

★ Roll Call Number

Agenda Item Number

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Date March 19, 2018

Recommendation from Mayor T.M. Franklin Cownie to appoint Sondra Ashmore to the Historic Preservation Commission, Seat 2, for a three-year term commencing March 28, 2017 to March 28, 2020.

Sondra Ashmore
338 29th Street
Des Moines, IA 50312

(515) 782-1025
Sondra1130@yahoo.com

Moved by _____ to adopt.

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
BOESEN				
COLEMAN				
GATTO				
GRAY				
MANDELBAUM				
WESTERGAARD				
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

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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: 1551 E. Martin Luther King, Jr. Parkway
Municipal Services Center, 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

Joel Aschbrenner 735 34th Street Des Moines 50312	(C): (D): 515 865-7666 (E): (W):	Term expires: 10/18/2020 Took office: 12/4/2017 Appointed by: 3 - Ward 3 Residing in Ward: 3 Eligibility: Not eligible for reappointment Gender: Male
Seat: 09 - Professional		
Patricia A Barry 451 29th Street Des Moines 50312	(C): 515 248-8275 (D): 515 248-8275 (E): 515 280-7365 (W):	Term expires: 3/28/2016 Took office: 2/14/2011 Appointed by: 7 - Mayor Residing in Ward: 3 Eligibility: Not eligible for reappointment Gender: Female
Seat: 01 - Owls Head		

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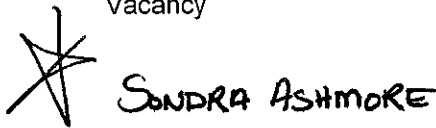
Breann A Bye 523 Franklin Avenue Des Moines 50314	(C): 641 521-9340 (D): 641 521-9340 (E): (W):	Term expires: 2/3/2015 Took office: 2/13/2012 Appointed by: 7 - Mayor Residing in Ward: 1 Eligibility: Eligible for reappointment Gender: Female
Seat: 11 - Riverbend Historic District		
Elaine Estes 944 Ninth Street Des Moines 50309	(C): (D): (E): 515 244-1462 (W):	Term expires: 10/18/2001 Took office: 10/18/1983 Appointed by: 6 - At Large B - Coleman Residing in Ward: 3 Eligibility: Not eligible for reappointment Gender: Female
Seat: 06 - Professional		
Scotney J Fenton 1245 42nd Street Des Moines 50311	(C): (D): (E): 515 277-8934 (W): 515 288-3141	Term expires: 10/18/2011 Took office: 9/13/2004 Appointed by: 4 - Ward 4 Residing in Ward: 1 Eligibility: Not eligible for reappointment Gender: Male
Seat: 10 - Professional		
Martha Green 815 8th Street Des Moines 50314	(C): (D): 515 681-2030 (E): (W):	Term expires: 10/18/2018 Took office: 3/7/2016 Appointed by: 7 - Mayor Residing in Ward: 3 Eligibility: Eligible for reappointment Gender: Female
Seat: 04 - Sherman Hill		
Michael Hildebrand 410 Franklin Avenue Des Moines 50314	(C): (D): 515 271-0683 (E): (W): 515 248-8631	Term expires: 10/18/2018 Took office: 10/24/2016 Appointed by: 1 - Ward 1 Residing in Ward: 1 Eligibility: Eligible for reappointment Gender: Male
Seat: 07 - Professional		
Pamela Steffen 5221 Village Run Avenue, Unit 90 Des Moines 50317	(C): 515 402-6370 (D): 515 402-6370 (E): (W): 515 402-6370	Term expires: 10/18/2019 Took office: 7/11/2016 Appointed by: 2 - Ward 2 Residing in Ward: 2 Eligibility: Eligible for reappointment Gender: Female
Seat: 08 - Professional		

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York A Taenzer	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2009
1605 Woodland Avenue	(D):	Took office:	9/13/2004
Des Moines 50309	(E): 515 288-8984	Appointed by:	7 - Mayor
	(W): 515 288-5719	Residing in Ward:	3
Seat: 03 - Sherman Hill		Eligibility:	Not eligible for reappointment
		Gender:	Male

Aaron L Todd	(C): 515 450-0704	Term expires:	2/3/2015
1334 9th Street	(D): 515 242-5229	Took office:	4/21/2014
Des Moines 50314	(E): 515 720-1765	Appointed by:	7 - Mayor
	(W): 515 242-5229	Residing in Ward:	1
Seat: 12 - River Bend Historic District		Eligibility:	Eligible for reappointment
		Gender:	Male

James Trower	(C):	Term expires:	10/18/2019
112 10th Street Unit 302	(D): 515 330-8511	Took office:	2/19/2018
Des Moines 50309	(E):	Appointed by:	5 - At Large A - Boesen
	(W):	Residing in Ward:	3
Seat: 05 - Professional		Eligibility:	Vacant
		Gender:	Male

 Vacancy	(C):	Term expires:	3/28/2020
	(D):	Took office:	
	(E):	Appointed by:	7 - Mayor
	(W):	Residing in Ward:	0
Seat: 02 - Owls Head		Eligibility:	Eligible for reappointment
		Gender:	—

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-----Original Message-----

From: website@dmgov.org [mailto:website@dmgov.org]

Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 10:52 PM

To: BoardAppointments

Subject: Apply to Serve on a City Board - form submission

First Name: Sondra

Last Name: Ashmore

Home Address: 338 29th Street

Unit #:

City: Des Moines

State: IA

Zip: 50312

Daytime Phone: 515-782-1025

Alternate Phone: 515-564-2704

Email: sondra1130@yahoo.com

Occupation: Information Technology

Occupation Duration: 18 years

Employer: W.R. Berkley

Employment Duration: 7 months

Business Address 1:

Business Address 2:

Business City: Urbandale

Business State: IA

Business Zip: 50322

Business Phone: 515-564-2704

Business Fax:

Birth Date: 11/30/1976

Gender: Female

Are you a Des Moines resident?: No Answer

Ward: Ward 3

Residency Duration: 3 years

Are you a registered voter?: Yes

Have you been previously employed by the City of Des Moines?: No

City Employed Relatives: none

Have you have served on Any Board, Commission, or Committee?: Yes

List Boards, Commissions and Committees and Date(s) served: TAI Women of Innovation Committee - 2011 - present Lt. Governor's STEM education committee - 2012

List Boards, Agencies, Civic, Service and/or Professional Organizations to which you are affiliated: Des Moines Historical Society, Des Moines Rehabbers Club, Technology Association of Iowa, Global Insurance Incubator

Indicate other experiences or skills which will contribute to the mission of this Board, Commission or Committee: I worked in a real estate investment organization for 3.5 years. I have helped fundraise for Salisbury Home and Gardens and have also done extensive research both on my home and the Owl's Head neighborhood. I have rolled up my sleeves and worked hard to restore my home to it's original design. My home's renovations will be featured in the 2018 Holiday Welcome Home magazine.

First Board: Historic Preservation Commission

Second Board: --- Select One ---

Third Board: --- Select One ---

Fourth Board: --- Select One ---

Fifth Board: --- Select One ---

Most board seats have no special requirement other than being a citizen of Des Moines. However, some seats require special criteria for members.: Citizen of Des Moines, Demonstrated interest and experience in historical renovation, restoration or preservation, Experience in Real Estate or Real Estate Financing, Reside in the Owls Head, Sherman Hill Historic, or Riverbend District in Des Moines

Comments:

Signature: Sondra Ashmore

Submitted: 2/21/2018 10:51:36 PM