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Mayor Davis and Members of the Town Council,

I'm writing to ask for reappointment to the Saratoga Planning Commission for a second four-year term. Serving on the commission has been a meaningful and rewarding experience, and I would appreciate the opportunity to continue the work we have begun.

Over the last four years—and especially during the three years I've served as chairman—I've tried to bring steady, goal-focused leadership to the commission. Together, we've made real progress on projects like completing the STAMP plan, updating old town ordinances, addressing short-term rentals, updating the zoning map, and beginning a brownfield study on the old water treatment plant. I'd like to help keep that momentum going as we move forward with the wayfinding project, additional ordinance updates, and upcoming pedestrian and zoning improvements.

Throughout my time as chairman, I've made it a priority to stay grounded in the 2016 Comprehensive Plan and to make decisions that support the long-term vision our community agreed on.

The commission is in a strong and productive position, and I encourage the council to reappoint all three members whose terms are up for renewal this year. I care deeply about Saratoga and about making thoughtful decisions that support the town's growth. I'd be grateful for the chance to continue contributing.

Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely, McCall Burau

## To the Mayor and town council of Saratoga

My name is JoDell Hone and I am reaching out to you in interest to the soon to be, open seat on the "Planning and Zoning" committee. As you Mr. Mayor and council know, I am already serving on this commission, filling out an unfinished term that was left open. I have served since July of 2023 and find it very interesting learning the ordinances and seeing what goes into maintaining or managing the growth and improvement of our town.

I have thought long and hard about applying for a second term on this commission. As I ponder what this committee has covered, and the things we have on our wish list in the future, it makes me realize that I truly want to be a part of Saratoga's Planning and Zoning. We have been so fortunate to fill the seats on this commission with a group of 7 people that work so well together. I believe that when a group is formed that works so fluidly, that we should try and keep it moving in a steady forward motion. To me it makes good sense to allow this group to continue to work toward their goals, while making good decisions about our city, and its growth.

At this time I am asking for your consideration in reappointing me to another term on this board. I thank each of you for your time and effort you give to our community, and I look forward to giving my time to this town I love so much.

Sincerely, JoDell Hone