



CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS STAFF REPORT

Meeting Date: July 7, 2009
To: Honorable Mayor & City Council
From: Byron Pope, CMC
City Clerk
Subject: Traffic and Parking Commission Interview Panel Report

INTRODUCTION

The Traffic and Parking Commission Interview Panel composed of Councilmember Barry Brucker, Councilmember Willie Brien and Traffic and Parking Commission Chair Joyce Braun and Vice-Chair Kenneth A. Goldman met on Tuesday, June 23, 2009. The panel interviewed eleven candidates for two upcoming vacancies on the Commission. One potential candidate withdrew from the process prior to the interview date.

DISCUSSION

After discussion and careful review, it was the consensus of the Panel to recommend Brian Rosenstein and Alan Grushcow for appointment. The Panel felt that these two applicants would best complement the existing Commission, and they recommend Brian Rosenstein and Alan Grushcow attend all Traffic and Parking Commission meetings leading up to the appointment in September 2009.

RECOMMENDATION

The Traffic and Parking Commission Interview Panel recommends that the City Council appoint Brian Rosenstein and Alan Grushcow to the Traffic and Parking Commission. With the concurrence of the Council, a formal report will be prepared for adoption at the July 21, 2009 Formal City Council meeting.

In addition, the Panel requests that the remaining candidates be thanked and advised that they each gave thoughtful and compelling answers to the questions posed by the Panel. The City is fortunate to have such a strong applicant pool and the applicants are encouraged to re-apply and attend as many future Traffic and Parking Commission meetings as possible. In addition, those applicants who have not participated in Team Beverly Hills are urged to do so.

Byron Pope
Approved By

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