MENDOCINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS 2024 BOARD MEMBER BIOGRAPHY

SUPERVISOR NAME: John Haschak

TITLE: Third District Supervisor -Board of Supervisors

TERM OF OFFICE: 4 Years

TERM(s): January 2023 – December 2026

January 2019 - December 2022

CURRENT TERM COMMENCED: January 2023

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Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (By appointment)

RESPONSIBILITY: Mendocino County is a General Law County governed by the Constitution of the State of California. The Mendocino Board of Supervisors is responsible for exercising its legislative and quasi-judicial authority, within budgetary constraints, to provide for the health, welfare and safety of the residents of Mendocino County. This is accomplished through regular and special Board meetings, by community outreach and interaction with their constituents, and by serving on a number of local, regional and state boards and commissions.

BACKGROUND: John Haschak was raised in Willits. He attended UCLA where he majored in History and Political Science. John also graduated from UCLA's Graduate School of Education. He was a Peace Corps Volunteer in Guatemala. After his return to the Mendocino County, he worked as a parent involvement coordinator with Migrant Head Start before teaching Spanish at Willits High School.

He and his wife, Janice, both teachers, raised their daughter and son here. John has taught for 28 years in the Willits schools. As President of the Willits Teachers Association, he has been an advocate for public education and the children and families of Willits.

John chaired the statewide Budget Committee of the California Teachers Association. He was elected 7 times to this position. He also was elected Chair of the Redwood Service Center representing 106 local chapters of the California Teachers Association from the Golden Gate Bridge to the Oregon border.

John hikes and bikes the trails and canoes the rivers of Mendocino County. He has travelled extensively throughout North, Central, and South America.

OBJECTIVE: John focuses on economic development, environment, safety, and social service issues. Keeping the County safe, healthy, and thriving with sustainable development are keys to John's work.



SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS: Supervisor Haschak serves on several boards and committees, and that work includes:

- General Government Committee
- Great Redwood Trail Agency
- Workforce Alliance of the North Bay
- Area Agency on Aging
- Mendocino County Fire Safe Council
- California State Association of Counties

DISTRICT INFORMATION:

The Third District located mainly in the north-eastern region of Mendocino County, represents approximately 17,000 constituents.

DISTRICT MAP:

