

Council Meeting Staff Report

August 8, 2017

Agenda No.:	E.
Indexes (Council Goals):	2018 Council Goal – Quality of Life – Environmental Stewardship – Enhance Environmental Quality and Sustainability Balancing Costs and Benefits Including County Services and Utilities
Presenters:	Philo Shelton
Legislative File:	9765-17

Title

Board/Commission Re-Appointment - Environmental Sustainability Board

Recommended Action

I nominate James Robinson [R] to fill one vacancy on the Environmental Sustainability Board and move that Council re-appoint Mr. Robinson for a second term ending on July 31, 2019.

Body

The Environmental Sustainability Board is a seven member board with staggered two-year terms beginning August 1 and ending July 31. A copy of the current Board Member list is attached for reference (Attachment A).

The vacancy represents an expired term ending on July 31, 2017 for James Robinson. Mr. Robinson is an incumbent and is eligible for re-appointment. This re-appointment is being brought to Council this evening to address having three vacancies on the board as of July 31.

There are two remaining vacancies on the board which represent expired terms for Danny Katzman and Rebecca Chamberlin. Mr. Katzman and Mrs. Chamberlin are not interested in re-appointment. An active recruitment effort is currently being conducted.

The applicant for re-appointment is James Robinson [R].

The applicant was interviewed by an interview committee on June 20, 2017. The interview committee consisted of the following:

ESB Chair: John Bliss

Council Liaison: Pete Sheehey

ESB Staff Liaison: Angelica Gurule

The interview committee recommends re-appointing James Robinson.

Party affiliations are noted as [D] Democrat, [R] Republican, [I] Independent, [G] Green, [L] Libertarian, [DTS] Declined to State, and [N] Not Registered to Vote.

Appointing the applicant will not violate the County Charter restriction concerning political party majorities on Boards and Commissions.

..Attachments

A - Environmental Sustainability Board Member List

B - Application Packet for James Robinson