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SECTION I – IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION

First Name	Kathryn
Last Name	Couch

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Gender	Female
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Registered Voting Address, City, State, Zip Code

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I have called Long Beach home since 2011. Since that time my daughter has gone through elementary, middle school and now entering high school -all through LBUSD. I have also started and grown a successful business here too. In 2015 I had the privilege of interning at City Hall and gained an even deeper appreciation for the city I call home. As a recipient of a Masters Degree in Public Administration - I have not only the understanding of local government - but also the skills to analyze complex policy. Most importantly I've lived in various neighborhoods and have friends and acquaintances in all districts. I enjoy the quality of life here and feel it's important to give back to the community as a public servant. This would be an incredible way to accomplish that responsibility.

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As a student at CSULB, working in student government has impressed upon me the importance of ensuring students are staying civically engaged in our community. I believe this redistricting commission needs to have college student representation. Working with the City of Long Beach on Census 2020 efforts has piqued my interest in strengthening the collaboration between local city efforts and student government efforts towards the effective representation of student needs. A large portion of students at CSULB reside in the local area and redistricting efforts should be focused on ensuring that their voices are heard on the statewide and federal legislation level. My experience working in CSULB's student government, I have lived on campus the past two years and this past year served as a Senator at Large for Housing. Most times during the year, the Senate Board of Directors is a calm legislative body in student affairs, and at other times it has been contentious, I have found that an ability to show calmness and respect has been integral to creating effective solutions for students. Just as it was with the Ethnic Studies Bill, many students were opposed to the vote the Senate had handed down, I was able to reach an agreeable solution, by having our Bills of Interest show support for the bill while ensuring student concerns would be noted. At times, there is not a solution that fits everyone's priorities, but the most important thing is to make sure that transparency and accountability are at the forefront.

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Middle Name	N/A
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Male

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I know what it's like to feel disenfranchised, to feel like you don't belong and have no power. It is a feeling no one should have, no matter your race or sexual orientation, that is why I want to become an Independent Redistricting Commissioner -- I want to help communities obtain equal access to political representation.

For over a decade I worked as an Urban Planner for three different jurisdictions in Southern California. In that capacity I managed Community Plans, affordable housing projects, Specific Plans and Environmental Impact Reports. I have ushered 100s of projects through Municipal Advisory Committees, Planning Commissions, City Councils, Boards of Supervisors, and the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) process. Each of these requiring an open and transparent process with public input, impartiality and cooperation with various departments and stakeholders.

I also collaborated on research entitled: "Understanding Minority Residents' Perceptions of Neighborhood Risks and Environmental Justice" which was published in the Journal of Architectural & Planning Research (follow this link, see page 17 for acknowledgments) <https://webfiles.uci.edu/dstokols/Pubs/Lejano%20%26%20Stokols%20JAPR.pdf?uniq=-1uwqm2>

In addition, I was recognized in the Los Angeles Times for overcoming adversity. (follow this link to the article) <https://www.latimes.com/archives/la-xpm-1999-aug-07-me-63542-story.html>

I graduated from UC Irvine with two Bachelor of Arts Degrees -- one in Urban and Regional Planning and the other in Environmental Analysis and Design.

Throughout my life I have worked in agriculture, restaurants, construction, landscaping, a machine shop, as a researcher, as a Civil Servant and in Corporate America. I have walked all these paths and understand their people.

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Middle Name	Lee
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Fair redistricting is a fundamental part of "citizen lead" governance. As part of my legacy to my city, I want to participate in this important act of self-governance.

Familiarity Community

- 4th generation resident of Long Beach Born & raised Wriggley District.
- Attended Lafayette & Birney elementary, Washington Jr Hi, Poly, Long Beach City, & Cal State Long Beach.
- Have lived East of CSULB since 1966.
- Inner-city Boy Scout leader downtown Long Beach for 63 years. I grew up in a downtown church.
- Wife taught 30 years at Burnett & Lee elementary, where I worked as volunteer many hours per year. She taught English Second Language Khmer (Cambodian).
- Have very close relations with multi-ethnic people, including Black, Hispanic, Asian, and Khmer.
- Last 12 years attend church in Belmont Heights.
- Active in 6th District for many years
- Served on two city commissions

Analytical Skills

- Project management programs such as International Space Station.
- Excellent problem solving & team leadership skills.
- Excellent writing, verbal, & computer skills.
- Effectively follow Complex process procedures.
- Commercial real estate sales.
- Contract Management
- Taught at LBCC & CSULB
- Public speaking.

