

STAFF REPORT

Date: November 15, 2023

To: Mayor and City Council

Thru: Doug Thornley, City Manager

Subject: Staff Report (For Possible Action): Discussion and potential appointment of up to three individuals to the Reno Arts and Culture Commission from the following pool of applicants, listed in alphabetical order: Kristin Hough, Matthew Kaempfe, Megan Miller, Kendall Nolan, Sierra Scott and/or Iain Watson.

From: Mikki Huntsman, City Clerk

Department: City Clerk

Summary:

There are currently three vacancies for the Reno Arts and Culture Commission.

The Clerk's Office has received applications from Kristin Hough, Matthew Kaempfe, Megan Miller, Kendall Nolan, Sierra Scott and/or Iain Watson.

The term of appointment is for November 1, 2023 through October 31, 2026.

Alignment with Strategic Plan:

Arts, Parks, and Historical Resources

Previous Council Action:

There is no recent Council action relevant to this item.

Background:

Pursuant to RMC 2.08.770 - 2.08.780, the RACC consists of 11 members who are registered voters and reside in the Truckee Meadows area, a majority of whom shall reside and be registered voters in the City of Reno. The commission is to consist of at least one architect or designer, one arts educator, and one professional artist. The remaining members shall represent business and the community at large.

Members of the RACC are appointed to terms of three years and each commission member may

serve a maximum of two consecutive terms.

Method of Appointment:

Members shall be appointed by the City Council as a whole. The Arts and Culture Commissioners provide a recommendation for appointments.

Financial Implications:

None at this time.

Legal Implications:

Legal review completed for compliance with City procedures and Nevada law.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends Council make the necessary appointments as noted in the staff report.

Proposed Motion:

I move to appoint _____, _____ and/or _____ to the Reno Arts and Culture Commission.

Attachments:

- RENO ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION ROSTER
- HOUGH, KRISTIN APPLICATION FOR RENO ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION (WARD 3)
- KAEMPFE, MATTHEW APPLICATION FOR RENO ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION (WARD 1)
- MILLER, MEGAN APPLICATION FOR RENO ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION (WARD 1)
- NOLAN, KENDALL APPLICATION FOR RENO ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION (WARD 2)
- SCOTT, SIERRA APPLICATION FOR RENO ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION (WARD 1)
- WATSON, IAIN APPLICATION FOR RENO ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION (WARD 5)