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**Re: Measure C Committee- Brief CV**

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To Paul Garza <pgarza@mcdh.org>  
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Hi Paul,

Thanks for the update. Here is a brief biography to introduce myself:

I've lived on the coast for 35+ years. When I first moved here, I worked for a physical therapy contractor as a Physical Therapy Assistant at MCDH for around 13 years. After that I worked as a computer programmer at Wind and Weather, until that company was sold to a dotcom company. I then worked for Fort Bragg Unified School District as a math and science teacher, then at Round Valley Unified School District as an elementary and middle school principal. I am now partially retired from those positions.

I have a BA in Geology from San Francisco State University, a single-subject teaching credential from Dominican University, and an administrative services credential from Humboldt State University. My teaching subject matter competencies are in Earth Science, Biology, Physics and Foundational Mathematics

My personal background is that I'm married, and my wife currently works at the Coast Hospital as a nursing supervisor. I have three grown children who grew up in this community. My wife and I have been actively supporting this community by volunteer activities, specifically by volunteering as soccer coaches and by supporting various school activities. I am currently serving on the Fort Bragg Police Fentanyl Task Force.

I believe that I have the skill set, as well as the dedication to the well-being of this community, to serve effectively on the Measure C oversight committee. I look forward to meeting you in person.

Robert