

STAFF REPORT

Date: October 9, 2024

To: Mayor and City Council

Through: Jackie Bryant, Interim City Manager

Subject: Staff Report (For Possible Action): Discussion and potential reappointment/appointment of up to one individual to the Recreation and Parks Commission (RPC) from the following pool of applicants, listed in alphabetical order: Mike Escobar, Cheryl Guinan, Michelle Krieg, Gabriel Maya, James Milligan, Christopher Tabarez, and Karla Werninghaus (reappointment).

From: Mikki Huntsman, City Clerk

Department: City Clerk

Summary:

There is currently one vacancy on the Recreation and Parks Commission (RPC).

Karla Werninghaus' appointment expired on May 31, 2024. Ms. Werninghaus is eligible for and interested in reappointment.

Staff has received applications from Mike Escobar, Cheryl Guinan, Michelle Krieg, Gabriel Maya, James Milligan, Christopher Tabarez, and Karla Werninghaus (reappointment).

The term of appointment is for the period from October 1, 2024, through September 30, 2027.

Alignment with Strategic Plan:

Not Applicable

Previous Council Action:

There is no recent Council action relevant to this item.

Background:

Pursuant to Reno Municipal Code (RMC) 2.08.030, the RPC is appointed by Council and shall consist of nine voting members who reside within the City of Reno. Employees of the City of Reno are not eligible for membership. In the event of a vacancy on the RPC, RMC 2.08.060

provides that the city shall appoint a suitable person to fill such a vacancy.

Financial Implications:

None at this time.

Legal Implications:

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

Recommendation:

Staff recommends that the Mayor and Council make the necessary appointment as noted in the staff report.

Proposed Motion:

I move to reappoint/appoint _____ to the Recreation and Parks Commission.

Attachments:

- RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION ROSTER
- ESCOBAR, MIKE APPLICATION FOR RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION (WARD 1)
- GUINAN, CHERYL APPLICATION FOR RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION (WARD 3)
- KRIEG, MICHELLE APPLICATION FOR RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION (WARD 5)
- MAYA, GABRIEL APPLICATION FOR RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION (WARD 3)
- MILLIGAN, JAMES APPLICATION FOR RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION (WARD 1)
- TABAREZ, CHRISTOPHER APPLICATION FOR RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION (WARD 1)
- WERNINGHAUS, KARLA APPLICATION FOR RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION (WARD 1)