RETURNING VOTED BALLOTS

Voted ballots can be returned to the Department of Elections:

- (Active members) through your department’s appointed Election Officer
- by mail
- by dropping ballot off at:

Department of Elections
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Pl. Rm 48
San Francisco, CA 94102

Monday thru Friday
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

IMPORTANT!

Ballots must be received by the Department of Elections no later than 5:00 p.m., May 23, 2008.

SPOILED BALLOTS

To request a replacement ballot please contact the Department of Elections at (415) 554 - 4342.

You can also get a replacement ballot in person at the Department of Elections.

To view more information about this election please visit our website at

http://www.sfgov.org/elections

Each member is allowed to submit one ballot only.

SAMPLE BALLOT
City & County of San Francisco

2008 HEALTH SERVICE BOARD ELECTION
VOTING CLOSES at 5:00 p.m.,
May 23, 2008

This election will choose one member of the Retirement Board for one full term ending 2013.

VOTING INSTRUCTIONS
1. Using a pen, place an “X” in the square next to the candidate of your choice.
2. Vote for only one (1) candidate.
3. Place your voted ballot in the “Return Envelope” and seal it.
4. Sign the back of the “Return Envelope”.
5. Mail or deliver the Envelope to the Department of Elections
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Using a pen, mark your choice with an “X”

HEALTH SERVICE BOARD MEMBER

CHARLES M. PERL
Budget Director
San Francisco International Airport

CLAIRE ZVANSKI
Property Manager
San Francisco Parking Authority

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END OF BALLOT

2008 Health Service Board Election

VOTER INFORMATION PAMPHLET

Candidates’ Statements

This pamphlet contains Candidates’ Statements of Qualifications.

A complete list of candidates appears on the official ballot enclosed with this pamphlet.

Each candidate’s statement is volunteered by the candidate and is published exactly as submitted.
Candidate Statement of Charles M. Perl

My occupation is Budget Director, San Francisco International Airport

My qualifications are:

My eight years of experience as the Airport’s Budget Director, Deputy Director in the Mayor’s Budget Office and Budget Manager for the City of Palo Alto—along with degrees in both Business and Public Administration—will help HSS negotiate better health plans and affordable co-payments for you. As the economy weakens, this experience will be needed to help balance the budget fairly for plan members.

I will provide a fresh perspective on the Board, as many plan members continue to be concerned with rising health care costs and reduction of plan choices. As my opponent has spent 20 years on this Board, change is needed now to assure:

- Health plans remain affordable, comprehensive and up-to-date for all of us.
- A variety of health plan choices remain offered throughout your career and into retirement.
- Appropriate policies are established to ensure medical records privacy and guarantee portability of retirement coverage.
- Your voice is heard at the Board.

For additional information go to www.Perl2008.blogspot.com or email CharlesPerlHSS@gmail.com New ideas and approaches are needed now to protect your benefits! Thank you for your vote and trust.

Candidate Statement of Claire Zvanski

My occupation is City Employee, 34 years; Property Manager, SF Parking Authority

My qualifications are:

- 20 years’ experience providing quality, affordable health care benefits to City employees & retirees.
- Featured expert: health benefits, Public Boards Forum seminars
- Completed 400+ hours health benefits courses

I’ve successfully worked to:

- Restore HSS to an independent department providing quality customer service to all members.
- Maintain affordable premiums—under national trends—and retain benefits.
- Enhance vision and dental benefits.
- Hold HMOs to performance standards with economic penalties.
- Improve customer service.
- Sustain retiree health benefits by successfully collaborating with Labor Organizations and employers.

My commitment to members to sustain quality benefits and keep premiums affordable is well known. Your vote is very important to me.

Early endorsers:  
SEIU 1021  Firefighters 798
IFPTE 21  Lois Scott
SFPOA  Mike Hebel
UESF  Dennis Kelly
UESF Retired  Gerry Meister
CRTA-SF-Div.36  Donald K. Chan