



# STAFF REPORT

## SAUSALITO CITY COUNCIL

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### AGENDA TITLE:

Discussion of whether Council wishes to re-interview three pending applicants to the Historic Landmarks before upcoming appointments

### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Discuss whether Council wishes to re-interview three pending HLB applicants and give direction to staff.

### SUMMARY

There are currently two seats up for appointment on the Historic Landmarks Board (HLB). One seat that was vacated approximately a year ago by Sharon Berman was for a term that expired at the end of July 2007; that seat has not yet been filled. The second seat also expired at the end of July 2007, but Mike Monsef, incumbent in that seat, has continued to serve until a formal appointment is made. Both of these terms will extend through July 2009.

The terms of the other three members of the HLB – Thomas Theodores, Vicki Nichols and Jason Weisberger – will expire at the end of July 2008, so the need for additional appointments and/or re-appointments will come before the Council in late July.

### BACKGROUND

On January 29, 2007, City Council interviewed several applicants to the Historic Landmarks Board. Among those applicants were Dave Hodgson, Tom Hoover and Keith Snyder. All three of these applicants have repeatedly indicated their interest to be considered for appointment when Council is ready to make those appointments.

There are three new applicants to the HLB: Paul Bradford, Amy Chramosta and Linda Pfeifer. As staff has prepared to set up interviews for these new applicants, the question has come up as to whether the Council should re-interview the three who were previously interviewed in January 2007. Council's past practice has been to not require that applicants re-interview for a position on the same board in which they initially indicated an interest, although Council has indicated a willingness to re-interview at an applicant's request.

**ISSUES**

Due to the length of time since the previous interviews of the earlier applicants, Council may wish to re-interview these applicants when they set up a time to interview the new applicants. Whether or not Council re-interviews these candidates, the three names will be included in the list of applicants that the Council will consider when it is scheduled to make appointments.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

None

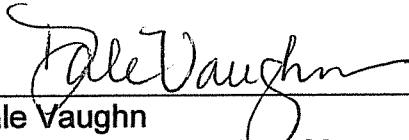
**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Direct staff whether it wishes to re-interview the earlier HLB applicants.

**ATTACHMENTS**

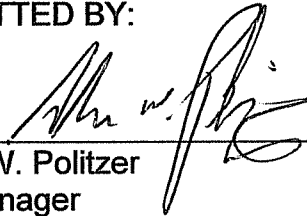
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