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**Meeting Type:** City Council  
**Meeting Date:** March 17, 2025  
**From:** Jeff Aprati, Deputy City Manager  
**Subject:** Budget Committee Appointments

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## BACKGROUND / CONTEXT:

Sandy's [Budget Committee](#) currently has five vacant seats. One of the vacancies has a term expiring in 2026; the other four expire in 2028.

Staff publicized an application opportunity over several weeks in February. Seven applications were received for the five seats; however, one applicant withdrew their application, and another missed the deadline to proceed further in the process despite multiple attempts by staff to contact them.

The remaining five applicants all meet the qualifications to serve on the Budget Committee. Because the City no longer has more applicants than vacancies, no interviews are necessary. The five applicants are being forwarded to the City Council for appointment per ORS 294.

## KEY CONSIDERATIONS / ANALYSIS:

The following is a proposal for seat assignments among the five applicants. The Council may choose to change the seat assignment arrangement if it chooses.

- Seat #2: Amelia Page (Term expires 6/30/2026)
- Seat #4: Linda Malone (Term expires 6/30/2028)
- Seat #5: Carl Exner (Term expires 6/30/2028)
- Seat #6: Darren Wegener (Term expires 6/30/2028)
- Seat #7: Art O'Leary (Term expires 6/30/2028)

## SUGGESTED MOTION LANGUAGE:

"I move to appoint Amelia Page, Linda Malone, Carl Exner, Darren Wegener, and Art O'Leary to the Budget Committee as included in the staff report."

## LIST OF ATTACHMENTS / EXHIBITS:

- Budget Committee Applications