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#### **EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION**

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

APPLICANT INVESTIGATION POLICY: Nipomo Community Services District (NCSD) recognizes the importance of maintaining a safe work place with employees who are honest, trustworthy, qualified, reliable and non-violent, and who do not represent a risk of harm to their co-employees or others. For purposes of furthering these concerns and interests, before hiring a person NCSD reserves the right to investigate the applicant's employment history, personal references and educational background, as well as other relevant information that is reasonably available to NCSD. Consistent with these practices, all job applicants will be asked to sign an agreement requesting, authorizing and consenting to the release of information to NCSD in releasing all concerned from liability for disclosure of information. Consistent with legal requirements, NCSD reserves the right to exclude any applicant from consideration for employment if the applicant refuses to sign this agreement as requested. In hiring for certain positions, NCSD may review the applicant's credit report, driving record, and criminal background, if any. NCSD will **not** request criminal history information before making a conditional offer of employment and will comply with all legal restrictions requirements concerning collection and use of such information, including Government Code § 12952. An applicant who receives a conditional offer of employment will be asked to complete a supplemental disclosure of criminal history information.

NCSD's policies regarding company property, security, privacy, searches and its drug-free workplace policy provide further information about NCSD's discretion to investigate employees and mandatory reporting obligations. After receiving an offer of employment, any job applicant who wishes to review these policies before deciding whether to accept employment may do so by contacting NCSD.

# ATTACH SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONNAIRE, COVER LETTER AND RESUME TO EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION

1.	GENERAL MANAGER Position applying for			
2.	CANDIDATE NAME: (Last)		(First)	(Middle Initial)
<u>C</u> A	ANDIDATE'S OTHER NAMES U	SED (To Verify En	nployment/Educati	onal History):
	NAME: (Last)	(First)	)	(Middle Initial)
	NAME: (Last)	(First)		(Middle Initial)
3.	PRESENT MAILING ADDRESS: (	Number/P.O. Box)	(Street)	HOME PHONE
	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)	CELL PHONE
4.	PERMANENT ADDRESS (If different	ent than above):	(Street)	EMAIL ADDRESS
	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)	<del></del>

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•	Are you a relative of a current NCSD Board Member or employee? YES NO							
y	yes, state name(s), title(s), and relationship(s)	:						
ou or ou	CSD does not permit the hiring of relatives of Board uld result in actual or potential problems in supervisor purposes of this application, "relative" is defined to usin, sibling, spouse, domestic partner, cohabitants (ationship). "Relative" is intended to encompass all	sion, security, safety, or mo o include: parent, child, go s, or in-law relations (whetl	orale, or randpare her arisin	if doing s nt, grand ig from a	so could co Ichild, und spouse o	reate conflictle, aunt, nie r domestic p	cts of in ce, nep cartner	terest. ohew,
i.	Are you 18 years of age or older?	YES	NO					
	If employed, can you produce verification of	your legal right to work	in the U	Inited S	tates? YE	s 🗌	NO	
<b>3.</b>	Do you speak, read and write a language ot If so, please identify:	her than English? YES		NO				
).	EDUCATION: Applicant may be required to	•			-	or diploma	l.	
	Did you graduate? If no, do you have GED certificate? RÉSUMÉS MAY BE ADDED, BUT CAN	YES YES		NO NO OR THIS	SSECTI	ON		
	College or University	Major/Minor	Unit	s comp	leted			
		xample: 3S in Math)	Exan					
	List any school courses, special skills, training the requirements of the position:	ng, machines or equipm	ent that	you car	n operate	that relate	e to	
)	Driver's license number:	_						
	Date of expiration:	Class Number:						
	Collision history:					For eac		

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12. EXPERIENCE: Show your present job first; then list all other jobs in order, working down from the most recent. Use a separate block for each job held even though with the same organization. List any job-related volunteer experience. If hours worked per week varied, give average. Account for all time for at least the last ten years. Attach additional sheet, if necessary.

