



# County of Los Alamos

## Council Meeting Staff Report

August 31, 2021

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<b>Agenda No.:</b>	F.
<b>Indexes (Council Goals):</b>	* 2021 Council Goal - N/A
<b>Presenters:</b>	Angelica Gurule
<b>Legislative File:</b>	14778-21

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### Title

Board/Commission Appointment - Environmental Sustainability Board

### Recommended Action

**I move that Council appoint Wendy Staples to fill one (1) current vacancy, on the Environmental Sustainability Board, which is a partial ESB term that began on August 1, 2020 and will end July 31, 2022.**

### 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 is a result of the resignation by one ESB member (Alesia Benson).

The applicants are:  
Wendy Staples [D]

Applicants were interviewed by an interview committee August 18, 2021. The interview committee consisted of the following:

ESB Chair: Erik Loechell

Council Liaison: Sean Williams

ESB Staff Liaison: Angelica Gurule

The interview committee recommends appointing Wendy Staples to the ESB.

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 Roster

B - Application Packet for Wendy Staples

C - Interview Panel Recommendation