

TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO

STAFF REPORT

August 26, 2014

For the Meeting of September 9, 2014

TO: Town Council
FROM: David Donery, Community Services Director
SUBJECT: Youth Commissioner Appointments

RECOMMENDATION

That Council approve the recommendations from the Arts Commission, Historical Commission, Library Advisory Board, Open Space Committee, Parks and Recreation Commission, and Quality of Life Commission.

BACKGROUND

In 2009, the Town Council approved the addition of a youth member to the Parks and Recreation Commission. This was very successful and produced not only a youth voice on the Commission, but also created an important link to Drake High School's Leadership program.

In December of 2010, the Town Council approved the expansion of the membership of the Arts Commission, Historical Commission, Library Advisory Board, Open Space Committee, Parks and Recreation Commission, and Quality of Life Commission to allow for the addition of a youth member for a period of 12 months commencing in July of 2011.

In January of 2014, the Town Council approved expanding the membership of the Arts Commission, Historical Commission, Open Space Committee, Parks and Recreation Commission, Library Advisory Board and Quality of Life Commission, if desired, to allow for two youth members for a trial period of 12 months.

DISCUSSION

The Community Services Director conducted a recruitment process during the spring of 2014. This process resulted in two applicants and the recruitment of two Youth Commissioners. Applicants were interviewed by each Commission and recommendations were approved. Below is a table of each Commission's selection for the 2014/2015 term:

Board, Commission, or Committee	Youth Commissioner*
Library Advisory	Pete Galli
Parks and Recreation	Jeremy Leary

* Both Commissioners are current students at Sir Francis Drake High School.

Respectfully submitted,



David Donery
Community Services Director

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