

# Capitola City Council

## Agenda Report



**Meeting:** September 14, 2023

**From:** City Manager Department

**Subject:** City Council Appointments to City Advisory Bodies

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**Recommended Action:** Appoint members of the public to the City of Capitola Arts and Cultural Commission.

**Background:** The Arts and Cultural Commission (Commission) advises the City Council as to the allocation of public funds for the support and encouragement of existing and new programs in the arts, and for the acquisition of works of art. The Commission was created in 2003 through the adoption of Ordinance No. 851, and is composed of nine members, each serving two-year terms.

**Discussion:** In accordance with Government Code Section 54974, recruitment was conducted to fill one unscheduled vacancy on the Commission. The notice of vacancy was posted at City Hall, in a local newspaper, on the City website, and advertised through social media. Applications for appointment on any City advisory body are accepted year-round and remain valid for a one-year period.

Attached are the applications for appointment received on or before the printing of this agenda packet. The Commission met on June 13, 2023, and July 11, 2023, and reviewed the applications received by the City Clerk's office. The Commission recommends the appointment of Mario Beltramo. The COE received one application for a youth member appointment.

The Commission currently has another vacancy for an artist position. The City Clerk's office reached out to applicants to see if any were eligible/interested in the artist vacancy. None of the applicants on file are eligible to fill this vacancy.

**Fiscal Impact:** None.

**Attachments:**

1. Advisory Group Applications

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