

Date April 7, 2014

Communication from David Sweet advising of his resignation from the Historic Preservation Commission, Seat 12, effective immediately.

Moved by _____ to receive, file and accept resignation with appreciation for his service.

Replacement to be appointed by: Mayor Cownie.

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
GATTO				
GRAY				
HENSLEY				
MAHAFFEY				
MOORE				
TOTAL				
MOTION CARRIED			APPROVED	
_____ Mayor				

CERTIFICATE

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

_____ City Clerk

Rauh, Diane I.

From: Van Essen, Jason M.
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2014 12:52 PM
To: Rauh, Diane I.
Cc: Ludwig, Michael G.
Subject: FW: Resignation Of Appointment

Hello Diane-

Please forward the email below to the Mayor and City Council from David Sweet notifying of his resignation from the Historic Preservation Commission. Mr. Sweet is a resident of the River Bend Local Historic District and will need to be replace with another resident of the River Bend Historic District.

Thank you!

Jason

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From: Davdsweet@aol.com [mailto:Davdsweet@aol.com]
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 6:44 PM
To: Van Essen, Jason M.
Subject: Resignation Of Appointment

Jason: It is with deep regret that I must announce my formal resignation from the HPC. This is NOT what I had wanted to do, but the engineering firm I am employed with does not allow people to leave before closing time on bid days, which are all days but Fri. My employer is in Grimes, and closing time is 5:45PM mon-thurs. I have tried to work this out, but with no results. While I shall remain committed to preserving historic buildings in DSM. and Riverbend especially, I must step aside for someone who can attend the meetings, and not be a member in name only. It has been a great 2 years, and I thank you all. Yours sincerely, David M. Sweet

City of Des Moines, Iowa
Boards and Commissions
Board Composition

Historic Preservation Commission

Description: Reviews and acts upon all applications for certificates of appropriateness; reviews and makes recommendations to the City Council on proposals for designation of historic districts, amendments to boundaries of existing historic districts, and repeal of existing historic districts; cooperates with property owners and City agencies and departments to develop preservation solutions and plans; furthers the historic preservation efforts in the city; makes recommendations for the listing of a historical district or site in the National Register of Historic Places.

Staff contact: Jason VanEssen 283-4147
Michael Ludwig 283-4810

Term length: Three years

Expiration: Sherman Hill - October 18th; Owl's Head - March 28th

Meetings: 5:30 PM, Third Wednesday of each month,

Location: 400 Robert D Ray Drive
City Hall, City Council Chambers, Room: Second floor

Requirements: GENDER BALANCE REQUIRED - Six at-large members and two residents from each designated historic district. At the time of their appointment, each member shall have a demonstrated interest in historic preservation. Within one year of their initial appointment, each person shall attend at least one training seminar providing training on the duties of a local historic preservation review commission. Each member of the City Council may recommend a candidate to fill one of the at-large positions on the commission. The mayor may recommend candidates to fill each of the positions to be held by a resident of a designated historic district.

Prof. requirements: Each of the at-large members shall have at least one of the following professional qualifications: architect, urban planner, structural or civil engineer, historian, sociologist, real estate broker, or builder.

Member Information

Female = 5

Patricia A Barry (C): 515 248-8275 Term expires: 03/28/2013
 451 29th Street (D): 515 248-8275 Took office: 02/14/2011
 Des Moines 50312 (E): 515 280-7365 Appointed by: 7 - Mayor
 (W): Residing in Ward: 3
 Eligibility: Eligible for reappointment
 Seat: 01 - Owls Head Gender: Female

Breann A Bye (C): 641 521-9340 Term expires: 02/03/2015
 523 Franklin Avenue (D): 641 521-9340 Took office: 02/13/2012
 Des Moines 50314 (E): Appointed by: 7 - Mayor
 (W): Residing in Ward: 1
 Eligibility: Eligible for reappointment
 Seat: 11 - Riverbend Historic District Gender: Female

Member Information

Elaine Estes	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2001
944 Ninth Street	(D):	Took office:	10/18/1983
Des Moines 50309	(E): 515 244-1462	Appointed by:	6 - At Large B - Coleman
	(W):	Residing in Ward:	3
		Eligibility:	Not eligible for reappointment
Seat: 06 - Professional		Gender:	Female

Susan Holderness	(C):	Term expires:	03/28/2004
2900 Forest Drive	(D):	Took office:	01/19/1998
Des Moines 50312	(E): 515 246-1885	Appointed by:	7 - Mayor
	(W): 515 226-5651	Residing in Ward:	3
		Eligibility:	Not eligible for reappointment
Seat: 02 - Owls Head		Gender:	Female

Teresa L Weidmaier	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2010
938 35th Street	(D):	Took office:	09/22/2008
Des Moines 50312	(E): 515 274-9134	Appointed by:	2 - Ward 2
	(W): 515 201-9352	Residing in Ward:	3
		Eligibility:	Not eligible for reappointment
Seat: 08 - Professional		Gender:	Female

Male =5

Scotney J Fenton	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2011
1245 42nd Street	(D):	Took office:	09/13/2004
Des Moines 50311	(E): 515 277-8934	Appointed by:	4 - Ward 4
	(W): 515 288-3141	Residing in Ward:	1
		Eligibility:	Not eligible for reappointment
Seat: 10 - Professional		Gender:	Male

Robert C Griffin	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2012
3820 Park Avenue	(D): 515 473-8787	Took office:	05/09/2011
Des Moines 50321	(E): 515 473-8135	Appointed by:	1 - Ward 1
	(W):	Residing in Ward:	3
		Eligibility:	Eligible for reappointment
Seat: 07 - Professional		Gender:	Male

Denny Marchand	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2011
701 19th Street	(D):	Took office:	05/18/2009
Des Moines 50314	(E): 515 314-2255	Appointed by:	3 - Ward 3
	(W): 515 314-2255	Residing in Ward:	3
		Eligibility:	Eligible for reappointment
Seat: 09 - Professional		Gender:	Male

Member Information

David Sweet	(C):	Term expires:	02/03/2015
1328 9th Street	(D): 515 729-4169	Took office:	02/13/2012
Des Moines 50314	(E): 515 243-4169	Appointed by:	7 - Mayor
	(W): 515 243-4169	Residing in Ward:	4
		Eligibility:	Eligible for reappointment
Seat: 12 - River Bend Historic District		Gender:	Male

York A Taenzer	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2009
1605 Woodland Avenue	(D):	Took office:	09/13/2004
Des Moines 50309	(E): 515 288-8984	Appointed by:	7 - Mayor
	(W): 515 288-5719	Residing in Ward:	3
		Eligibility:	Not eligible for reappointment
Seat: 03 - Sherman Hill		Gender:	Male

Vacancy = 2

Vacancy	(C):	Term expires:	03/28/2013
	(D):	Took office:	
	(E):	Appointed by:	5 - At Large A - Moore
	(W):	Residing in Ward:	0
		Eligibility:	Vacant
Seat: 05 - Professional		Gender:	—

Vacancy	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2012
	(D):	Took office:	
	(E):	Appointed by:	7 - Mayor
	(W):	Residing in Ward:	0
		Eligibility:	Vacant
Seat: 04 - Sherman Hill		Gender:	—