

## *CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REQUEST FORM*

DATE OF COUNCIL MEETING: February 3, 2016

WHO IS REQUESTING: Jill Spencer

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TITLE OF ITEM FOR AGENDA: Appointment of Planning Commissioner

LENGTH OF TIME REQUESTING: 5 Minutes

DETAILED REASON FOR REQUEST & EXPLANATION:

Due to the unexpected passing of George Van Nosdol, there is a vacancy on the Payson City Planning Commission. In accordance with the regulations of the Zoning Ordinance, the Mayor, with the advice and consent of the City Council, will appoint a resident to fill the position until the regular appointment of Planning Commission members in April 2016. At that time, the person selected to serve on the Planning Commission is eligible to seek a full term, but in accordance with the Zoning Ordinance this appointment is only effective until April.

Mayor Moore will present a name at the City Council meeting. Any questions may be directed to Mayor Moore in advance of the meeting, or any member of the City Council may request an executive session to discuss the competency of the individual. The mayoral appointment requires a consenting vote by a majority of the City Councilmembers.

The service provided by those serving on the Planning Commission is very important in the development process of the City. As a valuable advisory body to the City Council, the Planning Commission is expected to provide meaningful recommendations regarding the preparation and implementation of the Payson City General Plan and the adopted land use regulations without regard to personal bias, agendas, or relationships.

**Potential Action by the City Council**

It is anticipated that the City Council will consider the name presented by the Mayor and provide advice in relation to the proposed appointment and consent to appoint the individual to the Planning Commission. Questions in relation to the candidates may be forwarded to the Mayor in advance of the meeting.