

# Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee

Thursday, June 7, 2007  
City Hall Conference Center

## INTERVIEWS – PARKS & RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (5 MEMBERS)

9:00	Louise French	
9:10	Robert Gibson	(Incumbent)
9:20	Rob Nash	(Incumbent)
9:30	Lynette Rowe	

Jerry Ambrose is unable to attend interview and submitted a written statement.

Janice Dallons is unable to attend interview.

## APPOINTMENTS TO BE MADE AS FOLLOWS:

### **Four vacancies:**

- Three 2-year terms expiring June 30, 2009
- One 1-year term expiring June 30, 2008

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**APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT  
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Name of Advisory Body: Parks + Recreation Advisory Committee CITY OF PASO ROBLES

Name of Applicant: Louise M. French  
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Retired?  Occupation (if applicable) RN

Employer (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: ( ) Work Fax: ( ) E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION & TRAINING**

**GRADE ENTERING INTO \_\_\_\_\_**

High School Chaffey Union H.S. Ontario CA  
Name City State

College Stanford Palo Alto CA  
Name City State

Degrees/Majors Chaffey College - J.C. Rancho Cucamonga, CA  
B.A., M.A. Physical Education/Recreation City State

Other Schools/Training RN

**MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS**

N. County Women's Tennis Club, Pikes 4 Pups Ventana Wildlife Society, CNPS, Audubon, Nacionamiento/San Antonio Watershed Plan Starting Committee

**ADVISORY BODY/COMMITTEE/COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS**

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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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I believe that parks bring citizens together in active participation that is good for both physical & mental health. I help support CA State Parks thru the CA St. Pk Foundation. I served for about 10 years on the San Bernardino County Parks Advisory Committee and would like to now support and local parks.

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LAST NAME French

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Name of Advisory Body: Parks + Recreation  
Name of Applicant: ROBERT B. GIBSON CITY OF PASO ROBLES  
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

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Retired?  Occupation (if applicable) REHABILITATION THERAPIST

Employer (if applicable) THERAPEUTIC RECREATION SPECIALTIES

Work Phone: ( ) Work Fax: ( ) E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

EDUCATION & TRAINING GRADE ENTERING INTO \_\_\_\_\_

High School Lake Orion High Lake Orion MI  
Name City State

College Cal Poly SLO SLO CA  
Name City State

Degrees/Majors BA RECREATION ADMINISTRATION / CONCENTRATION IN THERAPEUTICS

Other Schools/Training \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS

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DURING THE LAST FIVE YEARS, AS A MEMBER OF THE PARKS + REC. ADVISORY BOARD, I HAVE HELPED FACILITATE NUMEROUS PROPOSALS THAT HAVE BEEN PRESENTED TO CITY COUNCIL. AT THIS TIME I AM VERY INTERESTED IN THE SALINAS RIVER CORRIDOR TRAILS. WITH THE EXPERIENCE I HAVE GAINED THE LAST FIVE YEARS I BELIEVE I  
THE PROCESS OF THE MEETINGS. I ENJOY BEING A PART OF THE PASO ROBLES COMMUNITY.

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LAST NAME GIBSON

COMMITTEE NAME Parks + Recreation

READ CAREFULLY



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Name of Advisory Body: Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee

Name of Applicant: Robert B. Nash

Street Address: 1505 Chestnut Street City, Zip: Paso Robles, 93446

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Retired? Occupation (if applicable) Architect

Employer (if applicable) VITETTA

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EDUCATION & TRAINING

High School Hightstown High School Hightstown NJ

College Temple University Philadelphia PA

Degrees/Majors Bachelor of Architecture

Other Schools/Training

MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS

National Council of Architectural Registration Boards, Council of Educational Facilities Planners International, Board of Directors Paso Robles Children's Museum

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Currently Chairman of PRAC. I have been involved with the PRAC for the last 4 years as we have considered numerous issues including Salinas River Corridor Plan, Dogs in Parks, Salinas River Trails, parks usage assessments, etc. Additionally, we have recently changed from a 9 member to 5 member committee and have been evaluating how to be an effective, forward looking committee with a big picture vision of how parks and recreation can contribute to a sustainable and healthy Paso Robles community and what we can do to foster this vision. While some of these items have come to conclusion, I would like to continue my involvement with them; particularly the Salinas River Corridor Plan and the sustainable and healthy community visioning process.

READ CAREFULLY

This is a public document. I understand that all information contained within it will be provided to the public upon request

If appointed to a City committee, commission or other advisory body, I authorize the City to post the following on its Web site. I understand that other Web sites not controlled by the City may provide links to a City Web page that has my personal information on it. I also authorize the City to update my personal contact information on its Web site if my contact information changes.

- Home address, Business address, Cell Phone Number, Home phone number, Business phone number, Personal E-mail address, Home Fax number, Business fax number, Business e-mail address

Further, if my home address and telephone number are otherwise non-disclosable under the California Public Records Act (California Government Code §6250 et seq.), I understand that by agreeing to the release of the information above, this information may be provided by the City in response to a request made under the Public Records Act.

