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## AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

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**TO:** FRUITA CITY COUNCIL

**FROM:** DEPUTY CITY CLERK DEBRA WOODS FOR MAYOR KINCAID AND COUNCILOR HARVEY

**DATE:** JULY 20, 2021

**RE:** BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS REAPPOINTMENT – A REQUEST TO APPROVE THE REAPPOINTMENT OF MARIAN HEESAHER TO THE ARTS AND CULTURE BOARD FOR ANOTHER THREE-YEAR TERM TO EXPIRE IN AUGUST OF 2024

### **BACKGROUND**

Marian Heesaker's term on the Arts and Culture Board expires in August of 2021. On July 7, 2021, she submitted her application for reappointment to the Board, which is attached.

The vacancy was advertised on the City's website at [fruita.org](http://fruita.org) and on the City's Facebook page between June 1, 2021 and July 9, 2021. Staff received no other applications for this vacant seat. After her application was emailed to Mayor Kincaid and Council Liaison to the Arts & Culture Board Kyle Harvey, both recommend her reappointment to the board for another three-year term to expire in August of 2024.

If Marian Heesaker is reappointed, there will be no remaining vacancies on the board. Ms. Heesaker was made aware that she will only be permitted to apply for one more consecutive three-year reappointment pursuant to the City's Boards and Commissions Policy that was adopted by the City Council on August 4, 2020.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

N/A

### **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. Reappoint Marian Heesaker to the Arts and Culture Board for another three-year term to expire in August of 2024
2. Instruct staff to publish a notice of vacancy and repeat the interview process.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

It is the recommendation of Mayor Kincaid and Councilor Harvey that the following reappointment be made:

- **MARIAN HEESAKER TO THE ARTS AND CULTURE BOARD FOR ANOTHER THREE-YEAR TERM TO EXPIRE IN AUGUST OF 2024**



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**CITY OF FRUITA  
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS  
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

BOARD OR COMMISSION: Fruita Arts & Culture

NAME: Naman Neesaker

MAILING ADDRESS: 1363 Norsehoe Drive  
Fruita, CO 81521

City State Zip

RESIDENCE ADDRESS: same

PHONE NUMBER: 719 225 0527 —

Home cell Work  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: amhclapp@msn.com

How long have you been a resident of Fruita? 4 yrs

Occupation/Employer: retired Nurse Practitioner

List any volunteer and/or work experience:

- non profit brd experience
- foundation brd experience
- governor appointed to civic brd

Are you presently serving on a board or commission? If so, which one(s)?

Fruita Arts & Culture

Why do you want to be a member of this board or commission?

To continue the current momentum of the brd  
in expanding arts & culture in our city

List any abilities, skills, or interests which are applicable to the board or commission for which you are applying.

initiative  
creative  
grant writing  
easy to get along  
with 😊

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Are you committed to attending meetings?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Are you committed to serving an entire term?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Please specify any activities which might create serious conflict of interest if you should be appointed to a particular board or commission. (If unsure, please call the City Manager's office at 858-3663)

none

List any licenses, certificates or other specialized training applicable to the board or commission for which you are applying.

none

Additional information or references you believe may be helpful in considering your application.

Kyle Harvey  
Tara Nycum  
Tom Casal

Signature

Marion Neesahel

Date

7/2/21

All applicants are strongly encouraged to attend a regularly scheduled meeting of the board or commission for which they are applying. Frequent non-attendance may result in termination of the appointment.

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**ATTACHMENTS TO APPLICATION MUST BE LIMITED TO TWO PAGES**

Please feel free to submit a resume along with this application. Application and any attachments should be returned to the Fruita City Council c/o the City Clerk, 325 E. Aspen, Fruita, CO 81521. Although we have indicated the best time to apply for a particular board, we accept applications for any of the boards year-round. Thank you.