

Application Form

Profile

John

First Name

N

Middle Initial

Hadzess

Last Name

Email Address

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Home Address

City

State

Postal Code

What Supervisory District do you live in? \*

☒ District 5 Supervisor Lynda Hopkins

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Retirement Board (SCERA): Archived

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

Extensive experience with various ERISA trust funds, Department of Labor, DOJ, HUD and IRS reporting and compliance regulations. During my many years of service with the Civil Service Commission, I have established a reputation as a fair and deliberative commissioner. I have enjoyed the trust and respect of the elected officials, department heads, employee organizations and county employees with whom I have had the pleasure to have worked.

Interests & Experiences

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

I enjoy working collaboratively with others solving complex financial issues. Due to my long involvement with county government I believe that I have a better understanding of the challenges facing SCERA and the county than most others.

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**Please Agree with the Following Statement**

**You agree that the following information provided above is truthful.**

☒ I Agree

**Demographics**

**Gender**

☒ Male

**Ethnicity**

White

**Occupation**

retired

**Highest Level of Education. Select one of the following**

☒ High school diploma or GED

**Primary Language**

English

**Experience**

John N Hadzess

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

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### **Community Service Experience**

Civil Service Commission 2000 - 2025 Independent Citizens Pension Committee 2018- 2025 Private Industry Council CETA Funded and provided labor to build the sheriff's substation for Mark Idhe in Roseland Established a community food bank and garden at Valley Oak Park Built two radio repeaters too serves the county wide GMRS emergency radio network Work one weekend per month as a volunteer construction specialist at the Cazadero Scout Camp

### **Education**

San Francisco State College Philosophy

### **Employment**

Valley Oak Park Apartments Manager Managed HUD low income apartment complex See attached summary of relevant experience

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### **Commitment**

John Hadzess  
Summary of Work History and Relevant Experience  
SCERA Application

Carpenter apprentice, Cassiar Asbestos Corporation, Cassiar, British Colombia

Shipfitter apprentice, Hunters Point Naval Shipyard

Journey level carpenter, foreman, general foreman, superintendent

Licensed general contractor

Finance Officer, Carpenters Local 751. Responsible for the management of the local union and the Labor Center on Corby Avenue in Santa Rosa. Responsible for the tax filings and overall compliance with the Department of Labor and IRS regulations. Assisted my 3000 members Health and Welfare claims and pension applications. During this time, I also served as Executive Officer for the Building Trades Council and the Central Labor Council with similar compliance responsibilities.

Trustee, Carpenters Housing Corporation,

Chair, Western States Financial Officers' Conference. Responsible for the organization and training of the union finance officers for the western states in financial record keeping, audit prep, DOL and DOJ compliance, state and federal filing requirements.

Chair, Northern California Carpenters Regional Council Finance Committee. Provided financial and compliance oversight for the 46 Northern California counties carpenters unions.

Trustee and Chair for the Northern California Counties Regional Council Health and Welfare Trust Fund managing and funding the health care for the 40,000 active and retired carpenters and their dependents. During this time I also served as trustee and advisor to the pension and annuity funds.

I currently serve on the Office and Professional Workers Pension and H&W Trusts.