



Item: Appointment, Parking Advisory Commission

From: City Manager's Office

Initiated By: City Commission

Presented By: City Commission

Action Requested: Appoint two members to the Parking Advisory Commission.

Suggested Motion:

1. Commissioner moves:

"I move that the City Commission appoint _____ and _____ to the Parking Advisory Commission to fill the remainder of two three-year terms through April 30, 2017."

2. Mayor calls for a second, discussion, public comment, and calls the vote.

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends that the City Commission appoint two members to the Parking Advisory Commission to fill the remainder of the three-year terms through April 30, 2017.

Summary: Dave Abbott was appointed to the Parking Advisory Commission in March of 2014. Mr. Abbott has resigned from the Board; therefore, it is necessary to appoint one member to fill the remainder of his term through April 30, 2017.

Darren Brown has served on the Parking Advisory Commission for two full terms. His term expired on April 30, 2014. He is not able to be reappointed but has continued to serve until a successor could be appointed.

Advertising has been on-going for persons interested in serving. At this time, two applications have been received.

Background:

The Parking Advisory Commission is comprised of five members appointed by the City Commission. The Commission advises the City Commission, City Manager, and Planning and Community Development Staff on matters related to parking issues within the Parking Districts.

Evaluation and Selection Process

Advertising has been on-going on the City's website and through the local media.

Continuing members of this board are:

	Term:
David Campbell	10/06/09 – 4/30/16
Charles Fulcher	10/06/09 – 4/30/16
Kenny Volk	11/03/15 – 4/30/16

Citizens interested in serving on this board:

Dave Snuggs
William Mintsiveris

Concurrences: At its January 25, 2016 meeting, the Parking Advisory Commission recommended the appointment of Dave Snuggs and William Mintsiveris.

Fiscal Impact: Not applicable.

Alternatives: Continue to advertise to seek additional citizen interest.

Attachments/Exhibits: Applications
Recommendation from The Parking Advisory Board



BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
CITIZEN INTEREST FORM
(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

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Thank you for your interest. Citizen volunteers are regularly appointed to the various boards and commissions. This application subject to Montana Right to Know laws.

CITY MANAGER

Board/Commission Applying For: PARKING		Date of Application: 1/7/16	
Name: DAVE SNUGGS			
Home Address: 2757 ACACIA WAY GREAT FALLS MT 59404		Email address: DAVE SNUGGS 30 91 YAHOO.COM	
Home Phone: →	Work Phone: →	Cell Phone: 406-231-8690	
Occupation: FACILITIES DIRECTOR		Employer: MONTANA FARMERS UNION	
Would your work schedule conflict with meeting dates? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If yes, please explain)			
Related experiences or background: OWNED/OPERATED BUSINESSES IN DOWNTOWN FOR 8+ YEARS			
Educational Background: COLLEGE			
IF NECESSARY, ATTACH A SEPARATE SHEET FOR YOUR ANSWERS TO THE FOLLOWING:			
Previous and current service activities: FUNDRAISER OF MY NEIGHBOR IN NEED V.P SPORTS - SPECIAL OLYMPICS -			
Previous and current public experience (elective or appointive):			
Membership in other community organizations: MFU -			

Have you ever worked for or are you currently working for the City of Great Falls? Yes No If yes, where and when?

Do you have any relatives working or serving in any official capacity for the City of Great Falls? Yes No If yes, who, which department, and relationship?


Have you ever served on a City or County board? Yes No If yes, what board and when did you serve?

Are you currently serving on a Board? Yes No If yes, which board?

Please describe your interest in serving on this board/commission?
*to help our community in this issue of
 not having feelings about parking in OT.*

Please describe your experience and/or background which you believe qualifies you for service on this board/commission?
I live this issue EVERY DAY!

Additional comments:
*I only want to be on this IF new ideas
 will be considered -*

Signature:  Date: *1/11/16*

If you are not selected for the current opening, your application may be kept active for up to one year by contacting the City Manager's office. Should a board/commission vacancy occur within 30 days from the last City Commission appointment, a replacement member may be selected from citizen interest forms submitted from the last advertisement. For more information, contact the City Manager's office at 455-8450.

Return this form to:

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 Great Falls, MT 59403

Fax:
 (406) 727-0005

Email:
 kartis@greatfallsmt.net



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Board/Commission Applying For: Parking Commission		Date of Application: 1/26/2016	
Name: William Mintsiveris			
Home Address: 3126 1st AVE South		Email address: billigoatmt@gmail.com	
Home Phone: (406) 781-1293	Work Phone: (406) 727-1962	Cell Phone: (406) 781-1293	
Occupation: Manager / Server / Cook		Employer: 5th Street Diner	
Would your work schedule conflict with meeting dates? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (If yes, please explain)			
Related experiences or background: see letter			
Educational Background: Bachelors degree in Arts & Sciences / History UoM / 05			
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Additional comments:

Signature

Date:

1/20/2016

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Parking advisory commission/ city manager

This letter is to inform you about myself in that I may be considered for an open position on the parking advisory committee. My name is Bill Mintsiveris and I have called Great Falls my home for 34 years. My family has owned and operated the 5th Street Diner in down town Great Falls for the last 16 years. After graduating from the University of Montana in 2005 I came back to Great Falls to help in the family business.

I can't claim that I have participated much in city government aside from voting. I have become much like my first customer of the day. He flips through the tribune and washes yesterday's bad news down with some coffee. We chat about what could be done and what should be done and then he leaves. I repeat this scenario with many of my customers day after day. I would like to get more involved with my city government and I believe the parking advisory commission is the right place to start.

I have witnessed downtown Great Falls change over the years and I don't want to sit on the sideline anymore. I believe that I am the right man for this position despite my hat getting thrown in the ring at the last hour. Not only do I have a vested interest in parking downtown but I believe I can offer a multitude of different perspectives on the prospects of the parking situation.

Thank you for your consideration



Planning & Community Development Department

MEMO

To: Krista Artis, Executive Assistant

From: Craig Raymond, Director of Planning & Community Development

Date: 1.25.2016

Re: Parking Advisory Commission new member recommendation

At the regular meeting of the Parking Advisory Commission on Monday, January 25, 2016, the Commission voted unanimously to recommend that City Commission appoint Dave Snuggs and William Mintsiveris to fill the vacant seat created by Dave Abbot's resignation and replace termed-out member Darren Brown.

Approved by:


Craig Raymond, Director P&CD, City of Great Falls