



# The City of South San Francisco

Office of the City Clerk  
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## Application for Boards and Commissions

**APPLYING FOR** (*more than one may be checked*)

<input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC)	<input type="checkbox"/> Conference Center Authority Business Representative	<input type="checkbox"/> Conference Center Authority Community Representative	<input type="checkbox"/> Conference Center Authority Hotel Representative
<input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Arts Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> Equity and Public Safety Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing Authority	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing Authority Tenant Commission
<input type="checkbox"/> Library Board	<input type="checkbox"/> Measure W Citizens' Oversight Committee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parking Place Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> Parks & Recreation Commission
<input type="checkbox"/> Personnel Board	<input type="checkbox"/> Planning Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> SSF General Plan 2040 Community Advisory Committee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traffic Safety Commission
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth Commission			

Are you interested in participating in the Citizen's Academy? ☐ Yes ☒ No

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

**MONZON-RUIZ, HERMES**

Name (last, first, middle)

[REDACTED]

**SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080**

Address (number, street, and apartment number)

[REDACTED]

City, State and Zip Code

[REDACTED]

Telephone number

Cell phone/alternative contact number

E-mail address

If you selected more than one Board/Commission/Committee of interest, please rank your preferences here, starting with your first choice.

How many years have you been a resident of South San Francisco? 19

Have you attended any meetings of the commission/board for which you are applying? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, which one(s)? Parking Place Commission and Traffic/Safety Commission.

### BPAC

Are you a resident of South San Francisco? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, are you employed in South San Francisco? Yes ☐ No ☐

Number of hours employed in South San Francisco: \_\_\_\_\_

### Housing Authority Tenant Commission

Are you a resident of the Housing Authority? Yes ☐ No ☐

### Youth Commission – (Ages 14 to 22)

If not a resident of South San Francisco, are you a student of SSFUSD? Yes ☐ No ☐

Current school: \_\_\_\_\_

**Conference Center Authority Hotel Representative**

Which hotel within the City of South San Francisco are you representing? \_\_\_\_\_

**South San Francisco General Plan 2040 Community Advisory Committee**

What is your District of Residency? \_\_\_\_\_

Click [here](#) to locate your District.

Why do you want to be a member of a Board/Commission/Committee? What do you feel you could contribute? Opportunity to learn and to advocate current and future challenges. I am very committed and reliable.

What qualifies you for this appointment? Commissioner since 2017. Active volunteer in my community.

What is your vision for growth in South San Francisco? Progress with a balance bussinesses/residents, safety first. services, communy engagement, community center with college/trade preparedness for cutting edge jobs.

Are you currently receiving any form of compensation from the City for work performed? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, please explain: Parking Place Commission and Traffic/Safety Commission stipend

Do you have any relatives serving on Council, Commissions, Boards, and Committees or otherwise employed by the City of South San Francisco? Yes ☐ No ☒ If yes, \_\_\_\_\_

Name

Position

Relationship

**EDUCATION - Please include additional information on separate sheet.**

Please see resume attachment

Name and location of college/university/technical or trade school

Degrees received

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**What community activities are you presently involved in, or have been in the past?**

Racial/Social Equity Commission, most Shape SSF meetings, Califorfnia Transportation commission, 101 Express Lane, Reimagine SamTrans, food drives,toy drives, Advance Economic Center, Friends of Old Town.

***MISCELLANEOUS - Please include additional information on separate sheet or attach resume.***

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Military Service: Dates and branch

**WORK EXPERIENCE - Please include additional information on separate sheet or attach resume.**

Please see resume attachment

Dates employed

Employer

Position

Duties

Dates employed

Employer

Position

Duties

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all statements in this application are complete and true. I agree and understand that any misstatement of material fact will cause me to forfeit all rights to appointment to a Commission, Board, or Committee with the City of South San Francisco.

