**NEXT, THE COMMISSIONERS . . .**

The Santa Barbara LAFCO is composed of:

- Two City Council Members (selected by the cities in the County),
- Two County Supervisors (selected by the Board of Supervisors),
- Two Special District Members (selected by the independent special districts in the County),
- One public member (selected by the other six Commissioners).

Alternate members – one in each category – are appointed to vote whenever a regular member in that category is absent or disqualified from participating.

All members are appointed to serve four-year terms.

The current members of the Santa Barbara LAFCO are:

**CITY MEMBERS**
- Roger Aceves
- Holly Sierra, Alternate
- Etta Waterfield

**COUNTY MEMBERS**
- Joan Hartmann
- Steve Lavagnino, Chair
- Das Williams, Alternate

**SPECIAL DISTRICT MEMBERS**
- Cynthia Allen, Alternate
- Jay Freeman
- Craig Geyer, Vice-Chair

**PUBLIC MEMBERS**
- Shane Stark, Alternate
- Roger Welt
Regular meetings are held at 1:00 PM on the first Thursday of each month, alternating between the Board of Supervisors hearing rooms in Santa Barbara and Santa Maria.

The public can attend and testify at meetings or view meetings and give remote testimony at the alternate site. Commission meetings are also broadcast on the Government Access Television.

...AND THE STAFF

The Executive Officer is appointed by the Commission to conduct its day-to-day business and prepare staff reports and recommendations on proposals submitted to LAFCO.

The Commission also appoints its legal counsel.

Santa Barbara LAFCO staff members are:

- **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** Paul Hood
- **CLERK TO THE COMMISSION:** Jacquelyne Alexander
- **LEGAL ADVISOR:** Bill Dillon