



AGENCY: City Council
MEETING DATE: June 27, 2016
DEPARTMENT: Administration
PRESENTED BY: J. Lemos

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

TITLE:

INTERVIEW APPLICANTS FOR INTERIM NOYO HARBOR COMMISSION APPOINTMENT

ISSUE:

A vacancy exists on the Noyo Harbor Commission due to the recent passing of Commissioner Thomas Ancona, whose term on the Commission would have expired on October 31, 2016. The City Council may appoint an interim Commissioner to serve on the Noyo Harbor Commission from now until a new Commissioner is appointed in October.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Conduct interviews of applicants and appoint an interim Noyo Harbor Commissioner.

ALTERNATIVE ACTION(S):

The City Council can decline to take action, continue to accumulate applications, and conduct interviews for a permanent replacement on the Noyo Harbor Commission in October of 2016.

ANALYSIS:

The Fort Bragg City Council appoints two of the five members of the Noyo Harbor Commission, the County of Mendocino appoints two of the five members, and the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors and the City Council jointly appoint the Chairman. This Commission oversees operations of Noyo Harbor. Appointees to the Harbor Commission must reside within the Noyo Harbor District boundaries and serve for a four year term.

Thomas "Tommy" Ancona was appointed to the Noyo Harbor Commission on October 27, 2008 and served nearly eight years until his death on May 21, 2016, leaving a vacancy on the Commission. This seat can be filled on an interim basis by the City Council.

In a June 6, 2016 press release, the City announced that applications were being accepted for interim City appointees to the Harbor Commission. Applications have been received from Steve Bradley and William Forkner.

The Council may pose questions to the applicants. Proposed questions are attached for Council's use if desired. Council can conduct interviews, deliberate, and select an interim appointee to the Noyo Harbor Commission. Alternatively, staff can be directed to recruit for additional applications prior to an appointment.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

IMPLEMENTATION/TIMEFRAMES:

The appointee's term will start immediately upon Council appointment and will continue until October 31, 2016.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Press Release of June 6, 2016
2. Proposed List of Questions for Applicants
3. Application of Steve Bradley
4. Application of William Forkner

NOTIFICATION:

1. Steve Bradley
2. William Forkner

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