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CM/ACM KS
Finance LC
DA N/A
Risk Mgmt. NA
HR N/A
Grants MS

STAFF REPORT BOARD MEETING DATE: November 10, 2015

DATE: October 21, 2015
TO: Board of County Commissioners
FROM: Robert Smith, Animal Services Manager
Telephone: 353-8945, Email: rasmith@washoecounty.us
THROUGH: Shyanne Schull, Animal Services Director
SUBJECT: Recommendation to approve the appointment of Trudy Brussard to the Animal Control Board, representing County Commission District 1, a four year term commencing on November 10, 2015 and ending on November 10, 2019.
(Commission District 1)

SUMMARY

The purpose of this item is to recommend the appointment of Trudy Brussard, to the Animal Control Board, representing Washoe County Commission District 1.

County Priority/Goal – Regional and Community Leadership

PREVIOUS ACTION

N/A

BACKGROUND

The Animal Control Board was established by County Code to approve, suspend and revoke exotic animal, cattery permits and kennel permits within Washoe County, including the City of Reno and the City of Sparks. In accordance with Washoe County Code 55.030, the Board of Commissioners appointed members to the Animal Control Board including one member each to represent the five County Commission Districts and one representative of a society for the prevention of cruelty to animals and one member having experience or qualifications with exotic animals.

The appointed representative serves a four-year term on the Animal Control Board.

FISCAL IMPACT

This action presents no fiscal impact to the Department.

AGENDA ITEM # 6C1

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended to approve the appointment of Trudy Brussard to the Animal Control Board, representing County Commission District 1, a four year term commencing on November 10, 2015 and ending on November 10, 2019.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be:

Move to approve the appointment of Trudy Brussard to the Animal Control Board, representing County Commission District 1, a four year term commencing on November 10, 2015 and ending on November 10, 2019.

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Smith, Robert A.

From: trudybrussard@gmail.com
Sent: Friday, August 28, 2015 11:28 AM
To: WEBTEAM; Smith, Robert A.
Subject: VOLUNTEER APPLICATION: Kennel/Exotic Permit Board

Application for Kennel/Exotic Permit Board

Additional Information:

I am volunteering for this position with knowledge and experience. I have a strong real estate background, a working knowledge of HOA's, the skills to productively participate in and lead Board meetings. An academic background in zoology followed by decades of pet ownership gives me experience when considering conditions and needs of animals both domestic and exotic. I currently have the time (dates in above volunteer work incorrect) to devote to this Board and the passion and compassion for the proper care of living creatures.

Personal Information

Salutation
Mrs
First Name
Trudy
Last Name
Brussard
Address 1
1400 Granite
Address 2
City
Reno
County
Washoe
State
NV
Zipcode
89509
Main Phone
(775) 829-1683
Secondary Phone
(775) 772-3014
Email Address
trudybrussard@gmail.com
Contact Preference
email

Education Background

School Name
University of Texas - Austin
Graduated
yes
Graduation Year
1969
Course Of Study

Zoology

Degree Earned

MA

Notes

Also have BA in Psychology University of Texas, Austin Have numerous designations in Real Estate including GRI

School Name

University of Texas - Austin

Graduated

yes

Graduation Year

1965

Course Of Study

Psychology

Degree Earned

BA

Notes

Professional Background

Employer

Cornell University

From Date

09/30/69

To Date

06/30/85

Status

full-time

Job Title

Research Assistant

Duties

Research in the genetics of the ciliated Protozoa Tetrahymena Thermophilus .

Employer

Dickson Realty

From Date

04/26/93

To Date

present

Status

full-time

Job Title

Realtor

Duties

Marketing and Sales, Realestate Counseling

Awards and Honors

Honor

Certified Residential Specialist of the Year Sierra NV Chapter

Honor Date

12/05/07

Details

Achievement in the Chapter, Profession and Community

Honor

Nevada Women's Fund Women of Achievement

Honor Date

06/12/98

Details

Selected by the Women's Council of Realtors for Professional Achievement and Community Service. Served as the Chapter President of the Council and NV State President of the Women's Council of Realtors.

Volunteer History

Agency

West Truckee Meadows Citizens Advisory Board

From Date

present

To Date

present

Volunteer Title

Chair, and member

Duties

The dates are approximate as numerous records have been destroyed. Served as Chair in 2008 and several other years. CAB's were put on hold for a number of years with County Budget cuts. Have not participated in new CABs.

Agency

RTC 2040 Regional Transportation Plan Update

From Date

present

To Date

present

Volunteer Title

Committee Member Ward 1

Duties

Ten months of planning meetings to update the Regional Transportation Plan.

Agency

Family Counseling Services of Northern NV

From Date

present

To Date

present

Volunteer Title

President and Board Member

Duties

Fiduciary duty to the management of the Service. Monthly meetings where I served as President for a number of years.

Agency

Nevada Association of Realtors

From Date

present

To Date

present

Volunteer Title

Chair, and member Education, Bylaws and Policy, Professional Standards

Duties

Chaired each of this committees at various times. Was a member of Bylaws and Policy for the duration.

Agency

Reno Sparks Association of Realtors

From Date

present

To Date

present

Volunteer Title

Director, Chair and Member: Risk Reduction, Education, Bylaws and Policy, Professional Standards, Ombudsman

Duties

Served on Board of Directors. Served as chair or member of the listed committees. Trained and serve as an Ombudsman for the association.

Agency

Nevada Women's Fund

From Date

present

To Date

present

Volunteer Title

Women of Achievement Committee

Duties

Sponsorship, Planning, Breakfast committee.
