

Parks and Recreation Commissioner Bio/Disclosure Form

The purpose of this form is to collect background and affiliation information for each Parks and Recreation Commissioner. This information will be utilized to create a bio on each Commissioner that will be available on the County website. This information will provide the public with background information for you and information regarding any affiliations that you might have with outside organizations. This information is to promote transparency. Please disclose any and all relationships you may have with outside organizations. If you have multiple affiliations, please attach a separate piece of paper or an additional form.

Commissioner Name: Julia McIver District: -
Term: 2019-2023

Affiliations with Professional or Community Groups

Please disclose any and all relationships you currently have with outside organizations. If you have multiple affiliations, please attach a separate piece of paper or an additional form.

Organization: SoFAR - South Fork Arts and Recreation
Role in Organization: Board Member
If Other, please explain:

Organization: Friends of the River
Role in Organization: .
If Other, please explain: Advisory Board

Organization:
Role in Organization: .
If Other, please explain:

Background/Additional Information

Please provide some background or additional information about yourself: Give any information explaining your qualifications, experience, training, education, volunteer activities, or personal interests that support your participation in the Parks and Recreation Commission. Attach additional sheets as necessary.

I have an undergraduate degree in Landscape Architecture from NC State University and a Master's in Environmental Planning from UC Berkeley.
I enjoyed a 30 year career in landscape design, participatory planning, natural resource protection, providing public access to recreational resources, public land management, giving and obtaining grants, and developed a parks department for a northern California county. I also worked with the California Legislature, both representing state natural resource interests and as a consultant to the Senate Committee on Natural Resources and Water.
I love the outdoors, and in between running rivers and hiking engage in Olympic gardening.