



CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS STAFF REPORT

Meeting Date: May 23, 2013
To: Honorable Mayor & City Council
From: Byron Pope, CMC
City Clerk
Subject: Recreation and Parks Commission Interview Panel Report

INTRODUCTION

The Recreation and Parks Commission Interview Panel composed of Councilmember Julian A. Gold, MD, Councilmember Nancy Krasne, Recreation and Parks Commission Chair Robert S. Anderson and Recreation and Parks Commission Vice-Chair Howard Rosoff met on Monday, April 22, 2013. The panel received nineteen applications, and interviewed eighteen candidates for one position on the Recreation and Parks Commission. One candidate was unavailable to interview with the panel (in person or via telephone).

DISCUSSION

After discussion and careful review, it was the consensus of the Panel to recommend Frances Bilak for appointment to fill the vacant position of former Recreation and Parks Commissioner Alan Block.

RECOMMENDATION

The Recreation and Parks Commission Interview Panel recommends that the City Council appoint Frances Bilak to the Recreation and Parks Commission. With the concurrence of the Council, a formal report will be prepared for adoption at the next 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 an exceptional applicant pool and the applicants are encouraged to attend as many future Recreation and Parks Commission meetings as possible and reapply for future vacancies. 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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