



*City Council Memorandum*

**To: Mayor Fasbender & City Councilmembers**

**From: City Administrator Dan Wietecha**

**Date: February 21, 2023**

**Item: Appoint Arts & Culture Commissioners**

**Council Action Requested:**

The City Council is asked to approve the appointments of the following to the Arts & Culture Commission:

Barb Hollenbeck

Jeannie Tribe

Steven Read

Sherry Humphrey

Deirdre McGill, student

Ryan McCoy

Joe Becker

Kirk Skeba

**Background information:**

Prior Arts Task Force members who met eligibility requirements were recommended for commission appointments without interview. Candidates for the Arts & Culture Commission were interviewed February 8, 2023 by an interview panel which included Councilmember Tina Folch, former Arts Task Force Chair Barb Hollenbeck, City Administrator Dan Wietecha, and Assistant City Administrator Kelly Murtaugh.

Since the Commission is new, initial commissioner appointments are to be set at either one- or two-year terms. The interview panel recommended Hollenbeck, Read, Skeba, and McGinn for one-year terms. Becker, Tribe, Humphrey, and McCoy were recommended for two-year terms. The recommendations from the interview panel provide experience with and understanding of the broad spectrum of arts and culture to help carry out the goals of the Commission.

**Financial Impact:**

N/A

**Committee Discussion:**

N/A

**Attachments:**

N/A