

October 20, 2021

Deborah Padovan, City Clerk Los Altos City Hall 1 N. San Antonio Rd. Los Altos, CA 94022

Dear Ms. Padovan:

I am writing to request that the Cities of Los Altos/ Los Altos Hills appoint a representative to the Sourcewise Advisory Council. The position was previously filled by Bella Shapiro, but has remained vacant for the last couple years. We are very anxious to have Los Altos and Los Altos Hills represented in our advisory work in support of older adults.

Sourcewise is the designated Area Agency on Aging for Santa Clara County. It is a non-profit organization that provides services to older adults who live in our County. The Sourcewise Advisory Council is a legally mandated body that advises Sourcewise on what services of the Older Americans Act need attention in the community, advocates on behalf of seniors, and distributes information to the community.

The appointee would represent the Cities of Los Altos and Los Altos Hills for a term of three years, with reappointment for a second term allowable. I am enclosing background material on Sourcewise, a member job description, and a Membership Application form.

We ask that you or your appointed representative *please return the officially signed application to me* at your earliest convenience. We look forward to putting your appointee in contact with our Membership Committee and providing additional information and training as needed.

Thank you for your time in considering this appointment. Should you or your perspective candidate need further information, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Tom Picraux, Co-Chair - Membership Committee

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