

## STAFF REPORT

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**Date:** January 17, 2024

**To:** Mayor and City Council

**Thru:** Doug Thornley, City Manager

**Subject:** Staff Report (For Possible Action): Discussion and potential reappointment/appointment of a City Council Member as a Commissioner to the Reno Housing Authority (RHA) from the following pool of applicants, listed in alphabetical order: Jenny Brekhus, Naomi Duerr, Meghan Ebert, Miguel Martinez, Devon Reese, Hillary Schieve (Reappointment), and/or Kathleen Taylor.

**From:** Mikki Huntsman, City Clerk

**Department:** City Clerk

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**Summary:**

Mayor Hillary Schieve's appointment to the Reno Housing Authority (RHA) is set to expire on January 31, 2024. Mayor Schieve is interested in and eligible for reappointment. The appointment shall be made from the following pool of applicants: Jenny Brekhus, Naomi Duerr, Meghan Ebert, Miguel Martinez, Devon Reese, Hillary Schieve (Reappointment), and/or Kathleen Taylor. The term of appointment is for the period February 1, 2024, through January 31, 2028.

**Alignment with Strategic Plan:**

Not Applicable

**Previous Council Action:**

There is no recent Council action relevant to this item.

**Background:**

Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) 315.370 indicates that the chief executive of the city or the governing body of the town or county, as the case may be, shall thereupon appoint five persons to serve as commissioners of the RHA. The sitting members of the RHA appoint the Director.

**Financial Implications:**

None at this time.

**Legal Implications:**

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

**Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that the City Manager make the necessary recommendation of appointment as noted in the staff report, with confirmation by Council.

**Proposed Motion:**

I move to confirm the appointment of \_\_\_\_\_ as a City of Reno Council Member to serve as Commissioner of the Reno Housing Authority.

**Attachments:**