Signature

11-28-2022

Date

The interest of the City is served best by actual and regular participation by Board and Commission members. Thus, upon the second absence from a regular meeting within any rolling twelve-month period, a member shall receive a written communication from the Mayor requesting that the member respond to the Mayor with an explanation for said absences within one week of the member's receipt of the written communication. The Mayor shall report to the City Council the reasons provided for the member's absences. If the City Council determines that the absences occurred for legitimate reasons, the City Council may excuse both or one of the absences. Members are also encouraged to give advanced notice of their absence from meetings.

Applications are accepted on a continuous basis and will remain valid 1 year from the date of submission. If you are selected to serve on a Board or Commission, you may be required to file an Annual Statement of Economic Interest (FPPC Form 700) and bi-annual Ethics Training (AB1234).

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# HERMES MONZON RUIZ

## Objective

As ABC Companies Transmission Service Department Manager. I did learn and gain valuable managing skills. My previous jobs duties and responsibilities gave the opportunity to work with passion and dedication striving to provide the best customer service possible with an owner mentality approach and availability to be ready to help at any capacity. I humbly and respectfully present myself to the City of South Francisco Council Members to please consider me as a candidate for the Parking Place Commission and Traffic/Safety Commission. I see serving in the Parking Place Commission and Traffic/Safety Commission as a great opportunity to keep learning and develop skills from city local government so that I can make a positive impact in my community.

Self-motivated and hard-working attitude. Great multi-tasking focus, field service and customer service skills. Eager to learn and grow as a community volunteer.

## Experience

**Allison E-learn certified. Allison Instructor-Led training certified.  
Allison guild member since 2003 service and parts. Allison Hybrid System certified. Cummins mid – range engine certified. VanHool Bus OEM Electrical System Certified. Vanhool Bus Fully Electric EV power train.**

- CDL class B holder with Air Brake, Passenger, and tank endorsement.

December 2017 – Present    **ABC Companies – Redwood City**    Redwood City, CA  
**VanHool Coach - Bus Distributor and Allison Dealer**

### **Transmission Service Department Manager**

- Develop the new transmission division service department at the Redwood City branch as an Allison Transmission dealership to support the Google and Facebook Bus fleet maintenance. Expand the service transmission repair, Troubleshooting and complete overhaul programs.
- Promote the Allison service department parts and service with Vanhool large Fleet accounts and owner operated tour coach customers.
- Perform road service and troubleshooting on all ABC Companies local shops Redwood City, Moffett Field, Newark, and San Francisco. Supervise and perform transmission repairs and Vanhool bus electrical systems repairs.  
Carry out Technician's hands on training, Diagnostics, Troubleshooting, Repairs, reprogramming and final quality road test.

- Perform all transmission repairs and technical advice for Google Bus

Refurbished 2018, 2019 and 2020 project of 35 buses between ABC shop in Costa Mesa, CA Redwood City branch.

- Perform Allison transmission training for the ABC Companies Redwood City, Moffet Field, Newark and San Francisco shops technicians. Instructor led and hands on.
- Perform Allison Transmission presentation to ABC headquarter Customer care team in Florida via webinar 2019 and 2020.
- Provide Allison transmission technical support to the ABC customer care Team company comprise of 9 shops. Technical support between ABC company Vanhool (Belgium) and Allison transmission (Indianapolis) on new buses with emerging transmission, engine, and body builder related issues.
- Manage all Allison transmission warranty repairs and claims
- Perform training on electric power train EV for new Vanhool electric bus and Lightning emotors electric bus retrofit power pack.
- Perform training on ADES new technology (Advance Driver-Assistance systems) for driverless vehicles.
- Perform Allison Guild training
- Allison First Line training

**Special achievement: Allison Transmission Guild Star Award 2019  
Commitment to Excellence Outstanding service to the Allison Transmission  
Customers at the 2019 Allison Transmission First Line Training event**

