

AGENDA REPORT

DATE February 7, 2006

ITEM Appointment, Great Falls Housing Authority Board

INITIATED BY City Commission

ACTION REQUESTED Appoint One Member

PRESENTED BY City Commission

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RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the City Commission appoint one member to the Great Falls Housing Authority Board to fill the remainder of a five-year term through May 31, 2010.

MOTION: I move the City Commission appoint _____ to the Great Falls Housing Authority Board to fill the remainder of a five-year term through May 31, 2010.

SYNOPSIS: Dawn Bentley McKenney was reappointed to the Housing Authority Board for a five-year term through May 31, 2005. Ms. McKenney has submitted her letter of resignation; therefore, it is necessary to appoint one member to fill the remainder of her term.

BACKGROUND: The Great Falls Housing Authority Board consists of seven commissioners appointed by the City Commission. Two commissioners must be residents of the Housing Authority properties. The Board is an independent authority responsible for setting policy for the operation and management of public housing properties, HUD, Section 8 program and other affordable housing programs. The board is also responsible for providing safe, decent, sanitary, and affordable housing for the community's low-income residents.

Continuing members of this board are:

- Anderson, Albert (Tenant)
- Gilbert, Cal
- Martinez-Delano, Kelly A.
- McLean, Grace (Tenant)
- Sullivan, Daniel K.
- Thompson, Curtis

Citizens interested in serving on this board are:

- Joseph P. Boyle
- Ronald J. Mammen