Date/Salary/Hours	Exact Job Title and Duties				Employer's Name and Address
From//_ to//_	Title:				
Hours Worked Per Wk					
From//_ to//	Title: Duties:				
Hours Worked Per Wk	Reason for Leaving:				 
From//_ to//_	Title:	Title:  Duties:			
Hours Worked Per Wk	Reason for Leaving:				
From//_ to//_	Title:				
Hours Worked Per Wk					
. Were you ever discharged or a	asked to resign from a position?	YES		NO	
Would you object to contacting of previous/current employer? If you have answered yes to either of the above, please explain:				NO	

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- 14. The Nipomo Community Services District is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate in any aspect of the hiring process or employment relationship. No questions on this application and attachment will be used for the purpose of limiting or excusing any Applicant from consideration for employment on a basis prohibited by local, state, or federal law.
- 15. If the position for which you are applying is designated as "safety sensitive," then, the Nipomo Community Services District has a policy that any offer of employment shall be contingent upon the applicant successfully passing a drug test. Persons who do not successfully pass or who refuse to submit to the drug test will not be considered further.
- 16. For certain positions that require physical demands and before the date of hire, Applicant shall be required to pass a physical exam by a physician at District's designation and expense. Nipomo Community Services District has a policy that any offer of employment shall be contingent upon the applicant successfully passing a physician's examination certifying that the applicant is fit to perform the duties of the position. Persons who refuse to cooperate in the examination or do not receive a physician's certification of qualification to do the type of work required by the position applied for will not be considered for employment.
- 17. Please attach any additional information with your application which you feel will help the District in its evaluation of your qualifications.
- 18. Prior to turning in your application to the District, re-check it to make sure it is correct and complete.
- 19. I understand that it is the District's policy not to refuse to hire a qualified individual because of this person's need for a reasonable accommodation that would be required by the ADA and/or the California FEHA. I understand that consideration will be given to reasonable accommodation that may be necessary for eligible applicants/employees to perform essential functions, including participation in any pre-employment process. If I require reasonable accommodation during the pre-employment process, I will contact the District's Assistant General Manager.
- 20. If job description requires employee to operate a District vehicle, I give the District the right to investigate my DMV records if it makes a conditional offer of employment to me.

#### 21. CERTIFICATION OF APPLICANT:

(initials	
	_I certify that all the statements made in this application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that all statements are subject to verification by the District and any false statements or omissions of material facts may be considered sufficient to subject me to disqualification or dismissal regardless of the time elapsed before discovery.
	I hereby authorize the Nipomo Community Services District to thoroughly investigate my references, work record, education, and other matters related to my suitability for employment and, further, authorize the references I have listed to disclose to the District any and all letters, reports, and other information related to my work records, without giving me prior notice of such disclosures. In addition, I hereby release the District, my former employers and all other persons, corporations, partnerships, and associations from any and all claims, demands, or liabilities arising out of or in any way related to such investigation or disclosure.

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	I understand that the Nipomo Community Services District may review my credit report, driving record, criminal background, if any, for certain positions. I understand that the District will <b>not</b> request criminal history information before making a conditional offer of employment and will comply with all legal restrictions requirements concerning collection and use of such information, including Government Code § 12952. I understand that, if I receive an offer of employment, it will be conditioned upon me completing a supplemental disclosure of criminal history information and a current DMV printout obtained within the past thirty (30) days.
Date:	Signature:

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# STATEMENT OF PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS AND ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS

Job Title: GENERAL MANAGER

Job Description: Attached, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged.

### PHYSICAL ACTIVITY REQUIREMENTS

Work Position	approx. 20%	approx. 30%	approx. 50%	70% or more
Standing Walking Sitting				
Body Movements:	Some = 1/4 t Frequently =	= 0 to ¼ work day o ½ work day = ¼ to ¾ work day y = ¾ to full work da	у	
<u>Lifting:</u>	0 – 20 lbs	20-40-lbs	40-60 lbs	Up to 100 lbs
None Occasional Some Frequently Continuously				
Push and/or Pull Loads: None Occasional Some Frequently Continuously	0 – 20 lbs	20-40-lbs	40-60 lbs	Up to 100 lbs
Carrying:	0 – 20 lbs	20-40-lbs	40-60 lbs	Up to 100 lbs
None Occasional Some Frequently Continuously				

