



Agenda Abstract

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Meeting Date:	Sept. 14, 2026
Department:	Community Services and Sustainability
Agenda Section:	Appointments
Public hearing:	No
Date of public hearing:	N/A

PRESENTER/INFORMATION CONTACT

Stormwater and Environmental Services Manager Terry Hackett

ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED

Subject: Upper Neuse River Basin Association – Appointment of Heather Fisher as Secondary Alternate Director

Attachments:

None

Summary:

The Town of Hillsborough is an active member of the Upper Neuse River Basin Association (UNRBA). The UNRBA Board of Directors is made up of one director from each member government. That director has voting rights regarding UNRBA business. The UNRBA bylaws also allow each member government to have a primary alternate director and a secondary alternate director. The primary alternate director has voting rights when the director is not present. The secondary alternate director has voting rights when the director and primary alternate director are both absent.

Currently, the Town of Hillsborough has designated a director (Meaghun Darab) and a primary alternate director (Terry Hackett), but has not designated a secondary alternate director. Given busy schedules and the significant work performed by the UNRBA, it is important to have redundancy. With that in mind, staff is recommending that the Board of Commissioners approve Heather Fisher as the secondary alternate director.

Financial impacts:

None

Staff recommendation and comments:

Staff recommends appointing Heather Fisher as the town's secondary alternate director to the UNRBA.

Action requested:

Consider appointing Heather Fisher as the town's secondary alternate director to the UNRBA.