

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Title/Prefix: Mrs. Ms. Mr. Miss Dr. Other

Name: Jaime Nichole Ries
First Middle Last

Home Address: 29301 Simpson Ln.
Street Number

Ft. Bragg CA 95437
City State Zip

Preferred Method of Contact: Home Work Cellular

Home Number: - Work Number: 707-962-3067

Fax Number: - Cellular Number: 951-312-3119

Email Address: jaimen107@yahoo.com

Spouse/Partner's Name: Micah David Ries
First Middle Last

In case of an emergency please contact: Micah Ries 951-500-1443

Current employer: self-employed - Ries Chiropractic

Emergency contact number: 951-500-1443

Please check your highest education level:

- High School/GED
- Associate's Degree
- Master's Degree
- Trade/Business School
- BA or BS Degree
- MD, DO, JD, PhD, etc.

Please check each area of expertise you would contribute to a board:

- Community Service
- Education
- Finance
- Fundraising
- Law
- Management
- Marketing
- Personnel
- Public Relations
- Parent Involvement Programs
- Other (please specify): Special Ed.
- Home schooling

On a scale from 1 to 5 (5 being extremely comfortable) how comfortable are you with technology: 1 2 3 4 5

Do you have any governmental experience? Yes No If yes, please list: Indirectly -

worked doing grassroots lobbying for a California parents group. (in 2015)

Do you have any volunteer experience? Yes No If yes please list: _____

Parent Volunteer - Three Rivers Charter School - classroom volunteer

Parent Volunteer - Caspar Creek Learning Comm. - ^{organize field trips} write weekly newsletter

Parent Volunteer + Bd. Member - Mendocino Coast Sea Dragons

Have you received any honors or awards? Yes No If yes please list: _____

Please list boards and committees that you serve on, or have served on, the date of service and your role/title (business, civic, community, fraternal, political, professional, recreational, religious, social).

Mendocino Coast Sea Dragons - Board Treasurer (community)
501(c)(3) June 2017 - present

Riverside Life Services (community) - 2013 - 2016
501(c)(3) Board Secretary

CONDITIONS OF APPOINTMENT

Instructions: The following questions indicate the minimum conditions that must be met in order to be considered for appointment. Please complete the following sections by indicating yes or no.

1. Will you be able to attend regularly scheduled board meetings? Yes No
2. Do you agree to complete a minimum of six hours of board training and development? Yes No
3. Will you be able to attend: workshops; trainings; special meetings; sub committee meetings? Yes No
4. Do you agree to complete an annual conflict of interest disclosure (Form 700)? Yes No

Why would you like to join the Board? I'm invested in the success of Three Rivers because I have 2 children who attend. I work well in a collaborative environment and I think I'm very practical. I have a background in the legal field and I've homeschooled for 4 years. I also have a background in special education law. Ultimately, I want to see Three Rivers succeed and thrive. I'd like to assist in that effort.

RELATIONSHIP TO THREE RIVERS CHARTER SCHOOL

Instructions: Please complete the following section by indicating yes or no. If you answer "yes" to any of the following questions, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet of paper. Please label explanations with the number of the corresponding questions.

1. Did or will you or your spouse/partner have any contractual agreements with Three Rivers Charter School (TRCS)? Yes No
2. Did or will you, your spouse/partner, or any member of your immediate family have any Ownership interest in any educational service provider or any other company contracting with TRCS.? Yes No
3. Did or will you or your spouse/partner lease or sell property to TRCS? Yes No
4. Did or will you or your spouse/partner sell any supplies, materials, equipment or other personal property to TRCS? Yes No
5. Have you or your spouse/partner guaranteed any loans for TRCS or loaned it any money? Yes No
6. Are or will you, your spouse/partner or any member of your immediate family be employed by service providers or other contractors? Yes No
7. Did you or your spouse/partner provide any start-up funds to TRCS? Yes No
8. Does any other individual, board, group or corporation believe it has a right to control or have Input on votes you will cast as a member of the board? Yes No
9. Do you currently serve as a member of the board of any public school district or public school other than the board for which you are applying? Yes No
10. Do you currently serve as a public official? (If you are being re-nominated to the same public school Board and do not serve as a public official in any other capacity please select "No" as your response.) Yes No

11. To the best of your knowledge, are there situations not described above which may give the appearance of a conflict of interest between you and TRCS., or which would make it difficult for you to discharge your duties or exercise judgment independently on behalf of TRCS? Yes No

12. Did or do you or your spouse/partner, or any member of your immediate family, have ownership interest, directly or indirectly, in any corporation, partnership, association, or other legal entity which would cause you to answer "yes" to questions 1-12? Yes No

ETHICAL ISSUES

Instructions: Please complete the following section by indicating yes or no. If you answer "yes" to any of the following Questions, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet of paper.