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Bending:	None	Occasion	nal 🛚	Some	Frequent [	]	Continuous
Kneeling/ Squatting:	None 🗌	Occasion	nal 🛚	Some	Frequent [	]	Continuous
Reaching Overhead Stretching:	None	Occasion	nal 🛚	Some	Frequent _	]	Continuous
Climbing Stairs: None	Occasio	onal 🛚	Some [	Freque	ent 🗌 Cor	ntinu	ious 🗌
Climbing Ladders:	None	Occasion	nal 🛚	Some	Frequent [	]	Continuous
Crawling:	None 🖂	Occasion	nal 🗌	Some	Frequent [	]	Continuous
Working on Ro	ugh and/or Unev None □	en Occasior	nal 🛚	Some	Frequent [	]	Continuous
Handling and Dexterity:	None 🗌	Occasion	nal 🗌	Some	Frequent [	]	Continuous 🖂
				ITAL FACTORS  bb Description	3		
Outside			⊠Outside and	d inside			Excessive heat
Excessive co	old		☐ Excessive	humidity			Excessive dampness or chilling
□ Dry atmosph     □ D	eric conditions		Excessive noise, intermittent				Constant noise
Dust			Silica, asbe	estos, etc			Fumes, smoke, or gases
☐ Solvents (degreasing agents)			Grease and oils				Radiant energy
⊠ Electrical en	ergy		⊠ Slippery or	uneven walking	surfaces		Working around machinery with moving parts
☐ Working arou vehicles	und moving obje	cts or	☐ Working or	n ladders or scaf	folding		Working below ground
Unusual fatigue factors (specify)			☐ Working with hands in water				Working closely with others (occasionally)
	ne (occasionally)		□ Protracted or irregular hours of work □ Other (specify)				

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# **STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

# **Applicant Read and Sign:**

and Housing Act and considers all reasonal applicants/employees to perform essential	with Disabilities Act and the California Fair Employment ble accommodations that may be necessary for eligible functions. If you need any type of accommodation in e requested accommodation and contact the NCSD's
Date:	
	Name (printed)
	Signature
Where did you hear about this position?	
For information purposes only:	
NCSD website	
CSDA website	
Indeed website	
Government Jobs	
BC Water News	
AWWA Family/Friends	
Other (please specify)	
Curior (produce opeciny)	

 POSITION:	General Manager
 FLSA STATUS:	Exempt
REPORTS TO:	Board of Directors

#### 1. <u>DEFINITION AND SUMMARY OF DUTIES</u>

Under policy direction of the Board of Directors, plans, organizes, directs and coordinates all District functions and activities related to the production and distribution of potable water and the collection, treatment and disposal of wastewater and other functions of the District; provides policy guidance and program evaluation to staff and elected officials; encourages and facilitates improvement in the provision of services to customers by District staff; fosters cooperative working relationships with intergovernmental and regulatory agencies, various public and private organization and District staff; acts as Secretary to the Board of Directors; acts as District Financial Officer; performs related work as directed by the Board. This position has full-time management status, and is Fair Labor Standards Act exempt.

The General Manager is the Chief Executive Officer of the District, serving at the pleasure of and accountable to the Board of Directors for all staff, functions, and activities within policy guidance and applicable state and federal laws and regulations. The General Manager is the principal administrative person in overall charge of the District and its personnel. The incumbent is in a position of trust and confidence and serves as the District appointing and disciplinary authority for all employees of the District. The General Manager provides the Board of Directors with advice, recommendations, analysis of financial impacts and consultation on all matters related to the requirements of the District.

#### 2. ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- a) Plans, organizes, coordinates and administers, either directly or through subordinate directors, the work of the District in accordance with the adopted goals and objectives of the Board of Directors and applicable laws and regulations.
- b) Directs and coordinates the development and implementation of goals, objectives, policies, procedures and programs for the District; implements administrative policies, procedures and work standards to assure that goals and objectives are met and that programs provide mandated services in an effective and efficient manner.
- c) Directs and coordinates the preparation and administration of the District annual budget; reviews and evaluates current programs, anticipates future needs, and formulates long-range financial goals of the District; reviews all District expenditures; provides financial management for the District.
- d) Acts as staff for the Board of Directors; advises the Board on issues and programs; prepares and recommends long-range plans for District funding and service provisions and directs the development of specific proposals for action regarding current and future District needs.
- e) Serves as principal Staff at Board Meetings, takes Board direction, implements Board policy.
- f) Assures that appropriate notice of Board meetings is posted and that other legal notification requirements are met.

