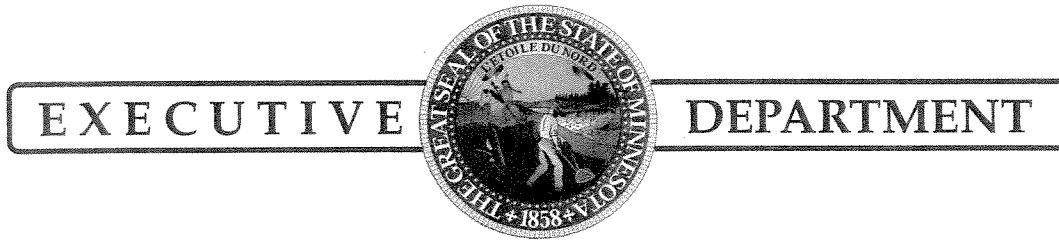


STATE of MINNESOTA



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GOVERNOR

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

MARGARET RAPP

8207 Marsh Creek Road
Woodbury, Minnesota 55125
County of Washington
Congressional District Six

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment and ability, I have appointed and commissioned you to have and to hold the said office of:

Member

MINNESOTA STATE ARTS BOARD


Effective: July 7, 2005
Term Expires: January 5, 2009

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, June 30, 2005.



Replacing: Yvonne Condell



Governor

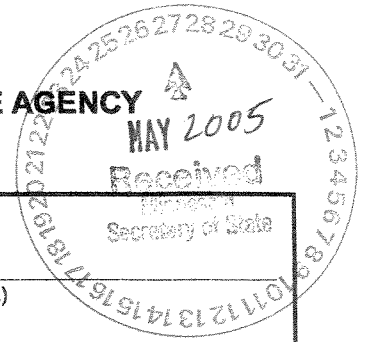


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OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY

All information on this form is available to the public upon request.



Agency Name: * MN Minnesota State Arts Board
(Name of board, council, commission or task force to which you are applying.)

Position Sought: member
(Membership position sought or enter "member" if no specific requirements exist for position sought.)

Applicant Name: * Margaret Rapp
(First Name) (Last Name)

Applicant Address: * 8207 Marsh Creek Road Woodbury MN 55125
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Work Phone: * () - Home Phone: (651) 501-8616

E-MAIL: * maggierapp@msn.com

County: Washington MN House of Rep District: 56B U.S. House of Rep District: 6

* Indicates information that will appear on the Office of the Secretary of State web site: www.sos.state.mn.us

Have you ever been convicted of a felony: Yes No

Did the Appointing Authority suggest you submit your application? YES NO

Please attach a current resume or a biographical statement containing work history, education, community activities, etc., and any other information the Applicant or Nominating Person feels would be helpful to the Appointing Authority.

OPTIONAL STATISTICAL INFORMATION

The following information is optional and voluntary. Information is collected for, and compiled in, the annual report on the open appointments process pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* §15.0597.

Sex: Female Male Political Party: Democratic-Farmer-Labor Green Independence Republican Other _____ No party preference

Disability: Yes No

Race*: African American / Black American Indian / Alaska Native Asian Hispanic Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander White Other Race _____

National Origin: USA (* Select as many as apply)
(Country of Origin or Principle Tribe)

I swear that, to the best of my knowledge, the above information is correct and that I satisfy all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

Margaret Rapp 5/26/05
(Signature of Applicant)* (Date)

* If another person or group is nominating the applicant, the applicant's signature indicates consent to nomination.