Impartiality

- Assured Quality Manager large complex programs accustomed to making complex decisions based upon explicit requirements, even if I would have prefer to decide differently.
- Commercial real estate sales dealing with multi party transactions.

Work Cooperatively

- Accustomed to working with & reaching consensus with competent, strong willed people with competing opinions.
- Excellent people skills, conflict avoidance & resolution.
- Willing to listen to everybody & change my mind based upon others ideas.
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No one else in town has my perspective, as a systems and data scientist, and climate and environmental justice advocate.

I have lived in the 4th, 7th, and now 3rd, and have either gone to school or volunteered or worked in every other district.

My ability to be politically impartial comes as much from these commitments as from upbringing. My family moved here on June 30th, 1991 for the schooling. We are Hindu, and education is that important.

I do not care who you are, how you vote, or what you believe about the beyond. Here and now what do we share? What universally applies to each of us? If the first wave of covid-19 becoming an avalanche concerns you, there is this whole other tsunami of 100 years of carbon trapped in the sky coming behind it...

I took Leo Estrada's penultimate course on GIS and how he changed the racial inequities in the Census (UCLA, W17). In addition to being intimately familiar with neighborhoods all across town over the past three decades, I have experience working with the crosswalks for the 1990—2000--2010 decennial Censuses, along with the ACS and IPUMS data sets. Attended multiple sessions of the California Complete Count and informational updates on the Census in 2018-19, including the state-wide convening held in Long Beach August of 2018. Also, member of LB CERT and LB MRC, and currently in the process of getting accredited for contact-tracing – all this to say, I understand the civic, statistical, and field challenges with not only getting a complete count, but in how to determine and allocate boundaries fairly.

My work advocating for the Climate Action and Adaptation Plan and Community Choice Energy these past 4 years is predicated on having a long-term view of the future of our city and the quality of life for everyone who lives here.

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Q25

Yes

17. If appointed, I acknowledge that I will be ineligible to serve on another City of Long Beach Commission for a period of four (4) years.

Q26

Yes

18. If appointed, I acknowledge that I will be ineligible to serve as a paid staff for or as a paid consultant to any City of Long Beach elected official or candidate for a City of Long Beach elective office for a period of four (4) years.

Q27

Yes

19. If appointed, I acknowledge that I will be ineligible to receive a non-competitively bid contract with the City of Long Beach, or to register as a City of Long Beach lobbyist.

Q28

Yes

20. If appointed, I agree to complete the following within 30 days of my appointment: Live Scan Background Check, Ethics Training, Written Ethics Pledge, Oath of Office. I also agree to file a Form 700 Statement of Economic Interest, which is a public record, within 30 days of accepting my appointment.

Q29

Yes

21. I understand my application is a public record. If qualified, the Office of the City Clerk will publish and transmit my name to the Ethics Commission to be considered for the subpool of applicants most qualified to perform the duties of the Commission. If disqualified, the Office of the City Clerk will maintain a public record of my name and the reason for my disqualification.

Q30**Yes**

22. While serving on the Commission, I agree I will not endorse, work for, volunteer for, or contribute to any candidate campaign for a City of Long Beach elective office. If I choose to engage in such activity, I will immediately resign (including after the approval of a final map) to ensure that I no longer serve if the Commission reconvenes to redraw districts.

Q31**Yes**

23. By submitting this application, I grant permission to the City of Long Beach to verify my answers to the questions in Section II using voter registration records.

Q32

Your Name

Dave Shukla

Q33

How did you hear about this Commission?

Other (please specify):

All of the above!