



CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE
300 Forest Avenue, Pacific Grove, California 93950

AGENDA REPORT

TO: HONORABLE MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL
FROM: Daniel E. Cort, Mayor
MEETING DATE: September 3, 2008
SUBJECT: **CONSIDER THE APPOINTMENT OF AN ALTERNATE MEMBER OF THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE**
CEQA STATUS: THIS ACTION DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A "PROJECT" AS DEFINED BY CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA)

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the Mayor's recommendations for appointment to the City's Budget and Finance Committee.

DISCUSSION:

Based on the recent resignation of Art Evjen from the Committee, there is an opening for an alternate member. As Mayor, I am recommending the appointment of the following member:

Francois Melese

The candidate's applications for appointment is attached.

The proposed action is not defined as a project under CEQA because it is an organizational or administrative activity that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

Daniel E. Cort
MAYOR



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Application for Appointment to a
Public Board, Commission, or Committee

Persons interested in being appointed to serve on a board, commission, or committee of the City of Pacific Grove are invited to complete the following application.

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BY: *Shirley D. Rourke*

Name: *Dr. Francois MELESE*

Street Address: *290 PINE AVE.*

City: *Pacific Grove* State: *CA* ZIP Code: *93950*

Residence Telephone Number: *831-655-5564* Work Telephone Number: *831-229-3179* E-Mail Address: *fmelese@sbcglobal.net*

Name of Board, Commission, or Committee on which you would like to serve: *Budget & Finance*

Brief Description of Background and Qualifications (Additional Information May Be Attached on Separate Sheets):

[Please see attached Bio.]

Signature of Applicant: *[Signature]* Date: *2/10/08*

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Appointed to: _____

Date of Appointment: _____ Expiration: _____

Date of Reappointment: _____ End of Term: _____

Date Certification of Appreciation Awarded: _____

Francois Melese
Defense Resource Management
Institute



Dr. Melese earned his Bachelors degree in Economics at U.C. Berkeley, his Masters degree at the University of British Columbia in Canada, and his Doctorate at the Catholic University of Louvain in Belgium. He was a research fellow at the Institut de Recherches Economiques et Sociales (IRES) and the Center for Operations Research and Econometrics (CORE) in Belgium before joining Auburn University's Business School in 1982.

In 1987 he joined the faculty of the Naval Postgraduate School and today is Professor of Economics at the Defense Resources Management Institute (DRMI). Besides teaching resident executive management courses for domestic and international government executives, he has taught short courses in over two dozen countries on public budgeting and defense management. He has consulted extensively, most recently for the Joint Chiefs of Staff and for the Deputy Secretary of Defense's Directorate for Organizational & Management Planning.

Dr. Melese has published over 50 articles and book chapters on a variety of topics in economics and management including: energy markets, labor & incentive systems, international trade, economic development, applied game theory, defense management, and public budgeting. At the request of NATO Headquarters and the State Department, he has represented the United States as an expert in defense management and public budgeting at NATO meetings in: Budapest, Hungary; Kyiv, Ukraine; Berlin, Germany; Garmisch, Germany; Yerevan, Armenia, and will be representing the U.S. at the upcoming joint NATO/Marshall Center meetings in Ljubljana, Slovenia. His talk to the NABE will be based on a publication co-authored with Professor Jim Blandin and the Honorable Sean O'Keefe entitled "A New Management Model for Government: Integrating Activity-Based Costing, the Balanced Scorecard and Total Quality Management with the Planning, Programming and Budgeting System" (International Public Management Review, Vol. 5, No. 2, 2004) The paper can be downloaded at: www.ipmr.net.
