

To: **Mayor and City Council**  
 Through: **Ryan Schroeder, City Manager**  
 From: **Shirley Buecksler, City Clerk**  
 Date: **February 11, 2019**

## **Appointments to Environmental Commission and Park & Recreation Commission**

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### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Both the Environmental Commission and Park & Recreation Commission have members with terms that will expire March 1, 2019. Openings for these commissions were advertised and applications were received through the City’s website. The lists below include all applications received from January 2015 through February 6, 2019.

### **Environmental Commission**

According to the bylaws, appointments to the Environmental Commission shall be made by the City Council. Members are appointed for a term of three (3) years and shall hold office until March 1 of their expiring terms or until their successor is appointed. A current list of the Environmental Commission is attached.

There are three positions open: two current Commissioners are seeking reappointment and one position is vacant. The vacant position is for a term expiring March 1, 2021. This position was previously filled by Olivia Newfield but she was unable to attend any meetings in 2018.

#### **Commissioners Seeking Reappointment:**

Rebecca McCarty, Ward 2	Completing Term 1
Kristy Otte, Ward 2	Completing Term 1

#### **Applicants who have expressed interest in the Environmental Commission include:**

Name	Ward	Application Date
Jamie Averbek	1	10/17/2016
Carly Dusseau	2	11/07/2018
Jade Pennig	3	1/29/2019
Stephanie Schempp	3	2/01/2019
Jason Smock	2	2/02/2019
Thomas Vavreck	2	2/14/2017
Laura Zanmiller	1	4/24/2018

## **Park and Recreation Commission**

According to the bylaws, appointments to the Park and Recreation Commission shall be made by the City Council, with each member of the City Council having the right to nominate one member from their respective wards. Members are appointed for a term of two (2) years and shall hold office until March 1 of their expiring terms or until their successor is appointed. A current list of the Park and Recreation Commission is attached.

There are four positions open, and all four Commissioners are seeking reappointment.

### **Commissioners Seeking Reappointment:**

Bonnie Bellows, Ward 3	Completing Term 2
Robert Gausman, Ward 2	Completing Term 2
Dave Lynch, Ward 3	Completing Term 3
Rachael McNamara, Ward 1	Completing Term 1

### **Applicants who have expressed interest in the Park and Recreation Commission include:**

Name	Ward	Application Date
John Cronin	3	2/08/2016
Lindsay Duncan	3	4/05/2017
Kirsten Mulraney	2	2/01/2019
Ken Paulman	3	11/12/2016
Judy Rangel	2	5/03/2018
Stephanie Schempp	3	2/01/2019
Lauren Smith	3	5/30/2018
Jason Smock	2	2/02/2019
Timothy Tabor	1	3/06/2018
Karen Vavreck *	2	2/01/2019
Thomas Vavreck	2	2/14/2017
Paul Wendlandt IV	1	3/05/2015

\* Karen Vavreck is currently on the Charter Commission. She is interested on serving on the Park and Recreation Commission, as well.

### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff is requesting that the Council review and discuss in preparation for appointments to be made at a future City Council meeting.

### **ATTACHMENT:**

Environmental and Park & Recreation Committee Listings  
Applications