



## Takoma Park City Council Meeting – May 15, 2019 Agenda Item 5B

### **Voting Session (Consent Agenda)**

Resolution Providing for Reappointments to the Nuclear-Free Takoma Park Committee

### **Recommended Council Action**

Adopt the resolution as part of the consent agenda.

### **Context with Key Issues**

The Nuclear-Free Takoma Park Committee oversees implementation of and adherence to the Takoma Park Nuclear Free Zone Act and provides public information on issues related to the Act. There are two vacancies on the seven-member Committee and two members whose terms expired on March 31. Members with expired terms are: Julie Boddy (Ward 1) and Paul Gunter (Ward 1). Ms. Boddy and Mr. Gunter have applied for reappointment to the Committee. All applications have been provided to the Council for review and consideration.

Also serving on the Committee are Reid Baron (Ward 3), Dave Lanar (Ward 1) and Jay Levy (Ward 1).

### **Council Priority**

Engaged, Responsive, and Service-Oriented Government; A Livable Community for All

### **Environmental Considerations**

A purpose of the City's Nuclear Free Zone Act is to protect residents, visitors, and the environment from the harmful effects of highly radioactive nuclear waste that results from research, production, and deployment of nuclear weapons and the production of nuclear energy.

### **Fiscal Considerations**

N/A

### **Racial Equity Considerations**

Currently, there is a lack of diversity on this committee. Council and staff should seek out opportunities to recruit people of color to serve on all boards, commissions, and committees.

### **Attachments and Links**

- Draft Resolution Providing for Reappointments to the Nuclear-Free Takoma Park Committee
- [Nuclear-Free Committee Web Page](#)
- *Takoma Park Code*, [Chapter 14.04 Nuclear-Free Zone](#)

Introduced by:

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND**

**RESOLUTION 2019-  
PROVIDING FOR REAPPOINTMENTS TO THE  
NUCLEAR-FREE TAKOMA PARK COMMITTEE**

WHEREAS, Takoma Park's Nuclear Free Zone Act established a Nuclear-Free Takoma Park Committee to oversee implementation of and adherence to the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Committee is composed of seven residents appointed by the City Council to two-year terms; and

WHEREAS, currently, there are two members whose terms expired on March 31 and two vacancies on the Committee; and

WHEREAS, Julie Boddy (Ward 1) and Paul Gunter (Ward 1) have applied for reappointment; and

WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed the applications.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the following individuals are hereby reappointed to serve on the Nuclear-Free Takoma Park Committee for the terms indicated:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Ward</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Julie Boddy	1	March 31, 2021
Paul Gunter	1	March 31, 2021

Adopted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of May, 2019.

**ATTEST:**

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Jessie Carpenter, CMC  
City Clerk