

STAFF REPORT

DATE: May 16, 2023

REGULAR

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Kristina Handt, City Administrator

AGENDA ITEM: Appointment to Parks Commission

BACKGROUND:

The Parks Commission is established to review and make recommendations to the Council on the future development of city parks, including the establishment of and improvements to the parks, and to make recommendations to the Council on policies governing the maintenance and public use of the parks within the city. The Parks Commission shall consist of 7 members. The voting members shall be appointed by the City Council for a 3-year term.

There is currently one vacancy on the Parks Commission for a term ending 12/31/25.

ISSUE BEFORE COUNCIL:

Who should the Council appoint to the Parks Commission?

PROPOSAL:

The city received an application for Parks Commission from Mike Elam and interviewed him in a special meeting prior to the May 16th meeting.

OPTIONS:

- 1) Appoint Mike Elam to the Parks Commission for a term ending 12/31/25
- 2) Continue to advertise for applicants

RECOMMENDATION:

"Move to appoint Mike Elam to the Parks Commission for a term ending 12/31/25"