Signature [Handwritten Signature]

If appointed to a City committee, commission or other advisory body, I DO NOT authorize the City to post my contact information on its Web site or to release such information to a third party who may post the information on their Web site. The City may, however, disclose on the Internet and in all other appropriate places that I serve on a City committee, commission or other advisory body.

Signature

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Name of Advisory Body: Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee  
Name of Applicant: Lynette B. Rowe  
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

CITY OF PASO ROBLES

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Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(if different from home) P.O. Number City State Zip

Home Phone: (805) 239-0362 Home Fax: ( ) E-mail: lbrowe@calpoly.edu

Retired?  Occupation (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: ( ) Work Fax: ( ) E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

EDUCATION & TRAINING

GRADE ENTERING INTO 2nd yr. college

High School Paso Robles High School Paso Robles CA  
Name City State

College Cal Poly State University San Luis Obispo CA  
Name City State

Degrees/Majors Parks, Recreation & Tourism (Undergraduate)

Other Schools/Training \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS

Cal Poly REC Club member  
High School: CSF (California Scholarship Federation), International Club, Earth & Environmental Club.

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As a Recreation major at Cal Poly, I think that being a part of this committee would be a great opportunity for me to get involved in my community and the department I aim to work for in my future. By getting hands-on experience not only will I benefit personally but I think that I can do a good job of representing the Paso Robles Rec. department as well. I have been involved in many clubs and was the captain of my varsity soccer team during high school. I have always been interested in the Recreation field and know that if given the opportunity, this advisory committee will further broaden not only mine but Paso Robles' interest in recreation as well!

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LAST NAME Rowe

COMMITTEE NAME Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee

# LYNETTE B. ROWE

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## Objective

A position in the Recreation field with the City of Paso Robles.

## Summary of Qualifications

Reliable and organized with the ability to multi-task.  
Prepared to adapt to new tasks and challenges.

## Education

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, CA.  
Bachelor of Science, **Recreation Administration**, June 2010  
Concentration: **Special Events Management** Freshman Standing  
Overall GPA: **3.5 Dean's Honor List**

## Recreation Experience

California Polytechnic State University

### **"An Agency to Call Your Own" Group Project**

12/2006

- Designed hypothetical recreational organization and programs for San Luis Obispo County
- Demonstrated ability to work and collaborate with others

City of Paso Robles, California

### **Paso Robles Rotary Club Winemaker's Invitational Cook-off**

8/2006

- Prepared facility for event use
- Served Food
- Assisted attendees

### **Paso Robles Rotary Club Annual "Crab Fest" Volunteer**

9/2005

- Prepared facility for event use
- Served food
- Assisted attendees

### **Paso Robles Annual Taco Bell Track Meet Volunteer**

4/2003-present

- Responsible for children in a leisure setting
- Timekeeping, recording

## Computer Skills

- MS Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Adobe Photoshop
- Minitab

## Honors & Activities

- California Polytechnic State University REC Club Member
- Paso Robles High School Senior Excellence Award
- Paso Robles High School Girls Varsity Soccer Captain

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Name of Advisory Body: Parks & Recreation Advisory Board

Name of Applicant: Janice L Dallons CITY OF PASO ROBLES  
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Retired?  Occupation (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: ( ) Work Fax: ( ) E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION & TRAINING**

**GRADE ENTERING INTO**

High School Lakewood Sr. High School Lakewood Calif  
Name City State

College UC Irvine Irvine Ca  
Name City State

Degrees/Majors BA theatre

Other Schools/Training AA Long Beach City College

**MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS**

North County Women Tennis Club, Central Coast Womens Tennis League, Paso Robles  
Girls Softball League, SLO Vettes (Corvette Club) Gamma Phi Beta Sorority

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From 2004 To 2005

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I have played organized sports all my life. I believe that I could bring  
fresh ideas to the board. I mingle with a lot of people from many  
walks of life. I'm outdoors all the time and I have listened to many  
people and their needs and concerns for where this city is going  
and the future of the parks, greenbelts, and sports (especially the  
youth). I play tennis, softball, volleyball. I coach tennis at the  
J High School. I'm very visible and approachable for interaction with  
the citizens of the city.

