

Consent Agenda

Agenda Item #	3E
Meeting Date	July 28, 2014
Prepared By	Jessie Carpenter City Clerk
Approved By	Brian Kenner City Manager

Discussion Item	Resolution Providing for a Reappointment to the Committee on the Environment
Background	<p>The Committee on the Environment was reestablished Ordinance 2012-37 with the following purpose:</p> <p>A. To advise the City Council on all environmental issues, including, but not limited to, stormwater management, greenhouse gas reduction, air quality, tree protection, open space conservation, biodiversity, watershed functioning and restoration, energy use, transportation, energy conservation, and recycling;</p> <p>B. To serve in partnership with the City Council and Takoma Park City staff to work together to achieve sustainability and other environmental certifications that may help the City meet and be recognized for its environmental goals.</p> <p>Eleven to 15 members are to be appointed to staggered two-year terms. Terms begin on July 1 and expire on June 30. Currently, there are two vacancies on the Committee and one member whose term expired on June 30, 2014. Members are: Shannon Baker-Branstetter (Ward 2); Denis Borum (Ward 6); Rocco Casagrande (Ward 1); Paul Chrostowski (Ward 1); Cindy Dyballa (Ward 2); Sat Jiwan Ikle-Khalsa (Ward 2); Lauren Marshall (Ward 1); Sarah Mazur (Ward 1); John Peterson (Ward 3); Allyson Piazza (Ward 2); Kirby Rootes-Murdy (Ward 4); Lindsey Robinett (Ward 6); Thomas Simchak (Ward 3).</p> <p>Allyson Piazza's term expired on June 30, 2014. She has applied for reappointment. The Council reviewed Ms. Piazza's application and desires to reappoint her.</p>
Policy	The City Council appoints/reappoints members to the Committee on the Environment.
Fiscal Impact	N/A
Attachments	Resolution
Recommendation	Adopt the resolution.
Special Consideration	

Introduced by:

CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND

**RESOLUTION 2014-
PROVIDING FOR A REAPPOINTMENT
TO THE COMMITTEE ON THE ENVIRONMENT**

WHEREAS, by Ordinance 2012-37, the City Council redefined and reestablished the Committee on the Environment to serve as an important partner and advisor in matters related to environmental sustainability, protection, and restoration; and

WHEREAS, the Committee is to be composed of 11-15 members appointed to staggered two-year terms; and

WHEREAS, there are currently two vacancies on the Committee and one member whose term expired on June 30, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Allyson's Piazza has applied for reappointment to the Committee; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has evaluated her application and desires to reappoint her.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND THAT Allyson Piazza is hereby reappointed to the Committee on the Environment with a term to expire June 30, 2016:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT this appointment shall become effective immediately.

Adopted this ____ day of _____, 2014.

Attest:

Jessie Carpenter, CMC
City Clerk