

Takoma Park City Council Meeting – July 26, 2017 Agenda Item 4**D**

Voting Session (Consent Agenda)

Resolution Providing for Appointment to the Arts and Humanities Commission

Recommended Council Action

Adopt resolution as a part of the Consent Agenda

Context with Key Issues

The Arts and Humanities Commission serves in an official advisory role to the City Council on all matters related the promotion, coordination, and strengthening of public programs that further the cultural development of the City. Not more than one-third of the membership of this 15 member Commission may be non-residents. Members serve staggered three-year terms.

There is currently one vacancy on the Commission. Marilyn Sklar, resident of Ward 3, has applied for appointment to the Commission.

Currently serving on the Commission are Kevin Adler (Ward 2), Emily Dufton (Ward 3), Eric Gordon (Ward 2), Ebonee Harllee (Non Resident), Nandi Henderson (Ward 6), Abraham Joyner-Meyers (Ward 1), Madona Tyler LeBlanc (Non Resident), Thomas Parlan (Ward 4), Joelle Rabion (Ward 1), Alexandra Reyes-Pinkson (Ward 5), Susan Strasser (Ward 1), Courtney Tompkins (Ward 3), Gloria Tseng-Fischer (Ward 3), and John Warren (Ward 5).

Council Priority

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

Environmental Impact of Action

N/A

Fiscal Impact of Action N/A

Racial Equity Impact of Action

We are uncertain of how this action will impact residents of various racial backgrounds.

Attachments and Links

Resolution Providing for Appointments to the Arts and Humanities Commission

Introduced by:

CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND

RESOLUTION 2017-

PROVIDING FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES COMMISSION

- WHEREAS, the Arts and Humanities Commission, established by Ordinance 2003-1, serves in an official advisory role to the City Council on all matters related to the arts and humanities; and
- WHEREAS, Ordinance 2003-1 provides for the appointment of 15 members to the Commission, one-third of whom may be non-residents; and
- WHEREAS, members are appointed to staggered three-year terms; and
- WHEREAS, Ms. Marilyn Sklar, resident of Ward 3, has applied for appointment to the Commission; and
- WHEREAS, the City Council has found Ms. Sklar to be an appropriate candidate for appointment to the Arts and Humanities Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND that the following individuals are appointed, effective July 1, 2017, to serve on the Arts and Humanities Commission:

Ms. Marily	/n Sklar	Ward 3 Resident	Term ex	pires June 30	. 2018
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Adopted this <u>day of July, 2017</u>.

ATTEST:

Jessie Carpenter, CMC City Clerk