodging Program (IHELP). I have been a member of the Rotary Club of Monterey for the last nineteen years.

In my retirement I have taken six trips to Latin America with teams of volunteers to help install water purification systems and do hygiene education in schools and churches there. I have had a lifelong interest in water and making potable water available to communities in need of it.

It seems to me that one of the biggest hurdles in our Peninsula's search for a sustainable water source for our residents while preserving our exceptional environment, which is so important to our economy and quality of life, is our inability to come to a meeting of the minds. Finding a way toward common ground requires not only good science and information, but also developing a climate of respectful dialog and trust. I believe that I was successful at that in my vocation and volunteer work. I would seek to do likewise on the MPWMD if I were appointed to represent Division 2.

I would be happy to provide names of persons who know me and my involvement in our community if you desire them. Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Jay Bartow

Andrew Clarke
926 Angelus Way
Del Rey Oaks, CA 93940
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August 22, 2014

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Chairman David Potter
Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
5 Harris Court, Building G
Monterey, CA 93940

RE: Division 2 Director Vacancy

Dear Chairman Potter,

I am writing to express my interest in applying for the Division 2 Director position created with the recent resignation of Mr. Bill Thayer. I recently spoke with the District's General Manager, David Stoldt, who provided me with the information on how the vacancy can be filled. In the event that the Board decides to make an appointment for the vacancy, I wanted to provide you with information about myself and my qualifications to fill the position.

As a fifth generation Californian, I have a special appreciation for our State's history and natural resources. I grew up in Southern California and have spent many summers at my grandparents' cattle ranch in Northern California swimming, fishing, hiking and enjoying the lakes and rivers that make our State a special place. After high school, I attended Ventura College where I earned an Associate of Arts degree and then transferred to Cal Poly San Luis Obispo where I earned my Bachelor of Science degree in AgBusiness.

After graduating from Cal Poly, I moved to Monterey County where I began a career in finance. In 2005, I began my employment as the Assistant Controller with Alisal Water Corporation, where I am currently employed.

I have lived in Del Rey Oaks for the past 12 years with my wife, Robin, and our two children, Abigail (8) and Samuel (6). I was an appointed member of the Del Rey Oaks Planning Commission from January 2005 through August 2011. I have served on numerous nonprofit Boards holding various leadership positions. Some of those organizations include: Salinas Jaycees, Del Rey Oaks Citizens' Action Group, Cal Poly Alumni Association Monterey Bay Area Chapter, Salinas Valley Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, Monterey County Fair Heritage Foundation, Scottish Society of the Monterey Peninsula, among others. As you can see, I enjoy being involved and making a difference in my community.

Andrew Clarke
926 Angelus Way
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831-596-7368

Through my community involvement, as well as in my professional career, I feel that I will bring additional resources to this Board. I have extensive public utility regulation knowledge, a strong accounting understanding, leadership skills and, most importantly, a desire to learn and help my community. I have never been afraid to ask the hard questions and I look forward to being part of a great team that will help address the long standing water issues of the Monterey Peninsula.

At your convenience, I would welcome the opportunity to discuss the Board appointment process and the future of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew Clarke', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Andrew Clarke

Coalition of Peninsula Businesses

*A coalition of the Monterey County Hospitality Association, Monterey Commercial Property Owners' Association, Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce, Carmel Chamber of Commerce, Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce, Monterey County Association of Realtors, Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, Associated General Contractors – Monterey District
to resolve the Peninsula water challenge to comply with the CDO at a reasonable cost*

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Dave Potter, Chair, and Board of Directors
Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
5 Davis Court, Building G
Monterey, California 93940

Dear Dave and Board members:

The Coalition of Peninsula Businesses urges you to appoint Andy Clarke to fill the vacancy on your Board caused by the resignation of Bill Thayer.

Mr. Clarke's background will bring an unparalleled level of water issues expertise and experiences to the Board and will help greatly in the cooperative effort the Coalition and the District have been engaged in pursuing a solution to our water supply crisis.

Please appoint Andy Clarke to your Board.

Sincerely,



John Narigi, Co-chair



Mike Zimmerman, Co-chair



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August 23, 2014

Mr. David Potter, Chair
Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
5 Harris Court, Building G
Monterey, CA 93924

RE: Andrew Clarke

Dear Chair Potter and Members of the Board:

The Monterey County Hospitality Association strongly recommends that the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District's Board of Directors appoint Mr. Andrew Clarke to fill the vacant District 2 Director position. We have reviewed Mr. Clarke's resume and biography. Several of our members have met with Mr. Clarke. We are impressed with his experience in the financial industry and his practical knowledge of water issues and the operation of water systems. His experience as a Planning Commissioner is a plus. We are also impressed with Mr. Clarke's commitment to our community as evidenced by his work in many venues to support community activities and residents.

We believe Mr. Clarke will be a valuable addition to the Board. We endorse Mr. Clarke, without reservation, for this vitally important position.

Sincerely,

Sam Teel, Chair
Monterey County Hospitality Association



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CHRIS SHAKE ENTERPRISES

August 28, 2014

Dave Potter, Chair, and Board of Directors
Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
5 Davis Court, Building C
Monterey, California 93940

RE: Andy Clarke

Dear Dave:

I would highly recommend the appointment of Mr. Andy Clarke to fill the vacancy on your Board of Directors due to the resignation of Bill Thayer.

I believe his experience and expertise relating to water issues will assist the Board in its efforts to finding a solution to our current water supply issues.

I urge you to appoint Mr. Clarke to the Board.

Best regards,

CHRIS SHAKE

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August 27, 2014

Dave Potter, Chair, and Board of Directors
Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
5 Davis Court, Building G
Monterey, California 93940

Dear Dave and Board members:

The Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce urges you to appoint Andy Clarke to fill the vacancy on your Board caused by the resignation of Bill Thayer.

After graduating from Cal Poly, Andy moved to Monterey County where he began a career in finance. In 2005, he began his employment as the Assistant Controller with Alisal Water Corporation, where he is currently employed.

Mr. Clark's background will bring an unparalleled level of water issues expertise and experiences to the Board and will help greatly in the cooperative effort the Coalition and the District have been engaged in pursuing a solution to our water supply crisis.

Please appoint Andy Clarke to your Board. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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President

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September 12, 2014

Dave Potter, Chair and Board of Directors
Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
5 Davis Court, Building G
Monterey, CA 93940

RE: District 2 Vacancy

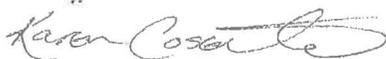
Dear Chair Potter and Board of Directors:

The Monterey County Association of REALTORS® respectfully requests that you appoint Andy Clarke to fill the vacancy on the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District Board of Directors.

While the resignation of Bill Thayer is certainly regrettable, we appreciate the hard work, dedication and time he applied to this important position. We strongly believe that Andy Clarke has the ability to step in and serve in an effective capacity right away. Mr. Clarke's background in water issues and his strong understanding of the unique and challenging dynamics of our region's water situation, make him an excellent replacement for the Board to consider.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



Karen Cosentino
President, Monterey County Association of REALTORS®

