

## **Jerilyn Harris**

Appointed by the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors

An award-winning science teacher with over 25 years of public school teaching experience, has served the education community through appointments from three California Governors...chaired the California Commission of Teacher Credentialing, the nation's largest teacher preparation and licensing agency...additionally, chaired the bipartisan Sunset Review Committee to recommend legislative action on categorical education programs...served as a commissioner on the Commission to Establish Academic Content Standards, as a member of the California Task Force on the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards, and on various task force efforts of the National Academy of Sciences...was chosen to represent all California educators at the 1987 Presidential Inauguration...served as the interim Director of Teacher Education at UC Berkeley and as administrator of the Professional Development Unit of the California Department of Education...after retiring from teaching in 2001, served as the Executive Director of the Employers Council of Mendocino County and currently as a consultant to the Ukiah Unified School District...a member of the California Retired Teachers Association, the Association of School Administrators, and American Mensa...was appointed to the Teachers' Retirement Board, governing body of the California State Teachers' Retirement System by Governor Schwarzenegger in 2005 and 2007, and elected Chair of the Board in April, 2010...was appointed to the Mendocino County Employees' Retirement Association Board of Retirement in 2015 by the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors...was recently appointed to the State Association of County Retirement Systems Program Committee.