Capitola City Council Agenda Report

Meeting: January 12, 2023

From: City Manager Department

Subject: City Council Appointments to City Advisory Bodies



<u>Recommended Action</u>: Appoint City Council representatives to remaining County and Regional Boards, and appoint members of the public to the City of Capitola Advisory Bodies.

<u>Background</u>: City Council Members sit on several County and Multi-Jurisdiction boards, of which certain appointments need to be reviewed and updated. Table 1 lists the current County and Regional Board appointments, expiration dates, and next meeting dates. Appointments to some of these groups were made on December 8, 2022. Other bodies, specifically the Advisory Council of the Area Agency on Aging, Santa Cruz County Sanitation District, Library Financing Authority and Joint Powers Authority, and Santa Cruz METRO Board still require appointments.

The City also has two representatives on the Santa Cruz County Criminal Justice Council (CJC), those terms do not technically expire this year, however the Council may adjust CJC membership if so desired.

In addition, members of the public are appointed to the City's advisory bodies for terms, some of which expired in December 2022 and will require that the Council make reappointments or new appointments for the next term. Table 2 lists the advisory bodies with current vacancies.

<u>Discussion</u>: Staff recommends appointments to the following County and Multi-Jurisdiction groups:

Table 1: County and Regional Boards			
Board/Commission	Current Council Representative	Expiration Date	Next Meeting Date
Advisory Council of the Area Agency on Aging	Bertrand (No Alt. Appointed)	December 2022	January 18 th at 10 AM
SCC Sanitation District	Bertrand (Storey – Alt.)	December 2022	January 19 th at 4:45 PM
Library Financing Authority	Brown (Bertrand – Alt.)	December 2022 (Alt.)	January 25 th at 6 PM
METRO	Brown (Bertrand – Alt.)	December 2022 (Alt.)	January 28 th at 9 AM
Library Advisory Commission	Michael Termini	January 2023	January 9 th at 6:30 PM
Integrated Waste Management Task Force	Larry Laurent (Bertrand – Alt.)	December 2022	March 2 nd at 3 PM
County Criminal Justice Council	Brown (Keiser – Alt.)	December 2023	February 9 th at 3 PM

The following City advisory bodies currently have vacancies. Staff suggests making appointments to the following advisory bodies:

Table 2: Vacancies on City Advisory Bodies			
Commission/Committee/Board	Term (Years)	Vacancies	
Arts & Cultural Commission	2	2 Unscheduled Vacancy, 2 Regular Vacancies	
Commission on the Environment	2	1 Unscheduled Vacancy, 4 Regular Vacancies	
Finance Advisory Committee	2	1 Unscheduled Vacancy, 4 Regular Vacancies	
Historical Museum Board	3	2 Unscheduled Vacancies	

Unscheduled Vacancies: vacancies occurred due to resignation, termination, etc. Regular Vacancies: terms expiring and available for appointment/reappointment.

Applications for membership on advisory bodies are accepted year-round and are valid for one year. Members who are currently serving on advisory bodies were notified of their term expiration and asked to notify staff if seeking reappointment.

As a part of the advisory body appointment process, staff published a regular vacancy notice on the City website and through social media, and an unscheduled vacancy notice in the Santa Cruz Sentinel. Attachment 1 outlines the current composition of each group, applicants seeking reappointment, new applicants, and the next meeting date for all groups with current vacancies. Attachment 2 includes the requests for reappointment and applications for appointments received on or before the printing of this agenda packet.

Fiscal Impact: None.

Attachments:

1. Advisory Body Composition

2. Advisory Group Applications and Requests for Reappointment

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