



**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**  
Inter-Departmental Correspondence  
Board of Supervisors



**DATE:** May 19, 2010  
**BOARD MEETING DATE:** May 25, 2010  
**SPECIAL NOTICE/HEARING:** None  
**VOTE REQUIRED:** Majority

**TO:** Honorable Board of Supervisors  
**FROM:** Supervisor Carole Groom *CG*  
Supervisor Adrienne J. Tissier *[Signature]*  
**SUBJECT:** Appointments to the Commission on Disabilities

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Appoint Ademan T. Angeles, Merrill Bobele, Debbi Jones-Thomas and Alison B. Mills to the San Mateo County Commission on Disabilities.

**BACKGROUND:**

The Commission on Disabilities currently has four vacancies on its 21-member board. The four recommended appointees would each serve a three year-term ending June 30, 2013.

**DISCUSSION:**

Ademan T. Angeles is a resident of Daly City and has been an insurance broker for fifteen years. He has a strong interest in serving the Disabilities Community.

Merrill Bobele is a resident of El Granada and a teacher with Cabrillo Unified School District. He has served with a variety of organizations that work with the disabilities community. He currently volunteers with the Cedars of Marin Family Association.

Debbi Jones-Thomas is a resident of Menlo Park and a Housing Coordinator with the City of Redwood City. She holds a Masters of Educational Psychology and Counseling in addition to a Masters of Public Administration.

Alison B. Mills is a resident of San Mateo. She has served with the San Mateo County Mental Health Board, the Network of Mental Health Clients, the California Association of Mental Health Boards and Commissions, and is currently President of Heart and Soul.

Each would be a great addition to the Commission on Disabilities.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

None.