

Memorandum

TO: City Council
FROM: Renee Eisenbeisz , Assistant City Manager
DATE: January 20, 2026
SUBJECT: Appointment to the planning commission
ITEM NUMBER: 10.c
SECTION: GENERAL BUSINESS

REQUESTED MOTION

To appoint _____ to the planning commission through January 31, 2029.

INTRODUCTION

The city council is being asked to appoint an applicant to the planning commission through January 31, 2029.

DISCUSSION

Per the city's open appointment policy, the city council reviews, interviews, and appoints planning commission applicants directly. Additionally, planning commissioners who have served two full terms need to reapply. Barb Yarusso and Lee Helgen's terms are expiring at the end of January. Lee was reappointed at the January 5 meeting as they have not served two full terms. Barb is not seeking reappointment.

The city council interviewed the following applicants during their January 20 workshop.

- Nic Ahmadvand
- Liz Anderson

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the city council appoint one applicant to the planning commission through January 31, 2029.

ATTACHMENTS

[Nic Ahmadvand](#)
[Liz Anderson](#)