CITATIONS

Have you ever been cited for a breach of ethics for unprofessional conduct, or been named in a complaint to a court, administrative agency, professional association, disciplinary committee or other professional group? Yes No *See Attached.**

AGENCY PROCEEDINGS/CIVIL LITIGATION

Are you presently or have you ever been involved in administrative agency proceedings or civil litigation? Yes No

Has any business involving you, your spouse/partner, close family members or close business associates been part of any administrative agency proceedings or civil litigation relevant to the board member position? Yes No

Have you or your spouse/partner, or any member of your immediate family ever been engaged in legal activity, or filed a complaint against a School District? Yes No

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND DISCLOSURE

Three Rivers Charter School will perform a criminal records check from local, state and federal law enforcement agencies prior to your appointment. If the reports received from these agencies do not match your representations listed below, appointment to Three Rivers Charter School Board may be voided at the sole discretion of TRCS.

Instructions: Complete this section by placing your initials in the space beside option 1,2 and or 3. If you initial option 1 or 2, please provide on a separate sheet of paper what the charges were and which courts were involved.

1. _____ I have been convicted or pleaded either guilty or no contest to one or more (Initial) crimes.
2. _____ I am currently charged with one or more crimes. (Initial)
3. SR I have not been convicted or pleaded either guilty or no contest to any crimes, (Initial) nor am I currently charged with one or more crimes.
4. _____ I agree and am willing to complete the criminal record background check. (Initial)

APPLICATION VERIFICATION

I recognize that all information submitted with this application or gathered by TRCS, as a result of this application, becomes a matter of public record, subject by law to disclosure upon request to members of the general public. I will hold TRCS, its directors, officers, employees and authorized agents harmless from liability for the disclosure of any information it reasonably believes is true based upon my representations or resulting from this application process.

I understand that TRCS. is under no obligation to appoint me or any nominee to a public school board. My signature below certifies that all information provided in this application is true and complete.

Jaimie
Signature

4/24/18
Date

CONSENT FOR PERSONAL BACKGROUND CHECK

A criminal records check must be conducted as a condition for appointment as a TRCS Board member. This consent does not authorize, nor will it include a consumer credit check. Information requested on this page will be used to conduct a criminal records check and will not be used to determine qualifications as a proposed public school board member. This page will be removed prior to review of the information contained in the application.

Please print or type the following information:

Print or type your full name: Jaime Nichole Ries
First Middle Last

Current Address: 29301 Simpson Ln.
Street Number
Ft. Bragg CA 95437
City State Zip

Former Address: 3513 April Shower Dr.
Street Number
Riverside CA 92503
City State Zip

Date of Birth: 6 / 18 / 1978 Gender: Male Female
Month Day Year

By signing this document I acknowledge receipt of this disclosure and authorize Three Rivers Charter School to obtain a copy of my criminal records report.

I consent to the release of information concerning my criminal record, subject to any restrictions that I have included, to Three Rivers Charter School. I specifically authorize TRCS to conduct a criminal records check on me with the applicable local, state and federal law enforcement agencies. I will hold TRCS., its directors, officers, employees and authorized agents harmless from liability for the disclosure of any information it reasonably believes is true based upon my representations or resulting from this criminal records check consent process.

By my signature, I assert and certify that the information provided is, to the best of my knowledge, true and complete.

Jaime N. Ries 4/24/18
Signature Date

* Attachment

I hate to give this completely bogus State Bar complaint validity by even talking about it, but here's a summary. In 2006, my husband, Micah Ries, and his business partner, Randy Frigaard, formed a corporation for their chiropractic practice. At the time, I was an associate attorney at the law firm Gresham Savage, working in the litigation practice group. Another attorney at my firm, a corporate specialist, helped Micah and Randy set up the corporation and file the appropriate paperwork with the State of California.

In 2013, Micah and Randy had a business dispute and despite attempts to resolve it, Micah filed a civil complaint against Randy for dissolution of the corporation. (I was not a party to the lawsuit—it was a business dispute). At this point, I had left Gresham Savage and was no longer practicing law—I was a full-time stay-at-home wife and mom. Micah hired one of my former co-workers, a litigation attorney, from Gresham Savage to represent him in the lawsuit against Randy.

Randy hired an extremely shady attorney to represent him in the lawsuit, an attorney who had previously had his law license revoked for committing fraud, but was able to regain it five years later by claiming he found Jesus (literally) and changed his evil ways. Through this incredibly unethical attorney, Randy filed a complaint with the California State Bar against myself and two other attorneys at Gresham Savage—the one who helped set up the corporation and the one who represented Micah in the civil lawsuit. His claim against all three of us was that we had an ongoing attorney-client relationship with Randy and that by later representing Micah we had violated the rules of professional responsibility (representing adverse parties).

It was a completely bogus bar complaint with absolutely no merit. Once the formation of a corporation is complete, the attorney-client relationship is not ongoing unless an additional, more extensive retainer agreement is executed. What's more, the attorney who set up the corporation had no involvement in the litigation, and the attorney who worked on the litigation had no involvement in setting up the corporation. And I had NO INVOLVEMENT in any of it. I was simply the wife of a litigant, and former associate at the firm. Needless to the say, all three complaints, including the one against me, were dismissed after a cursory investigation by the State Bar.

I have no doubt that the bar complaints were filed for no other reason than to harass Micah and his attorneys, and to force Gresham Savage to pay a few thousand dollars to retain an ethics attorney to write a response letter to the State Bar. In summary, the complaint had no merit and a simple search on the State Bar website would confirm that it was dismissed with no action taken against me or my colleagues.