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- g) Represents the Board and the District in contacts with governmental agencies, community groups and various businesses, professional and legislative organizations, District customers; and the media.
- Directs and coordinates preparation of rate schedules for the resale of water delivered to customers and other agencies; directs and coordinates preparation of rate schedules for the collection, treatment, storage and disposal of waste water.
- Consults with legal counsel concerning matters of litigation, contracts and District operations; monitors legislation on the state, federal and local level; directs and coordinates changes required by new legislation.
- j) Leads staff; interviews and selects top management staff; reviews and approves staff training programs; recommends changes in organizational structure and position classification; evaluates the performance of subordinate directors; has authority to hire, discipline, and discharge employees, approves or disapproves merit salary increases; adjusts employee grievances within limits of delegated authority; delegates authority and holds subordinate directors and managers accountable for the efficient administration of their divisions or sections; provides guidance and direction to subordinate directors, managers and staff regarding human resources policies and procedures.
- k) Plans and directs the selection, training, assignment, supervision, and evaluation of employees; plans and directs District employees in areas of financial and program management.
- Prepares a variety of correspondence, policies, procedures, reports, minutes and other written materials.
- m) Directs and reviews special studies; provides for contract services as required and administers various service, construction and equipment contracts; signs and accepts development plans and specifications for conformance with District standards on behalf of the District.
- Establishes and maintains effective communication and working relationships with related County departments and key officials of state, federal and local agencies. Coordinates planning and other activities of the District with those of other public agencies.
- Coordinates preparation and release to the media of information related to the programs and services of the District. Acts as spokesperson for the District on all matters.
- p) Meets with citizen groups, advisory bodies and others concerned with District programs and activities; represents the District and speaks before public bodies, groups, organizations and the public on matters pertaining to District programs and activities; attends conferences and seminars to keep informed of new developments and technologies.
- q) Interfaces with District customers and resolves service related issues and complaints.
- r) Directs the maintenance of District records and documents.

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### 3. QUALIFICATIONS

This position requires knowledge and proficiency in the following:

- a) Administrative principles and practices, including goal setting, program development, implementation and evaluation, and supervision of employees.
- b) Principles, practices and procedures of public administration in a special district setting including Brown Act compliance, Special District law, and Proposition 218.
- c) Functions, authority, responsibilities and limitations of an elected Board of Directors.
- d) Principles and practices of potable water production, treatment and distribution.
- e) Principles and practices of wastewater treatment and disposal.
- f) Applicable legal guidelines and standards effecting special district administration and operation.
- g) Techniques for effectively communicating with a variety of individuals from various socio-economic, ethnic and cultural backgrounds, in person and over the telephone, occasionally when relations may be confrontational or strained.

#### 4. ESSENTIAL ABILITIES

Ability to:

- a) Plan, organize, and coordinate the activities of the District.
- b) Work cooperatively with the elected Board of Directors to implement the policies set by the Board of Directors.
- c) Serve as technical advisor to Board of Directors, and the general public on water resources and sanitation issues.
- d) Develop and implement goals, objectives, policies, procedures, work standards and internal controls.
- e) Develop and administer an annual budget.
- f) Supervise and control the expenditure of funds and resources of the District.
- g) Provide excellent staff leadership. Effectively interview, select, train, supervise and evaluate subordinate directors, managers and staff.
- h) Establish and maintain harmonious working relationships with subordinates, representatives of county departments, other public agencies, private contractors, engineers, and the general public.
- i) Interpret, apply and explain complex laws, codes and regulations.
- j) Prepare and direct the preparation of simple, concise comprehensive written reports and oral presentations containing alternate solutions and recommendations regarding specific resources, plans and policies.
- k) Use initiative and independent judgment within general policy guidelines.
- I) Exercise initiative, ingenuity, and sound judgment in solving difficult administrative, economic, technical, and personnel problems.
- m) Evaluate District policies and procedures; define problem areas, and direct the implementation of policy decisions and practices to improve operations

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FLSA STATUS: Exempt

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- n) Make public presentations and conduct public hearings.
- Analyze and review draft staff reports and recommendations, and give constructive criticism.
- p) Use tact, discretion and prudence in dealing with those contacted in the course of the work including Board members, management team, employees, and members of the public.
- q) Work effectively and cooperatively with staff and a wide variety of customers and other individuals in person and over the telephone.
- r) Exercise sound independent judgment within established policy and procedural guidelines.
- s) Understand the necessity for and maintain confidentiality of information where necessary.

