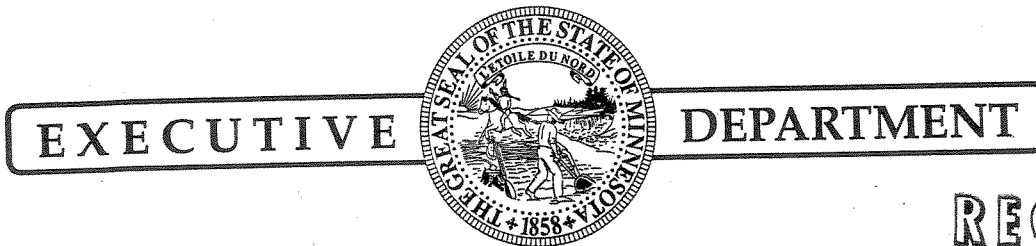


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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

VICTORIA REINHARDT

15 West Kellogg Boulevard #220
St. Paul, Minnesota 55102
County of Ramsey
Congressional District Four

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:

Representative of Metro Area Counties

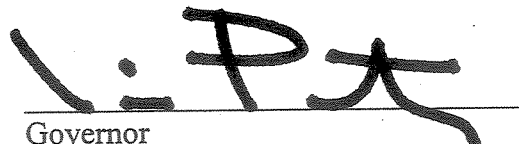
CLEAN WATER COUNCIL


Effective: September 29, 2008
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it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.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, September 24, 2008.




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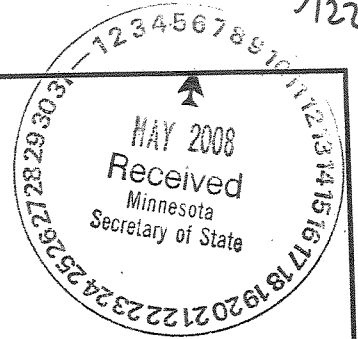

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OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY

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Agency Name: * CLEAN WATER COUNCIL

Position Sought: Representative of Metro Area Counties

Applicant Name: * Victoria A. Reinhardt

Applicant Address: * 15 W. Kellogg Blvd., Room 220. St. Paul. MN 55102 White Bear Lake 55110-6645

Work Phone: * 651-266-8363 Home Phone: 651-426-1836

E-MAIL: * victoria.reinhardt@co.ramsey.mn.us

County: Ramsey MN House of Rep District: 53B U.S. House of Rep District: 4

Have you ever been convicted of a felony: No

Did the Appointing Authority suggest you submit your application? Yes

Resume or Biographical Statement can be found below.

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 Political Party: Democratic-Farmer-Labor Race: White Disability: No

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.

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Victoria A. Reinhardt
Resume Follows:

An easier to read resume can be accessed at: <http://www.co.ramsey.mn.us/cb/district7/index.asp> The Association of MN Counties approves my application. Education 2007 Hamline University. St. Paul. MN Doctorate in Public Administration "An Ounce of Prevention: Taxpayer Costs Avoided through Preventing Crime" published – May 2007 1999 Metropolitan State University St. Paul. MN Masters in Business Administration 1996 Metropolitan State University St. Paul. MN Bachelor of Arts – Business Administration Professional experience 1997 – Present Ramsey County Board of Commissioners St. Paul. MN Ramsey County Commissioner. District 7 Board Chair. 2004-2005; Chair. Budget Committee; Past Chair-Legislative Committee. and Parks. Public Works. and Solid Waste Committee Local. Regional and National Boards and Committees (20 to 25): Chair/Vice-Chair – MetroGIS Policy Board; Association of Minnesota Counties (AMC) Environment and Natural Resources Committee. Extension Committee. and Solid Waste Task Force; Rush Line Corridor Task Force; National Association of Counties (NACo) Environment. Energy and Land Use Committee. and Air Sub-committee; Ramsey/Washington Resource Recovery Project Board; Solid Waste Management Coordinating Board treasurer Active Member – St. Paul Children's Initiative; Governor's Council on GIS; AMC Board of Directors. former District X Chair. Public Utilities Task Force. and Legislative Committee; NACo Indoor Air Quality Committee; National Paint Product Stewardship Initiative Ramsey County's annual operating budget is over \$500 million. Approximately 4,000 employees and 250 vendors provide services throughout the County. Ramsey County has achieved and maintained the prestigious AAA bond rating. 1994 – 2003 MN Office of Environmental Assistance St. Paul. MN Product Stewardship Coordinator Recycling. product stewardship. and waste and pollution prevention. Governor's Awards for Excellence in Pollution Prevention coordinator; Co-chair National America Recycles Day; Chair – Recycling Association of Minnesota and Minnesota Waste Education Coalition; Speaker for National Recycling Coalition and Solid Waste Association of North America 1988 – 1994 Metropolitan Council St. Paul. MN Abatement Grants Administrator Recycling. product stewardship. and waste and pollution prevention grants programs and contracts administration. including legislative reports and presentations. 1987–1988 Anoka County – Solid Waste Abatement Spec. Anoka. MN 1984–1986 Ramsey County Comm. Orth–Principal Asst. St. Paul. MN 1972-1983: Positions included self-employment as a Home Energy Auditor; Office Manager – law office; Assistant Cost Analyst – Unisys; Account Clerk – Hastings State Hospital Community Activities Greater St. Paul Area YMCA – Board member; Past Board member of the Great American History Theater and White Bear Center for the Arts; School District 624 – Past P.T.O. president. Excellence in Education Committee and Parent Network member; City of White Bear Lake – Past chair of the Recycling Advisory Committee Ramsey County (Prior to election) – Capital Improvements Projects Citizens Advisory Committee and Strategic Planning Commission; Labor Activity – AFSCME Past Steward and President. delegate to conventions. MAPE member Awards Outstanding Alumni of the Year – Metropolitan State University One of 25 Most Innovative Women in the Twin Cities – CityBusiness Minnesota Environmental Achievement Award –MNGREAT! National Leadership Award – Reusable Pallet and Container Coalition; Bruce Vento Distinguished Service Award – MN Coalition for Homeless; Innovative Leader Award – Association of Minnesota Counties; One of 30 Women of Vision – Metropolitan State University

