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Audit Subcommittee Applicant

Natalya Zernitskaya

Application Date: 05/31/21

INTERESTS AND EXPERIENCE

Current or prior service on city boards/commissions:

Audit Subcommittee Member (Partial term February 2019-Present)

Community activities:

President, League of Women Voters of Santa Monica

Board Member, Human Relations Council Santa Monica Bay Area

Advisory Board Member, Climate Action Santa Monica

Qualifications, experience, education, and technical or professional requirements:

My career is in the financial services industry in the area of risk management. My current role is Sr. Due Diligence Analyst with a focus on Alternative Investments and in my previous role, I was responsible for mutual fund due diligence analysis. I have served in fiduciary roles for nonprofit organizations, including as Treasurer of the LWV Santa Monica and on the Finance Committee of the Church in Ocean Park. I graduated from UC Santa Cruz with a Bachelor of Arts in Economics and currently hold FINRA Series 7 and 24, as well as a NASAA 66 license (Please note the Series 66 license is equivalent to the Series 63 and 65 licenses).

Goals:

My goal in serving on the Audit Subcommittee is to support transparency, good governance, and best practices throughout the various departments and programs within the City of Santa Monica.

Vision:

I believe the Audit Subcommittee's role is to promote a culture of transparency and good governance through its advisory capacity to the City Council. I believe its overall goal is to support a proactive approach to improving the policies, procedures, methods, etc. by which the City operates to mitigate various types of risk.

Personal Qualities:

Per the Audit Subcommittee website, the committee meets 4 times annually. Yes, I can commit to the necessary time to perform my duties if appointed to the committee.

Will you be able to commit the necessary time to perform your duties if appointed to the board?

yes

How did you learn about the vacancy in this board or commission? (select all that apply)

Other

BUSINESS INFORMATION

Occupation: Sr. Due Diligence Analyst

Business name: Cetera Financial Group

Business address:

Business phone: