

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIAMONDHEAD APPOINTING DR. ARLEN "KEN" GRIFFEY TO SERVE AS A COMMISSIONER (REPLACING JOHN KIRSCHENBAUM) FOR THE DIAMONDHEAD WATER & SEWER DISTRICT BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council (the governing body) for the City of Diamondhead have been vested the authority as of July 1, 2015 with the passage of House Bill No. 896 amending MS Code §19-5-167 to appoint the five commissioners to serve on the Diamondhead Water and Sewer District Board of Commissioners, that one (1) Commissioner from each Ward within the City of Diamondhead be appointed and further that such appointment shall be for a term of five (5) years, and

WHEREAS, John Kirschenbaum was appointed October 3, 2017 for a five (5) year term to serve as Diamondhead Water & Sewer Commissioner, with said term expiring September 28, 2022, and

WHEREAS, the appointment for Dr. Arlen "Ken" Griffey, a resident of Ward 3, to serve as Diamondhead Water & Sewer Commissioner for a five (5) year term was submitted for council consideration to consideration

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Council of the City of Diamondhead do hereby appoint Dr. Arlen "Ken" Griffey (Ward 3), to serve as Commissioner to be seated on the Board of Commissioners for the Diamondhead Water & Sewer District for or five (5) year term effective September 28, 2022 and expiring on September 28, 2027.

SO BE IT RESOLVED, this the _____ day of _____, 2022.

The above and foregoing Resolution of the Council of the City of Diamondhead, after having been first reduced to writing, was introduced by Councilmember _____, seconded by Councilmember _____ and the matter being put to a vote, the result was as follows:

	Aye	Nay	Other
Mayor Depreo	_____	_____	_____
Councilmember Finley	_____	_____	_____
Councilmember Liese	_____	_____	_____
Councilmember Cumberland	_____	_____	_____
Councilmember Clark	_____	_____	_____
Councilmember Maher	_____	_____	_____

APPROVED _____

Mayor Nancy Depreo

ATTEST: _____
Jeannie Klein, City Clerk

seal

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City of Diamondhead, MS
Request for Council Action

TO: Mayor/Council/City Clerk

FROM: John Cumberland - Councilman Ward 3

DATE: 7/26/22

Ordinance Resolution Agreement Info Only Work Session Other

AGENDA LOCATION: Consent Agenda Regular Agenda

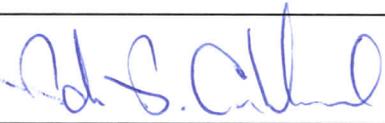
AGENDA DATE REQUESTED

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION CAPTIONS or ISSUE:

Resolution appointing Dr. Arlen "Ken" Griffey to serve as Commissioner for the Diamondhead Water & Sewer District to fill the vacancy that will exist at the term expiration (Kirschenbaum) occurring September 28, 2022.

REQUIRED SIGNATURE

REQUESTED BY:



COUNCIL ACTION:

Approved Denied Tabled/Deferred Info Only Completed:



Dr. Arlen "Ken" Griffey - BIO

Dr. Arlen "Ken" Griffey – is the Stennis Space Center (SSC) Assistant to the Director for Center Operations responsible for 62 Civil Servants, 138,800 acres and 1.5 million square feet of Real Property. At NASA, Ken has also served as the Program Manager for the National Center for Critical Information Processing and Storage (NCCIPS), Deputy Director for Business and Administration for the NASA Shared Services Center (NSSC), NSSC Chief Information Officer, NASA Agency Enterprise Architect, and the Division Chief for Facility Utilization & Real Property among other assignments.

Before NASA, Ken led strategic planning, business development, Enterprise Architecture (EA), product development, sales and marketing efforts for Fortune 500 companies and government contractors. He has more than 30 years industry and government leadership experience with demonstrated results.

Dr. Griffey earned a Doctorate in Business Administration (DBA) from the University of Phoenix with international honors, a summa-cum-laude MBA from Brenau University, and a bachelor's degree in Electronics with highest honors from Southern Illinois University. He is listed in Who's Who among Students in American Universities and Colleges, a member of the Delta Mu Delta international business honor society and is a lifetime member of the Phi-Kappa-Phi national honor society.

Dr. Griffey completed the 2011 Gulf Coast Business Council Masters Leadership Program, the 2010 Leadership Hancock County (Mississippi), earned a NASA Exceptional Achievement Medal in 2010 and many other NASA awards. He earned more than 25 military awards and decorations during more than 14 years of Army military service. He makes his home in Diamondhead, Mississippi on the Gulf Coast with his wife Angela and has lifetime memberships in the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW), American Mensa, and the American Legion.

- **Experienced Change Management Leader**
- **Proven Business Development & Implementation Executive**
- **Certified Federal Chief Enterprise Architect**
- **Top Secret Clearance – Granted April 2019 thru April 2026 – Currently SECRET Active**