County of San Mateo **Board of Supervisors**

Inter-Departmental Correspondence

Date:

November 10, 2003

To:

Honorable Members, Board of Supervisors

From:

Supervisor Mark Church

Re:

Appointment to the Civil Service Commission

Recommendation

I am pleased to recommend Ms. Geraldine O'Connor for appointment to the Civil Service Commission for a term expiring on December 31, 2004.

Background

Mark Taylor, who previously represented District 1 on the Civil Service Commission, has recently moved out of the district and, accordingly, resigned his position.

Geraldine O'Connor is recommended to fill the vacancy. Ms. O'Connor is employed by State Assemblyman Gene Mullin as his District Director. She previously worked as an assistant to Congressman Tom Lantos and as a broadcast journalist.

She is active in the community and is a board member for Project 90, Inc., the San Mateo County Drug and Alcohol Advisory Board, Sojourn to the Past and the Peninsula Humane Society.

Ms. O'Connor grew up in South San Francisco and has been a resident of Burlingame since 1993 with her husband, Joe.