



**CITY OF BELLE SLE, FLORIDA
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET**

Meeting Date: March 16, 2021

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

From: B. Francis, City Manager

Subject: Ordinance 21-04 Allow At-Large Appointments to Planning & Zoning Board

Background: The City has had difficulty with filling vacancies on the several advisory boards. Two of the Boards, Planning and Zoning (P&Z) and Budget Committee currently have their vacancies filled by District appointment. Both boards have vacancies that are approaching a year. The City has had interest from volunteers who would like to serve; however that District seat is already filled. The City advertised many times for a candidate; however no one from those Districts applied.

The City Council changed the Budget Committee guidelines by resolution on March 2, 2021. The City Council read Ordinance 21-04 for the first time at the March 16 Council Meeting and discussed the ordinance. No changes were made.

Staff Recommendation: Adopt Ordinance 21-04

Suggested Motion: I move that we adopt Ordinance 21-04 and direct the City Manager to advertise to fill the vacant seat on the P&Z Board.

Alternatives: Do not make changes

Fiscal Impact: None

Attachments: Ordinance 21-04