

Application Form

Profile

Christopher

First Name

Derner

Last Name

[REDACTED]

Email Address

Mobile:

Primary Phone

[REDACTED]

Alternate Phone

[REDACTED]

Home Address

[REDACTED]

City

CA

State

[REDACTED]

Postal Code

What Supervisory District do you live in? *

☒ District 4 Supervisor James Gore

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Measure H Oversight Committee: Submitted

Please describe your relevant experience/expertise that you believe would make you a valuable member of this body.

As a 15+ year member of fire / EMS services within Sonoma County, as well as the current Union President of Sonoma Valley Professional Firefighters L3593, I believe I would be a valuable member of the oversight committee. I believe I can add value to the committee by being a voice for our front line firefighters and EMS professionals, ensuring that the Measure H funds are being utilized appropriately to support our first responders perform there duties and bring the highest level of service to our constituents that entrusted us with their tax payer dollars.

Interests & Experiences

What interests you most about this agency? What skills or experience would you bring to best support the work of this agency?

My experience spans 15+ years of fire / EMS within Sonoma County, having worked for local, state and private entities. Throughout that time I have sat on a multitude of committees focused on the progression of fire / EMS operations in the county. I bring the first hand experience of the needs facing our fire / EMS professionals on a daily basis as well as an ever growing need for fire prevention in our communities. I have participated in the campaigning of Measure H since its inception and been able to witness the implementation of Measure H funds at the agency level to better serve our communities.

Please Agree with the Following Statement

You agree that the following information provided above is truthful.

☒ I Agree

Demographics

Gender

☒ Male

Ethnicity

Caucasian

Occupation

Firefighter

Highest Level of Education. Select one of the following

☒ College/University degree

Primary Language

English

Experience

Christopher Derner

Please list two local references below. Please provide their phone number and email address below.

Steve Akre - [REDACTED] stevea@sonomavalleyfire.org Spencer Andreis - [REDACTED]
spencera@so [REDACTED] e.org

Community Service Experience

Cardinal Newman High School Assistant Coach, Baseball 2010 - 2014 Rincon Valley Fire Protection District Volunteer Firefighter, 2011 - 2016

Education

Sonoma State University, B.S. History Santa Rosa Junior College, A.S. Fire Science

Employment

Sonoma Valley Fire District, Captain Responsibilities consist of direct supervision of an Engine and Ambulance company consisting of 5 personnel. Direct supervision on emergency scenes, daily routine in the fire station and point of contact with community members.

Commitment



CHRIS DERNER

C a p t a i n

PROFILE

I am a highly motivated, team oriented, performance driven individual. I believe in servitude leadership, supporting and developing those I lead while working collaboratively with my peers to meet our common goals. I lead with the core values of honesty, integrity and trust. My goals are to serve our community and fire district with these guiding values while progressing our organization into the future through compassion, professionalism, adaptability, loyalty, sustainability and accountability.

CONTACT

EMAIL: chrisd@sonomavalleyfire.org

EDUCATION

Sonoma State University

B.A. Degree, History (Dean's List)

Santa Rosa Junior College

A.S. Degree, Fire Science & Technology (High Honors)
National Certified Paramedic

Cardinal Newman High School

John Henry Cardinal Newman Student of the Year (2003, 2007), All Empire Honors in Football and Baseball (2006- 2007), class Vice-President (2003-2007), Press Democrat Community Service Award Winner (2007)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sonoma Valley Fire District, Captain (Acting Battalion Chief)

2015–Current

To serve and safeguard the people, property, resources and members of the Sonoma Valley Fire District through exemplifying integrity, leadership, teamwork and community in the role of Company Officer.

CAL Fire, Seasonal Firefighter

2013–2015

Suppression of wildland, rural, and structural fires and response to various other emergency situations throughout the state of California

Rincon Valley Fire District, Operator / Engineer (Volunteer)

2011–2015

- President, Rincon Valley Firefighters Association
- Rincon Valley FPD "Member of the Year" (2012, 2013, 2014)

Bell's Ambulance, Paramedic

2014–2015

Providing 911 ALS emergency services to the towns of Healdsburg, Windsor and the greater Sonoma County. Responsibilities consist of providing excellent customer service, quality care, and upholding patient advocacy above all.

PROJECTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Policy Creation: Earthquake Response & Emergency Response
- VFA Grant Program
- Dept. Rescue Program Director
- St. 3 Renovation Lead
- New Hire Academy Coordinator
- CSFM Instructor
- Labor Management Committee
- SVFD Career Development Guide
- Staffing Policy Committee
- Training Cadre
- Dept. Engine Co. Evolution Revision
- CICCIS HEQB
- Local 3593 Union President