MAIL, FAX, OR SUBMIT APPLICATION IN PERSON, TO: Office of the Secretary of State, Open Appointments
 180 State Office Building
 100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd
 St. Paul, MN 55155-1299

FAX: (651) 296-9073
Phone: (651) 297-5845
Email: open.appointments@state.mn.us

Applicants will not receive an acknowledgement of submitted applications; the appointing authority will notify you if an interview is desired. *By request, this application will be made available in alternative format (for example, braille, large print, audio tape, or computer disk.)*

FOR OFFICE USE: Sub by AA: _____ AA: Governor Trans Date: 6-7-05

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President of the Senate

MARGARET DEAN RAPP

8207 Marsh Creek Road
Woodbury, MN 55125

651-501-8616

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SAINT PAUL ACADEMY AND SUMMIT SCHOOL. Teacher of American History, Geography, Early World History, Modern World History and Human Sexuality. Established Gay, Lesbian, Transgender and Bisexual group for students and staff. Team Leader for staff task force to hire new middle school principal. Member of task force to work on improving staff communication. Liaison to parent groups. *Fall 1991-December 2000.*

CLARET BY SHELLEY HOLL. Production Manager. Directed jewelry line production. Trained seasonal employees. Administered inventory and quality control. Researched, identified and communicated market signals for designer. *June 1990-June 1991.*

CLARET BY SHELLEY HOLL. National Sales Manager. Hired and managed sales team for beginning jewelry company. Developed sales strategies. Trained sales representatives. Projected quarterly and annual revenues. Recommended production levels to meet expected sales. Advised company owners on strategic initiatives. *February - June 1990.*

M.E. DESIGN, INC. National Marketing Coordinator. Researched market signals and predicted fashion trends for designer. Recommended new product designs in volatile, unpredictable fashion accessory market. Analyzed prototypes. Balanced designer's creative impulses with sales objectives and market realities. Created and implemented reporting system to forecast and track product sales. Managed sample set production with home-based contractors. *1986-1989.*

M.E. DESIGN, INC. National Sales Manager. Recruited, led, and directed professional sales representatives in eleven coast-to-coast markets. Projected annual sales. Motivated representatives to meet and exceed goals. Created bonus plans, discount packages, and other incentives to increase sales. Traveled regularly to merchandise markets. Trained and evaluated sales representatives. Coordinated production schedules to maintain inventory and control labor expenses. *1986-1989.*

EDUCATION/CERTIFICATION

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA. Masters in Education program. Post-Baccalaureate program in Social Studies Education. State certification received 1991. G.P.A. 4.0.

CARLETON COLLEGE. Bachelor of Arts in Economics, 1985. Extensive study in art history, natural and physical sciences.

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MARGARET DEAN RAPP

May 26, 2005

Office of the Secretary of State, Open Appointments
180 State Office Building
100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd
St. Paul, MN 55155-1299

I write this letter to express my interest in being appointed to a vacant position on the Minnesota State Arts Board.

I am a consumer of the arts. I have never been employed by an arts organization in Minnesota, but I am a frequent visitor (and my husband and I are contributors) to arts organizations in Minnesota.

But even though my primary role is as a consumer of the arts, my focus as a member of the Board would be much broader. The State Arts Board must help artists create, as well as provide venues for artists and companies to present.


The State Arts Board has a broad mission. As a member of this Board, I would hope to enhance its current work in at least three areas:

- Building arts from within both large and small communities
- Sharing the best of the arts in Minnesota in communities throughout the state
- Partnering with organizations to help develop tomorrow's artists, contributors and audiences.

To promote the value of the arts in Minnesota would be an exciting task. I am confident my background in business and education would make me a fair and thoughtful board member. I have the experience working with diverse groups with competing agendas and building teamwork in group settings, as well as understanding the profound impact of the arts in education.

I would appreciate the opportunity to serve on this board and to continue the ongoing process of providing all Minnesotans with the chance to participate in the arts. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



Margaret Dean Rapp

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Public Official Information

Arts Board

Name: Rapp, Margaret
 Occupation: Homemaker
 Business Address: 8207 Marsh Creek R d
 Address: Woodbury, MN 55125

Employer Name:
 Appointment Date: 07/07/05

Sources of Compensation

None Reported

Securities

Name of Securities

- AXP Emerging Markets
- AXP New Dimensions
- AXP VP Strategy Aggressive
- IAM Engery
- Icon Healthcare
- Putnam Equity Income
- Putnam European Equity
- Putnam Health Sciences
- Putnam International Capital Opportunities

Real Property

None Reported

Pari-Mutuel Horse Racing Interests

None Reported

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