



MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

(Revised: Feb. 2017)

APPROVED: MULTNOMAH COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA # C.1 DATE 5/25/17
MARINA BAKER, ASST BOARD CLERK

Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 5/25/17
Agenda Item #: C.1
Est. Start Time: 9:30 am
Date Submitted: 5/11/17

Agenda Title: **Appointment of Victoria Purvine to the Multnomah County Planning Commission**

Requested Meeting Date: May 25, 2017 **Time Needed:** N/A – Consent Agenda

Department: Community Services **Division:** Land Use Planning

Contact(s): Adam Barber, Senior Planner

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Presenters: N/A

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Request Board approval of appointment of Victoria Purvine to the Multnomah County Planning Commission for a four-year term.

2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer(s) this action affects and how it impacts the results.

Multnomah County is required to have a citizen involvement committee that broadly represents the geographic areas of the County. The Planning Commission assists with the development of our land use planning legislative program which addresses rural land use planning issues to meet state requirements and rural planning policies set forth by the Multnomah County Board of Commissioners. There are nine (9) members of the Planning Commission who serve four-year terms. No more than two members of the Commission can be engaged in the same kind of business, trade or profession.

Recruitment for one Planning Commission position occurred over three weeks in April, 2017 including a news release, advertisement on the County's website and notice to interested persons. Seven applications were received and Victoria Purvine is being recommended for appointment. Ms. Purvine lives in rural east Multnomah County near the community of Corbett and is President and Co-Owner of a construction company specializing in rural Oregon development projects. Ms. Purvine desires to help bring viewpoints to the Planning Commission from those affected most by rule changes and to help demonstrate the benefits of taking time to consider differing viewpoints. Ms. Purvine's experience as a minority owned small rural business owner will help provide valuable perspective to the Commission rural land use planning discussions.

3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).

None

4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.

None

5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.

Public outreach is conducted to find new volunteers for the Planning Commission when vacancies occur. Outreach for this appointment was accomplished with support and input from the County's Public Affairs Office and Board Staff. Outreach included a news releases, a web based announcement and notification to interested parties.

Planning Commission staff contact information is Adam Barber, Senior Planner
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Required Signature

**Elected
Official or
Department
Director:**

Kim Peoples /s/ _____

Date: May 11, 2017