



CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS STAFF REPORT

Meeting Date: October 14, 2008
To: Honorable Mayor & City Council
From: Byron Pope, City Clerk
Subject: Design Review Commission Appointment
Attachments: 1. Commissioner Letter

INTRODUCTION

Mayor Brucker and Councilmember Briskman requested that the City Council discuss a two-year appointment for Design Review Commissioner Susan Strauss.

DISCUSSION

Commissioner Strauss was appointed in September 2007 to fill the remainder of the term of a vacant position (Eleanor Schapa) on the Design Review Commission which ended on July 20, 2008. She has provided a letter of interest in continuing to serve on the Commission, and would like your consideration for the possibility of a full term (initial two-year term and four-year reappointment term).

FISCAL IMPACT

None

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the City Council provide direction for this appointment.

Byron Pope
Approved By

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

Susan Strauss

January 28, 2008

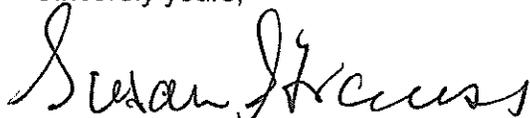
Mr. Byron Pope
City of Beverly Hills
455 N. Rexford Drive, Rm 190
Beverly Hills, CA 90210

Dear Mr. Pope,

In response to your letter, I would like to inform you of my continued interest in serving on the Design Review Commission. I feel this is a very important time in the City's development and with the additional responsibilities added to this commission, I believe my background and experience from the Architectural Commission will continue to be of value to the Commission.

I am grateful to the City Council for initially appointing me and I hope they will grant me the honor to continue serving for a full term in this capacity.

Sincerely yours,


Susan Strauss