April 2008 – 2017

**Cummins Pacific - Allison West**

San Leandro, CA

**Cummins Engine and Allison Distributor**

#### **Allison Transmission Lead Technician**

- Perform diagnostics and troubleshooting on all Allison Transmissions products. On – Off Highway and Hybrid systems.
- Perform overhauls on all Allison transmission products On Highway and Off highway, and Hybrid products.
- Current holder of **CDL class B** with air brakes for initial diagnostics and final quality test drive.
- Perform field service on all Allison Transmission products. Mid range Cummins engine certified. ISB/C/L. QSOL on ISX.
- OEM Controller Area network - CAN Bus diagnostic and troubleshooting.
- Allison DOC, Cummins INSITE, Detroit Diesel DDDL, Vanner PCAN and DG Diagnostics.
- Allison field service truck to support major local transit fleets such SF MUNI, SamTrans, VTA- Santa Clara, Golden Gate Transit and AC Transit.

2007 – 2008

**Bayshore International Trucks  
International - Mitsubishi Truck and Bus Dealer**

Hayward, CA

**Diesel-Allison Lead Technician**

- Perform diagnostics and troubleshooting on all Allison transmissions. Mitsubishi/Aisin Transmissions and Eaton automated transmissions.
- Perform diagnostics and mechanical-electrical troubleshooting on International engines and OEM cab systems.
- Perform diagnostics and mechanical-electrical troubleshooting on Mitsubishi engines and cab systems.
- Perform control module and valve body overhauls. Re-case Allison transmissions.
- Perform road tests for diagnostics and final quality control. CDL class B holder.

2000-2007

**Superior Transmissions  
Allison Dealer**

South San Francisco, CA

**Technician – Shop Foreman**

- Perform technical customer service, organize technician's daily duties, training new technicians and final road test for quality control. Field service. Shop Foreman.
- Perform diagnostics, mechanical-electrical troubleshooting, and overhaul on all Allison Transmission products. Chelsea and Muncie P.T.O products.
- Perform removal/installation of Allison transmissions. Disassemble transmission and pre-qualify components. Dyno test transmission. Diagnostics, and troubleshooting.
- OEM multiplex system – CAN diagnostics and troubleshooting on trucks and buses,

1998-2003

**Shoreline Diesel  
Detroit Diesel-Cummins and Perkins Dealer**

South San Francisco, CA

**Diesel Mechanic – Marine Transmission Technician**

- Perform engine and transmission overhaul/maintenance on Detroit Diesel, Perkins, Cummins engines, Twin Disc and Allison marine transmission product
- Perform marine field service on Detroit Diesel, Perkins, Cummins, and

Twin Disc products.

- Perform engine removal and installation. Disassemble and pre-qualify components. Diagnostic and dyno test engines.

## Highlights

- Complete successfully Caterpillar apprenticeship program at [www.ferreyros.com.pe](http://www.ferreyros.com.pe) Caterpillar Distributor in Lima - Peru 1989 – 2003. Got a job offer before SENATI Diesel School graduation.

## Education

2002-2004 City College of San Francisco San Francisco, CA

- Italian basic, intermediate and conversation courses.
- Music lessons

1999-2001 City College of San Francisco San Francisco, CA

- Welding Hands on training
- Machine shop training
- Blueprint Reading courses

1994-1998 City College of San Francisco

- General education.
- Computer classes.

1987-1990 Technical School – SENATI Lima, Peru

[www.senati.edu.pe](http://www.senati.edu.pe)

- Diesel engine technician under the dual German GTZ system.
- Graduated with honors.
- Apprenticeship program with Volvo dealer, John Deere dealer, Bosch, Stanadyne fuel systems
- Factory apprenticeship program at Caterpillar distributor Enrique Ferreyros

## Interests

Jogging, gardening, home improvement projects, transportation technologies and community involvement. Current South San Francisco parking place chairperson, South San Francisco Traffic-Safety commissioner. Current San Mateo area Chamber of Commerce Leadership Program. Former San Mateo County District Lines Advisory Commission 2021. Former South San Francisco Racial and Social Equity Commissioner 2020-2021. Member of community group Friends of Old Town – SSF.