APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO

Submit Date: Apr 10, 2025

COUNTY BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES

Instructions

You may fill out this application on-line by tabbing between fields and selecting the green Submit at the bottom once complete.

If you prefer to submit a paper application you can select the Print button at the bottom of the page. Printed applications require an original signature and date noted. Any additional documents will need to be attached and then mailed to the address at the bottom of the form.

Must be a resident of Nevada County to apply.

Profile

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Youth Commission: Submitted

Incumbent?

(•) Yes ( ) No

Estefania
First Name

Gaitan Meza
Last Name

[redacted]
Home Address

Suite or Apt

Truckee
City

CA
State

96160
Postal Code

Mailing Address (if different from residence)

Business Address (Optional)

Supervisorial District 1 through 5 (Available from Election Office, 265-1298)

[x] District 5

Time(s) available to attend meetings (days, evenings, etc.)

Evenings

[redacted]
Email Address

Business Email Address

Estefania Gaitan Meza

Mobile: [redacted]

Primary Phone

Alternate Phone

Are you currently employed with the County of Nevada?

- (•) Yes
- ( ) No

Interests & Experiences

Experience: A resume, or additional sheets, may be attached containing any information that would be helpful to the Board in evaluating your application.

Education/Employment Experience

SELS Middle School (2019 - 2022) Truckee High School (2022 - Current)

Community Experience and Affiliations

La Fuerza Latina (LFL) - (2022 - Current) Aim High - (July 2023 - August 2023)(July 2024 - August 2024) Teen Advisory Group (TAG) - (2023 - Current) Teen Tech (TNT) - (2023 - 2023) Truckee GED Program - (2023 - 2024)

List any other County boards, commissions, or committees on which you have served:

Nevada County Youth Commission

Other experience you feel would be helpful to the Board of Supervisors in making this appointment:

UChicago Emerging Rural Leaders Summer Program - (July 16, 2023 - July 21, 2023) WashU Rural Scholars Academy - (July 14, 2024 - July 20, 2024)

References: Please list two references with telephone numbers

Craig Rowe (La Fuerza Latina Director) - [redacted] April Mirczak (GED Teacher) - [redacted]

Resume.pdf

Upload a Resume

Additional Attachments

Agreement

Estefania Gaitan Meza

Applicants may be required by State Law and County Ordinance to file a financial disclosure statement as part of the appointment process. The form may be viewed at http://www.fppc.ca.gov. An Oath of Office will be required upon appointment. I have reviewed the Financial Disclosure Statement requirement.

☑ I Agree

Applications must be filed with:
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors - County of Nevada
950 Maidu Ave.
Nevada City CA 95959-8617.
This application is a public document.
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Estefania Gaitan Meza

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Education

TRUCKEE HIGH SCHOOL - Truckee, CA
Student since September 2022 expected to graduate in June of 2026
Honor Roll (9th grade - 10th grade)
Clubs: Model UN (9th grade - Current)

Experiences

LA FUERZA LATINA (2022 - Current) - Truckee, CA
La Fuerza Latina or LFL is a local Truckee organization that focuses on low-income first generation students in high school and helps them through finding local opportunities in the community, and support in college applications. I've been in LFL since my 9th grade year and through this organization I've been able to explore many different fields of study and interact more with my community.

TRUCKEE GED PROGRAM (2023 - 2024) - Truckee, CA
The GED program in Truckee is offered to those who didn't finish high school and want to get a high school diploma. Instead of a diploma they can get a GED which is equivalent to a high school diploma. I volunteered my time to help out the students with math and troubleshooting technology issues. Through this program I have been able to grow closer with the students and understand them.

TEEN ADVISORY GROUP (2023 - Current) - Truckee, CA
The Truckee Library wanted to have more input on what they can do at their library from teens so they created a Teen Advisory Group or TAG for short. Me and 8 other students come up with ideas on events we can create for teens or the community. We have been able to come up with successful movie nights, opening library days, and many more events. By doing this group with my fellow students I feel like I've been able to leave an impact on my community by creating memorable experiences for them. I've also been able to further my teamwork and communication skills by working with my peers on brainstorming ideas and preparing events.

UCHICAGO EMERGING RURAL LEADERS (July 16, 2023 - July 21, 2023) - Chicago, IL
Last summer I was given the opportunity to participate in a week-long session at the University of Chicago to learn more about leadership. This program selected students from rural areas to have college experience and take classes led by real university professors. I was able to meet new people from across the US and talk with them about their experiences and work with them in workshops. This helped me learn how to become a better leader and help and interact with my community more. Along with that I was able to understand the different struggles that not only does my small community deal with but what issues others have in their communities as well.

Skills

Bilingual in Spanish and English.