

County of Los Alamos

Council Meeting Staff Report

August 29, 2017

Agenda No.:	2)
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:	9808-17

Title

Board/Commission Appointment(s) - Environmental Sustainability Board

.Suggested Motion

I nominate Heather Ward [I], Elena Giorgi [D], and Heidi Rogers [D] to fill two vacancies on the Environmental Sustainability Board and move that Council appoint two nominees to the vacant positions as follows:

By roll call vote, Councilors vote for 2 nominees -- and the 2 nominees with the highest vote total of at least four votes will be appointed to fill ESB terms beginning August 1, 2017 and ending on July 31, 2019.

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

The two vacancies represent a recently expired terms for Danny Katzman and Rebecca Chamberlin. Mr. Katzman and Mrs. Chamberlin are not interested in reappointment at this time.

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. To remain in compliance with the County Charter restriction concerning political party majorities on Boards and Commissions, only one applicant registered as a Democrat can be appointed to the ESB.

The applicants for these vacancies are: Heidi Rogers [D]; Heather Ward [I]; and Elena Giorgi [D]. The interview committee recommends the following applicants: Heidi Rogers [D] and Heather Ward [I].

Attachments

- A Environmental Sustainability Board Member List
- B Application & Interview Packet for Heidi Rogers
- C Application & Interview Packet for Elena Giorgi
- D Application & Interview Packet for Heather Ward