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# Big Sur Byway Organization Application

## Daniel Perlstein

District: 5  
Initialed Application: Yes

### Applicant

First Name: **Daniel**  
Middle Initial:  
Last Name: **Perlstein**

### Employment

Occupation: **professor**  
Job Title: **Professor Emeritus**  
Employer: **University of California, Berkeley School of Education**

### Interests and Experiences

Able to attend meetings regularly and devote the time necessary to fulfill duties as a member?

**Yes**

Currently serving on a County of Monterey Board, Commission, Committee or other Community Advisory Group?

**No**

Has served on an advisory group before?

**Yes**

**I have served on the Byway Organization; my term just expired.**

Please tell us about yourself and why you want serve:

**I have been serving on the Byway Organization but my term expired. I would like to be reappointed. I recently retired from the University of California, Berkeley, where I was a professor in the Educational Policy, Organization, Measurement and Evaluation program. Thus, much of my professional life was dedicated to figuring out how public projects can better meet their goals. Serving on the Byway Organization offers an opportunity to do similar work. While serving as a Byway Organization representative I never missed a meeting; indeed I have been a regular at the meetings for years before I was appointed.**

Please state the reason you would like to be a member of this board committee/commission/district:

**I live in Bixby Canyon, in Big Sur and am active in numerous local organizations: I am on the Board of the Henry Miller Memorial Library; I am a firefighter/first responder with the Mid-Coast Fire Brigade; I am a docent at Point Lobos; I am on the Board of the Bixby Canyon Homeowners Association and the Bixby Canyon Firewise group. In am therefore able to represent not only my own concerns but those of many of my neighbors. Indeed, being a first responder with the Mid-Coast Fire Brigade affords me first hand experience not only of the concerns of residents but also the impact of road conditions on emergency response for both residents and visitors.**

How did you hear about the position?:

**I have been serving as a representative on the Byway Organization.**