




## APPLICATION FOR COUNTY OF EL DORADO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS BOARD, COMMISSION, OR COMMITTEE

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Board or Commission Applying For <b>Early Care and Education Planning Council</b>		Vacant Position or Title <b>Council General Membership as a Child Care and Development Provider</b>	
First Name <b>Leslie</b>		Last Name <b>Amato</b>	
		Residential City <b>SOUTH LAKE TAHOE</b>	Residential ZIP Code <b>96150</b>
		Mobile Telephone	
Occupation/Title <b>LTCC Director of Child Development Programs</b>		Employer <b>Lake Tahoe Community College</b>	
List all County boards, commissions or committees to which you are/were appointed. Please include dates of service. <b>El Dorado County Early Care and Education Planning Council (Dates of service are not yet applicable)</b>			
Summary of qualifications <b>Leader of Child Development Programs for over 27 years. Lake Tahoe Community College Child Development Center Director (CSPP &amp; CCTR Contracts with CDE). Masters in Education with ECE Leadership degree from Brandman University (2020). Community member of South Lake Tahoe since 1993.</b>			
Affiliations with professional and/or community groups <b>NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children) Member CAAEYC (CA Association for Education of Young Children) Member CQEL (Californians for Quality Early Learning) Member Boy Scouts of America Leader LTUSD (Lake Tahoe Unified School District) PTA member since 2008 TPNS (Tahoe Parents Nursery School) Board member and now Director Adjunct Faculty at LTCC (Lake Tahoe Community College) Director of Child Development Programs at LTCC (Lake Tahoe Community College): LTCC CDC (Lake Tahoe Community College Child Development Center and TPNS (Tahoe Parents Nursery School)</b>			
Why do you seek appointment? <b>I was referred to two open positions as a Provider or as a Community Member from the Early Learning and Family Support Division of El Dorado County Office of Education. Upon earning my Masters degree in Education (Brandman University), I have reaffirmed my belief and passion in ECE advocacy and my understanding of public policy. I believe I would be a great representative for the Early Care &amp; Education Planning Council. As an ECE Child Care Provider or Community Member, I will do my best to share my knowledge with others towards the council, as well as, to represent the position as a Stakeholder within our community.</b>			
Additional Information <b>I have lived in South Lake Tahoe since 1993. My husband and I have two children (ages 16 &amp; 14) and we are both work at Lake Tahoe Community College. I have worked in child care programs at Sierra-at-Tahoe Ski Resort and Heavenly Mountain Ski Resort and have returned to Higher Education overseeing a traditional child care program (ages 0-5 years) as well as a preschool parent cooperative for adults and their children (ages 3-5 years). I believe in teaching empathy and have a strong background in leading early childhood education programs with great concern for our ECE workforce.</b>			
If known, indicate the member of the Board of Supervisors who will receive a copy of this application <b>(no value entered)</b>			
File Attachments <b>(no attachments added)</b>			
Signature of Applicant* 		Date <b>05/11/2021</b>	

\* You consent and agree that you are signing this document electronically. You further agree that your electronic signature is as valid as if you manually signed the document in writing.  
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