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FROM: Doris Sorum, City Clerk

COPY: Infrastructure, Planning, and Sustainability Committee Members

SUBJECT: Consideration and Recommendation of Applicants to the Planning Commission

DATE: June 21, 2017

SUMMARY:

The Infrastructure, Planning, and Sustainability Committee will review and may recommend up to three applicants to the full City Council for appointment to the Planning Commission. Below is a list of the applicants:

APPLICANTS	COUNCIL DISTRICT	Desired Position
Jeff McInnis (seeking reappointment)	2	Development Community
Giovanni Migliaccio	2	Development Community or Public Transportation
Carolyn Edmonds	2	Development Community or Public Transportation
Karsen Keever	1	Development Community Or District No. 1
Daniel Pike	2	Development Community Or Public Transportation
Andrew Strobel	1	District 1

BACKGROUND:

The Planning Commission consists of nine members appointed by the City Council for three-year terms. All members must be residents of Tacoma. Commission meetings occur the first and third Wednesday of each month at 4:00 p.m.

The Planning Commission develops and updates the Comprehensive Plan and its elements; formulates effective and efficient land use and development regulations and processes that implement the Comprehensive Plan; and reviews various planning issues, such as area-wide zoning reclassifications, moratoria, interim zoning, pre-annexation planning, historic district designation, urban design, and transportation and capital facilities programs.



ISSUE:

Three applicants need to be appointed to fill a three-year term for the Development Community, District No. 1, and Public Transportation positions.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Commission would continue to operate without full membership.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff requests that the Infrastructure, Planning, and Sustainability Committee recommend the appointment of three applicants to the Planning Commission, which would be forwarded to the full City Council on July 18, 2017.

ATTACHMENTS:

Current Commission Roster
Planning Commission applications