### 5. PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

With or without reasonable accommodation:

- a) Ability to read printed materials and a computer screen.
- b) Ability to type on a keyboard and use a mouse for extended periods of time.
- c) Ability to use a computer and software to access, record and convey information in a variety of formats.
- d) Ability to interact in person and on the telephone, relaying information verbally.
- e) Ability to communicate clearly, concisely and effectively, both orally and in writing with a variety of people.
- f) Ability to maintain, regular, predictable, punctual attendance in person.
- g) Ability to assess and analyze information and financial material.
- h) Ability to drive to designated locations within and outside the District to inspect facilities or attend meetings.
- i) Mobility to work in a standard office environment and use standard office equipment.
- j) Ability to grasp, lift and move files, binders, boxes and other collections of documents (which can total up to 40 pounds).
- k) Ability to inspect District facilities in the field.
- I) Ability to attend meetings in person outside of normal working hours.
- m) Ability to oversee meetings and coordinate the actions of many people.
- n) Ability to travel to necessary locations to perform work tasks and participate in meetings.

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#### 6. EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

#### Required:

- a) Extensive knowledge of: public agency administration, personnel management, the principles and practices of water, wastewater and water resources management; the political attitudes and concerns surrounding water and wastewater services, control and utilization.
- b) Thorough knowledge of: laws, regulations and legal opinions relating to District administration, water rights, water supply and transmission activities, water quality, wastewater; infrastructure financing, sanitation systems, and; the principles and practices of public works administration and organization including personnel and fiscal management; and a working knowledge of budgetary practices and procedures; English syntax and grammar.
- c) Any combination of education and training which would provide the opportunity to acquire the knowledge and abilities listed. Graduation from an accredited college or university with a degree in public administration, business administration, engineering, law or a closely related field and seven (7) years' experience in administration and management positions with public agencies, with increasing levels of responsibility.

#### Desired:

a) An ideal candidate would have knowledge and experience working with San Luis Obispo County, Santa Barbara County, or similar county government – Planning, Administration, Water Resources Departments – with a basic understanding of zoning rules and regulations. Experience working with consultants on projects needing Coastal Commission oversight and the California Environmental Quality Act is also a desired skill set.

#### 7. LICENSES

- a) Must possess a valid California Class C driver's license and have a satisfactory driving record.
- b) Must be bondable by District's fidelity bond insurer.

Approved by Board, February 22, 2023

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Ву	signing below, I acl	knowledge all of	the following:
co tas	mplete. I understan sks as necessary. I	d that the Board also understand	tion, and I understand it to be accurate and of Directors retains the right to assign me other that the Board of Directors has the right to signed job duties at any time.
If, at any time, I am unable to perform any of the assigned job duties or need any accommodation for medical reasons, I will alert the Board President or his/her designee and will participate in an interactive process regarding possible workplace accommodations.			
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# NIPOMO COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT GENERAL MANAGER RECRUITMENT SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION QUESTIONS

Answers to all the following 12 questions are to be included with your completed job application and professional resume.

- 1. Give examples of innovative programs that you have created and how they impacted the customers your serve. Please be specific.
- 2. Detail your experience in assembling (hiring) and leading an employee team. How many employees do you currently supervise and oversee?
- 3. Detail your experience in the areas of Public Agency Administration, Water Resources Management, Water supply, Wastewater collection and Treatment, Regulatory compliance, and Solid Waste. Include the following: Projects completed, your specific role in each project, steps you followed from start to completion, challenges overcome, and end results.
- 4. Please summarize your experience working with elected and/or appointed officials, board of supervisors, and community groups. Please detail your experience with other types of groups.
- 5. Budget experience: detail your role in developing, justifying, and controlling departmental and agency wide budgets. Please list the size of said budgets.
- 6. Describe your management and supervisory philosophy.
- 7. What has been your role in administering discipline? Please describe the type of discipline you have rendered as well as your experience in handling personnel matters. Provide overview of outcomes and your approach.
- 8. Detail your experience with the development and implementation of policies, including internal department policies as well as policies that impact the public.
- 9. What are the general fund, capital, and enterprise operating budgets for your current or most recent agency? List each fund separately.
- 10. How do you deal with being at odds with your Board?
- 11. Detail your experience dealing with difficult customers and difficult members of the public. Please provide at least one example of a difficult situation and how you handled and resolved the conflict.
- 12. Outline your three major accomplishments during your applicable work history.