

Genevieve Brill Murphy



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Dear California Citizens Redistricting Commission,

I would like to begin by expressing my condolences for the loss of your colleague, Jane Andersen. I understand that as a Commission, you worked closely together, spending many hours redrawing the required electoral district boundaries. It is never easy to lose someone, especially a close collaborator and friend.

With that said, should you decide to fill this vacancy, I respectfully ask for your consideration in selecting me as the replacement Commissioner. I remain as eager to perform the duties required of this role as I was when I first applied, and I have the utmost respect for all that you have accomplished as a group. While I recognize that the lion's share of your work has already been completed, I am committed to working diligently to quickly bring myself up to speed and to make meaningful contributions during the remainder of the 2020 redistricting term, with the additional goal of helping set up the 2030 Commission for success.

Since 2020, I have remained actively involved with many of the same organizations I was engaged with when I first applied. In addition, I am currently participating in the Huntington Beach Chamber of Commerce's Robert Mayer Leadership Academy and serve on the Board of Directors for Precious Lamb Preschool, a nonprofit supporting children and families experiencing homelessness in Long Beach. I had the privilege of chairing the organization's largest annual fundraiser in November. While I will continue to serve as the Board's Secretary, I have stepped down from the fundraising committee to free up time for other volunteer opportunities—hopefully, including this Commission!

Professionally, I still own Visiting Angels, which serves the greater Long Beach and Seal Beach areas, and I will be celebrating my 19th year of assisting seniors this June. I also plan to open a six-bedroom senior assisted living home in 2025 or 2026.

I am happy to provide any additional information that may assist in your decision, but I wanted to keep this brief. As I shared in my initial application, I have always been a proponent of civic engagement and have sought out collaborative opportunities that strengthen communities, help others, and improve quality of life. I also believe in equality, fairness, inclusivity, and the protection of the freedoms and liberties that are essential to our democracy. For these reasons, I

would be truly honored to serve on this Commission. I feel a deep connection to its mission and purpose, and I believe that my desire to contribute, combined with my leadership experience and diverse skill set, make me a strong fit for the role of Commissioner.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'GBM', with a stylized, cursive flourish extending to the right.

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