



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
Board of Supervisors



DATE: November 23, 2011
BOARD MEETING DATE: December 13, 2011
SPECIAL NOTICE/HEARING: None
VOTE REQUIRED: Majority

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Supervisor Dave Pine, First District
Supervisor Don Horsley, Third District

SUBJECT: Appointment to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse Recovery Commission

RECOMMENDATION:

Appoint Michael George Epp, representing Substance Abuse Family Member, to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse Recovery Commission to a term expiring September 30, 2014.

DISCUSSION:

The Mental Health and Substance Abuse Recovery Commission reviews and evaluates the County's mental health and substance abuse disorders needs, services, facilities and special problems. The Commission advises the Board of Supervisors and the Behavioral Health and Recovery Services Director on any aspect of the local mental health and substance abuse disorders services and programs. They also review and approve procedures used to ensure citizen and professional involvement at all stages of the planning process. Submission of the annual report on the needs and performance of the County's behavioral health and recovery services system are submitted on an annual basis.

It is recommended that Michael George Epp be appointed as a member of the Commission.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.