



Takoma Park City Council Meeting – July 13, 2016 Agenda Item 4B

Voting Session (Consent Agenda)

Resolution Providing for Appointments to the Grants Review Committee

Recommended Council Action

Adopt resolution as a part of the Consent Agenda

Context with Key Issues

The Grants Review Committee serves in an official advisory role to the City Council, providing recommendations on the award of grant funds available through the City's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Community Grants programs. Up to nine residents with demonstrated expertise in community development, grants management, public arts, or related areas of interest may serve on the Committee for a maximum of two consecutive three-year terms.

There are currently five vacancies on the Committee. Ms. Elizabeth Boyd and Ms. Leslie Perry have applied for re-appointment to the Commission as their terms expired on April 30. Ms. Pam Larson, a resident of Ward 1, and Ward 2 resident, Ms. Norka D. Ruiz Bravo, have applied for appointment.

Currently serving on the Committee are Nadine Bloch (Ward 3), Elizabeth Boyd (Ward 6), Gary Cardillo (Ward 2), Jay Keller (Ward 3), Lesley Perry (Ward 2), and Jennifer Wofford (Ward 3).

Council Priority

A Livable Community for All; Engaged, Responsive & Service-oriented Government

Environmental Impact of Action

N/A

Fiscal Impact of Action

N/A

Attachments and Links

Draft Resolution Providing for Appointments to the Grants Review Committee

Introduced by:

CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND

**RESOLUTION 2016-
PROVIDING FOR APPOINTMENTS TO THE GRANTS REVIEW COMMITTEE**

WHEREAS, the Grants Review Committee is responsible for evaluating applications and providing funding recommendations for the Community Development Block Grant program and the Takoma Park Community Grants program; and

WHEREAS, up to nine Takoma Park residents with demonstrated expertise in community development, grants management, public arts, or related areas of interest may serve on the Committee; and

WHEREAS, there are currently five vacancies on the Commission; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Elizabeth Boyd and Ms. Leslie Perry have applied for re-appointment to the Committee as their terms expired on April 30; and

WHEREAS, Takoma Park residents Ms. Pam Larson (Ward 1) and Ms. Norka D. Ruiz Bravo (Ward 2) have applied for appointment to the Committee.

WHEREAS, the City Council has found each of the applicants to be an appropriate candidate for the Grants Review Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND THAT the following individuals are appointed to serve on the Grants Review Committee for the terms indicated:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Ward</u>	<u>Term Expiration</u>
Norka D. Ruiz Bravo	2	April 30, 2018
Elizabeth Boyd	6	April 30, 2019
Pam Larson	1	April 30, 2018
Leslie Perry	2	April 30, 2019

Adopted this ____th day of July, 2016.

Attest:

Jessie Carpenter, CMC
City Clerk