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Serving citizens in the following communities ([District Map](#)):

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Ward 6 precinct 12 in St. Paul

Standing Committees of the Board:

- Criminal Justice
- Facilities
- Human Services and Workforce Solutions
- Public Works, Parks and Solid Waste
- Legislative
- Housing Redevelopment Authority
- Regional Rail Authority
- Budget, Chair

Outside Committees, Boards or Commissions:

- Association of Minnesota Counties (AMC) District X Executive Board
- AMC Environment and Natural Resources Committee, Chair
- AMC Extension Committee
- MetroGIS Policy Board, Chair
- Minnesota River Basin Joint Powers Board
- National Association of Counties (NACo) Energy, Environment, and Land

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Use Steering Committee

- NACo Solid Waste Subcommittee
- Ramsey County Extension Committee
- Ramsey/Washington Counties Resource Recovery Project Board, Chair
- Rush Line Corridor Task Force, Chair
- Solid Waste Management Coordinating Board (SWMCB)
- Standing Together on Meth Prevention (STOMP)
- SWMCB Reduction & Recycling Committee, Chair

Community Organizations:

- Great American History Theater Board of Directors
- Ramsey County League of Local Governments
- School District 622 Local Elected Officials Committee
- White Bear Center for the Arts Board of Directors

"An Ounce of Prevention: Taxpayer Costs Avoided Through Preventing Crime" By Victoria Ann Reinhardt - A dissertation submitted in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of Doctor of Public Administration in Hamline University, St. Paul, MN 2007

For a PowerPoint presentation of "An Ounce of Prevention: Taxpayer Costs Avoided Through Preventing Crime" by Victoria Ann Reinhardt, [click here](#). (pdf version)

Commissioner Reinhardt's Bio

Victoria Reinhardt - representing Maplewood, North St. Paul, the City of White Bear Lake, and the Hillcrest area of St. Paul (Ward 6 Precinct 12).

Commissioner Reinhardt received her B.A. and Masters of Business Administration from Metropolitan State University in St. Paul. In 1996, she received the Alumni Community Service Award in recognition of her community work. In 2001, the University honored Victoria as a "Woman of Vision and Courage." She is currently in a Doctoral program in Public Administration.

Commissioner Reinhardt has a long history of environmental activism. She was a founding board member and was chairperson of the Recycling Association of Minnesota from 1989 to 1991 as well as chairperson of the City of White Bear Lake Recycling Advisory Committee. Professionally she is the Product Stewardship Coordinator at the Minnesota Office of Environmental Assistance. In 1998 she was the Minnesota State Coordinator for America Recycles Day. She served as Co-chair of America Recycles Day in Minnesota from 1999 - 2003. Last year she received the National leadership award from the Reusable Pallet and Contain Coalition for her work on reducing packaging waste.

Commissioner Reinhardt is a strong advocate for violence prevention. She has been on numerous panels regarding the issue of prevention of domestic abuse. Commissioner Reinhardt oversees the juvenile crime prevention project known as ACE (All Children Excel). ACE targets juveniles ages 7 through 9 who are at highest risk of becoming chronic, serious offenders. ACE employs outcome-based, program-area budgeting and is being looked to as a national model. In 2000, Victoria was recognized by *CityBusiness* as one of the "Most Innovative Women in the Twin Cities" for her work on ACE.

Since being elected, Commissioner Reinhardt has also been working hard on metro-wide issues such as Transportation, Housing and integration of Geographic Information Systems. In 1999 Victoria testified before a Congressional Committee on Government Reform about how local units of government can work together more effectively. In 2000 she was given the Bruce F. Vento Distinguished Service Award by the Minnesota Coalition for the Homeless.

Before being elected Commissioner, Victoria served Ramsey County as a member of the Capital Improvements Committee and the Strategic Planning Commission.

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Victoria has been a resident of White Bear Lake since 1975. Both of her children, Michael and Erich, attended District 624 schools, where she served as President of the Lincoln Elementary School PTO and on a variety of School District committees. Victoria's husband, James Patrick (J.P.) Barone, is a Minnesota Assistant Attorney General. J.P. is active with the Lakeshore Players Theatre in White Bear Lake and has performed in a variety of theatrical productions.

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