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City Council,

I recommend you amend the Maddy Act notice because you left off one appointee, Planning Commissioner and Vice Chair Jay Andreis. Jay was nominated by Tess Albin-Smith and our Municipal Code states that the term of a commissioner corresponds to the term of the nominating councilmember. As a result, Jay's term ends at the same time as Jeremy (Jessica), Michelle (Tess), and Stan (Lindy). Only Nancy's term continues past next December because she was nominated by Bernie and his term continues for an additional two years beyond those of the other current councilmembers. Marcia has not nominated a commissioner since Jay and Nancy's appointments happened after Will resigned but prior to Marcia's appointment to the City Council so she would presumably nominate the next commissioner should a vacancy occur prior to the end of the current terms.

Regards,

--Jacob

2.20.020 COMPOSITION AND APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS.

A. There shall be five (5) members of the Planning Commission appointed by the City Council. Each member of the City Council may submit the name of a resident of the City as a nominee for a seat on the Planning Commission. The City Council as a whole shall vote to appoint the nominee, the appointment requiring the affirmative vote of at least three (3) City Councilmembers.

B. Planning Commission members shall be seated for a potential term coinciding with that of the nominating City Councilmember, provided, however, that the commissioners serve at the will of the City Council. The City Council may remove any Planning Commission at any time through the affirmative vote of at least four (4) of the City Councilmembers.