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Name of Advisory Body: PARKS & RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE CITY OF PASO ROBLES

Name of Applicant: JERRY LD AMBROSE  
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

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Home Phone: 805 237 2520 Home Fax: 805 237 2995 E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Retired?  Occupation (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Fax: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

EDUCATION & TRAINING GRADE ENTERING INTO \_\_\_\_\_

High School PUEENTE UNION HIGH LA PUENTE CAL.  
Name City State

College CAL POLY POMONA CAL.  
Name City State

Degrees/Majors BS ORNAMENTAL HORTICULTURE - 1961

Other Schools/Training MANY INSTITUTES AND SPECIAL CLASSES  
RE HORTICULTURE & PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION DURING MY  
CAREER

MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS

NATURE CONSERVANCY, AUDUBON SOCIETY, SMALL WILDERNESS  
AREA PRESERVATION GROUP - CENTRAL COAST

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Previous <u>PERSONNEL COMMISSION, SAN LUIS COASTAL</u>	From <u>JAN 06</u> To <u>MAR 07</u>
Previous <u>UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, SLO</u>	From _____ To _____
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I HAVE 22 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN PUBLIC PARKS MANAGEMENT. DURING  
THAT TIME, I WORKED WITH RECREATION PROFESSIONALS, PARKS  
AND RECREATION COMMISSIONS, PROGRAM SEGMENT ADVISORY BODIES,  
AND CITY COUNCILS TO PROVIDE COST EFFECTIVE, PROFESSIONAL  
SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITIES SERVED. I HAVE EXTENSIVE EXPERIENCE  
WITH CONTRACTUAL SERVICES, PROJECT DEVELOPMENT, AND BUDGET  
MANAGEMENT. MY EXPERIENCE INCLUDES 7 YEARS AS PARKS  
SUPERINTENDENT FOR THE CITY OF SNYDAR, 4 YEARS AS PARK  
MANAGER FOR THE CITY OF SAN JOSE, AND NINE YEARS AS  
PARKS DIRECTOR FOR THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA. I BELIEVE

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THIS EXPANSE OF EXPERIENCE COULD HELP IN THE ONGOING PROCESS.

MAY 31 2007

CITY OF PASO ROBLES

May 30, 2007

To Mayor and Councilmembers, City of Paso Robles  
From Jerry Ambrose, applicant- Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee

Gentlemen:

I am sorry to say that I will miss the interviews on June 9 for this important appointment, as I will be in Wisconsin on a long-planned fishing trip. That absence has not diminished my interest, however, and I aim to present my philosophy, feelings, and relevant background in this letter.

I am interested in this appointment for several reasons. I am a great believer in the value of parks and recreation to any society. These functions along with libraries are not "must have" functions such as police, fire, and public works, which we need for safety and physical improvements dealing with everyday life functions. They are, however, those functions which enable us to grow, relax, and interact with others in the community of man. I feel that a community with diverse recreation programming and sufficient facilities to support that programming has a much better mental health profile than a community without these amenities. I believe that the same is true for a community that has a public beautification philosophy.

Paso Robles is one of these quality communities in my mind, and I'd like to support the continuation of policies currently in place by serving on this committee. My wife and I moved here three months ago and are impressed with the diversity and quality of park facilities, public landscaping, and the beautification mentality for new developments. I have also read the Activities Guide and think it's impressive for a community this size.

I must admit that I haven't seen all of the facilities and we don't take advantage of current programming, so I have lots to learn! My career in parks management ( 22 years) was spent mainly at the municipal level and interacting with recreation professionals, parks and recreation commissioners, city councils, special facility advisory committees, special interest groups, and of course the public at large.. With this background, I feel my learning curve will be a short one.

I must add that I read the City Manager's interview in the Tribune, and I was impressed with the practical approach you take to providing public services. An involved community is a better community!!

The following is a brief summary of my professional background.

Two years spent managing the horticultural resources of San Diego County parks- late sixties.

Seven years as the first Parks Superintendent for the city of Oxnard- 1969-1976. Responsibilities included parks, medians, street trees, budget, staff development, recreation support, and new facility development oversight.

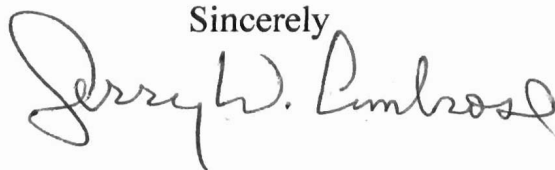
Four years as a Parks Manager for the city of San Jose-1976-1980. Responsibilities included managing the operation of a large destination park that had a children's fantasy facility, a baby zoo, the Historical Museum, a 20 acre Japanese Friendship garden, and extensive picnic facilities, along with hundreds of acres of undeveloped creekside parklands. I had extensive experience with advisory groups, contracts with service providers, development of security (ranger ) programs, and budgets. During the last third of this period, I managed the central services functions of the Parks Division, including maintenance contracts for selected facilities, and the maintenance management system which controlled budget decisions.

Nine years as Parks Director for the city of Santa Barbara- 1980-1989. Responsibilities included an extensive park rehabilitation program funded by grants, recreation support, and all aspects of management involved with 300+ acres of parks and beaches, a staff of 45, several thousand street trees, and a concerned citizenry with high standards.

I loved my career, and retired at age fifty to see what else life had to offer. Wow! Life had lots to offer... Appointment to this advisory committee will give me a chance to give back some of the knowledge and perspective I've gained in my career and in the years since.

Thank you for considering me for this appointment. I'll be back in town by June 20 if further dialog is needed.

Sincerely

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