

AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

TO: FRUITA CITY COUNCIL

FROM: DEPUTY CITY CLERK DEBRA WOODS FOR MAYOR KINCAID AND

COUNCIL LIAISON JEANNINE PURSER

DATE: MARCH 7, 2023

AGENDA TEXT: BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPOINTMENT - A request to approve the

appointment of Todd Kumro to the Downtown Advisory Board for a three-year term

to expire in March of 2026

BACKGROUND

Downtown Advisory Board (DAB) member Kathryn Bedell resigned from the board in July of 2020, thus creating a vacancy. The vacancy has been advertised on the City's website at fruita.org and on Facebook beginning in September of 2020 through the present along with several other vacancies that have since occurred due to resignations or the wishes of board members to not apply for reappointment.

On February 22, 2023, Todd Kumro submitted his application for appointment to the DAB. At present, there are eight (8) vacancies on the DAB for which no additional applications have been received by staff.

Mayor Joel Kincaid and Council Liaison to the DAB Jeannine Purser recommend Todd Kumro's appointment to the board for a three-year term to expire in March of 2026. As stated above, if Mr. Kumro is appointed, there will be seven (7) vacancies on the DAB. Staff will continue to advertise those vacancies and will notify Mayor Kincaid and Councilor Purser of any applications received by staff to fill the vacant seats.

In addition, if Todd Kumro is appointed to the DAB, he will be limited to one more consecutive three-year as outlined in the City's Boards and Commissions Policy that was adopted by the City Council on August 4, 2020.

FISCAL IMPACT

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APPLICABILITY TO CITY GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

Boards and Commissions provide valuable input to the City and help establish goals and objectives. They provide a link between citizens of Fruita and city government.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE TO THE COUNCIL

- 1. Appoint Todd Kumro to the Downtown Advisory Board for a three-year term to expire in March of 2026
- 2. Instruct staff to publish a notice of vacancy and repeat the interview process.

RECOMMENDATION

It is the recommendation of Mayor Kincaid and Council Liaison Jeannine Purser that the City Council by motion:

• APPROVE THE APPOINTMENT OF TODD KUMRO TO THE DOWNTOWN ADVISORY BOARD FOR A THREE- TERM TO EXPIRE IN MARCH OF 2026