Joining the SFCJPA at the end of June 2020, Margaret Bruce brings a diverse professional background in environmental, sustainability, water policy and energy program management, that includes:

* Environmental program management and regulatory compliance for NASA Ames and for Spectra-Physics Lasers.
* Co-founding Sustainable Silicon Valley, and serving on its board for eight years, focusing on addressing climate change through energy efficiency and renewable energy development.
* Leading Silicon Valley corporate engagement in environmental, energy, water and sustainability policy as Environmental Program Director at the Silicon Valley Leadership Group, including development of Silicon Valley’s support for the South Bay Salt Pond restoration effort, establishing the Bay Area Water Supply and Conservation Association (BAWSCA), the passage of the Global Warming Solutions Act, AB32, and representing the business community to the Santa Clara Valley Water District’s bond oversight committee.
* Serving on the San Francisco Regional Water Quality Control Board from 2005 to 2007.
* Twice elected to the Board of Directors of the San Lorenzo Valley Water District in Santa Cruz County.
* Founding and directing her own consulting firm, providing services to diverse clients in areas such as: energy and environmental programs and management systems, government affairs and advocacy – particularly in support of Community Choice Energy, supply chains and sustainability, the creation of a global standard for gender equity in climate mitigation projects in developing regions, and corporate social responsibility.

Margaret currently serves as Board of Supervisor’s appointee to the Santa Cruz County Commission on the Environment. Margaret was Margaret is a 1988 graduate of San Jose State University where she received a BA in Environmental Studies. Margaret grew up in Palo Alto and Mountain View and now resides in the Santa Cruz Mountains, where her husband says “we don’t live in the boonies, but we can see it from our house”.