



The County of El Dorado

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El Dorado County Board of Supervisors
330 Fair Lane
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Agricultural Commission Appointment for January 11, 2011 Board Meeting

In accordance with Agricultural Commission Bylaws adopted by the Board of Supervisors on August 31, 2004, a Notice of Terms of Office Expiration was submitted to the local newspapers and to county agricultural organizations. In addition, an independent Review Panel comprised of industry representatives as specified in the Agricultural Commission By-Laws § 4(a), was asked to meet on November 29, 2010, to review applications and interview candidates. All candidates were asked to complete an application and submit it to the Agriculture office by November 19, 2010. Due to the current two incumbents being the only applicants, Mr. Ron Mansfield, Fruit & Nut Farming Industry and Mr. Chuck Bacchi, Livestock Industry the review panel process was not necessary.

It is my recommendation to the Board of Supervisors to re-appoint Mr. Ron Mansfield to represent the Fruits and Nut Farming Industry and re-appoint Mr. Chuck Bacchi to represent the Livestock Industry on the El Dorado County Agricultural Commission for a four (4) year term beginning January, 2011.

Following Board action, the Agricultural Commission appointees, Mr. Ron Mansfield and Mr. Chuck Bacchi, will begin their terms January 2011 through December 2014 at the regularly scheduled Agricultural Commission meeting of January 12, 2011.

Sincerely,

Juli D. Jensen
Agricultural Commissioner
Sealer of Weights & Measures



EL DORADO COUNTY AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Member Position Applying For: Agricultural Commission member

NAME: Chuck Bacchi

OCCUPATION: Rancher DAYTIME PHONE: 530-957-8924

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 479 Colusa, CA 95751

Describe the agricultural activities in which you are currently involved.

partner - Bacchi Ranch, a cow/calf and yearling Ranch operating in El Dorado, Placer and Sacramento Counties. we also own cattle on 2 Forest Service allotment in the Sierras.

I also partner with my son, Marcus, a herd of goats

Describe your experience in the field of agriculture (please be specific).

partner, Bacchi Ranch, since 1979

past President and Bd member Amador, El Dorado + Sacramento Cattleman's Assoc.

Bd member, El Dorado Farm Bureau

Please give the reasons you wish to serve as a member of the El Dorado County Agricultural Commission.

It's important that the Livestock industry be represented on the Ag. Commission.

I want to be involved in finishing the Ranch marketing Ordinance and encouraging

Ag in the County.



EL DORADO COUNTY AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Member Position Applying For: Agricultural Commission Fruit & Nut Farming Industry

NAME: Ron Mansfield

OCCUPATION: Grower

DAYTIME PHONE: (530) 626-6521

ADDRESS: 2530 Carson Road, Placerville, CA 95667

Describe the agricultural activities in which you are currently involved.

Grower, Packer, and Shipper. Tree Fruit Grower, Grower of Wine Grapes. Current member of the El Dorado County Agricultural Commission Fruit & Nut Farming Industry.

Describe your experience in the field of agriculture (please be specific).

Tree Fruit grower since 1980. Packer Shipper since 1985. Custom Farmer since 1985. I've done agricultural consulting on the establishment of orchards & vineyards since 1990. Orchard/Vineyard irrigation consulting in El Dorado County

Please give the reasons you wish to serve as a member of the El Dorado County Agricultural Commission.

I want to promote, protect and grow a healthy, viable and vibrant Agricultural community in El Dorado County. I want my children and my employees if they so desire to have the opportunity to succeed in Agriculture in our unique El Dorado County environment. I want new comers and others to have that same opportunity for success.