



City Council Memorandum

To: Mayor Fasbender & City Council Members

From: David D. Wilske, Chief of Police

Date: January 2nd, 2024

Item: Public Safety Advisory Commissioner Appointment

Council Action Requested:

Council is asked to appoint Steven Anderson to a two-year term on the Public Safety Advisory Commission.

Background Information:

Mr. Anderson participated in an oral interview before a panel consisting of City Councilmember Fox, PSAC Chair Dolores Pemble, City Administrator Dan Wietecha, Fire Chief John Townsend and Police Chief Dave Wilske. At the conclusion of the interview, the panel unanimously recommended Mr. Anderson. Steven will begin his term commencing 01/01/2024 to 12/31/2025 and will take the place of Dolores Pemble, who completed her term.

Financial Impact:

None

Advisory Commission Discussion:

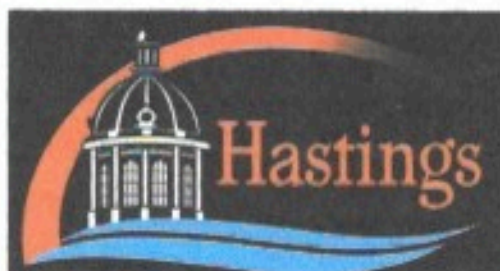
Public Safety Advisory Commission Chair, Pemble.

Council Committee Discussion:

N / A

Attachments:

Advisory Commission Interest Form



Advisory Commission Interest Form

The City of Hastings encourages active participation of its residents. City Advisory Commissions are a way in which residents can take a participatory involvement in the planning, development, and preservation of our growing and historical community. Thank you for your interest in serving on an advisory commission. Information about these opportunities is available on the City's website at www.hastingsmn.gov/commissions.

Commission

(Please indicate your interest)

Questions?

Contact 651-480-2350 or the person (s) below

Charter	Dan Wietecha dwietecha@hastingsmn.gov
Hastings Economic Development & Redevelopment Authority (HEDRA)	John Hinzman jhinzman@hastingsmn.gov
Heritage Preservation Commission (HPC)	Justin Fortney jfortney@hastingsmn.gov
Parks & Recreation (PRC)	Chris Jenkins cjenkins@hastingsmn.gov
Planning (PC)	John Hinzman jhinzman@hastingsmn.gov
X Public Safety (PSAC)	David Wilske dwilske@hastingsmn.gov
Arts & Culture Commission	Kelly Murtaugh kmurtaugh@hastingsmn.gov
Other/ no Preference	Dan Wietecha Dwietecha@hastingsmn.gov

To help us have a better understanding of your interests and background, we ask for some general information. Please complete and sign the application.

Name **Steven L Anderson**
 Address **2372 Brooke Ln, Hastings MN 55033**
 Day Phone **715-441-3973**
 Evening Phone **715-441-3973**
 E-mail **harleyiii@yahoo.com**

Please share why you are interested in becoming involved with a City commission.

I'm a strong believer in Citizen participation in the affairs of one's community, at every level. I'm a Vietnam veteran, and presently I volunteer one day each week at the Minneapolis Veterans Medical Center, but would like to serve in some capacity at the local level. I feel that this position is a good fit with my past experience and interests.

My family and I lived in Hastings from May, 1987 to June 2005. During our time in Hastings I served on the Hastings Planning Commission, with 2 years as Chair. In 2005 we moved to our hobby farm in Stockholm Wisconsin to try our hand at country living.

In 2020 my wife and I decided it was time to move back closer to our children and grandchildren, and we chose to move back to Hastings. We love Hastings and all it has to offer, and, quite frankly, couldn't think of a better community to live in.

Supplemental Information

Employer:

Occupation: Retired

What experience would you bring to the Commission?

I am a retired Firefighter. I served 30 years as a Career Firefighter for the cities of St. Louis Park and Minnetonka, retiring as at the rank of Assistant Chief. I then served 16 years as a Volunteer Firefighter for the Lund Fire District; 12 of those as Fire Chief. I also served a year as a Deputy State Fire Marshal for the State of Minnesota as a code specialist and investigator. During my time in the Fire Service I have attended the National Fire Academy in Emmitsburg Maryland, and have had the opportunity to work closely with Law Enforcement in the area of fire investigation, and have testified in court as an expert witness in both criminal and civil cases

While living in Wisconsin I was elected to the Pepin County Board of Supervisors and served 6 years on the Board; 2 as County Board Chair. I concurrently served 4 years as Chair of the County Law Enforcement Committee, overseeing the Sheriff's Department, the County Attorney's Office and the Emergency Management Department. While serving as Board Chair I worked closely with Pepin County Sheriff Joel Wener to pass a Bond Issue allowing for the upgrading of the County PSAP and construction of 3 new towers and a complete new radio system.

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101 Fourth Street East OR via email to the
Hastings, MN 55033 Commission contact

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§ 31.36 PUBLIC DISCLOSURE.

(A) Each public official of the City of Hastings shall file for public record in the office of the City Clerk, a sworn statement in a form approved by the City Council and which must contain, at a minimum, the following information:

(1) The names of all businesses, corporations, companies, firms, partnerships, or other business enterprises, doing business with or in the City of Hastings, in which the public official is connected thereto as an employee, owner, director, officer, adviser, or consultant, or in which the public official has a continuing financial interest, through ownership of stock or as a beneficiary of any pension or retirement plan;

(2) A description of all parcels of real property, other than property occupied by the public official as a personal residence, in which the public official has any interest, including the right to occupy any such property; and

(3) The interest of a spouse, or minor child or other member of the immediate household of any public official shall be considered an interest of the public official for purposes of filing the statement required.

(B) Each person who becomes a public official shall, within 30 days after assuming the office or position, file a public disclosure required by this section.

(1) Following an initial filing, the information on that filing shall remain in effect and all public officials will continue to attest to its truth. Within 30 days of any change to the information on the initial filing and following any reappointment or reelection, all public officials shall file a new sworn statement with the City Clerk. City staff members covered under this provision shall fill out an initial filing and shall thereafter complete any amended filings within 30 days of any change to the information on the initial filing or at least every 4 years, in the years in which the Mayor and at large Councilmember seats are up for election, whichever comes first. (Am. Ord. 511, passed 4-5-2004)

(2) This subchapter shall not be construed to require the filing of any information relating to any person's connection with any professional society or any charitable, religious, social, fraternal, recreational, civil or political organization or any similar organization not conducted as a business enterprise.

(3) The City Administrator shall inform each person who is required to file a statement, the time and place for filing, and shall furnish each such person with a copy of this subchapter and the required statement form. The City Administrator shall inform the City Council when any person, who

is required to file a statement, fails to file the statement in a timely manner. (Prior Code, § 2.81)