



TO: Logan Municipal Council

FROM: Mayor Mark A. Anderson

DATE: October 6, 2026

RE: Board Appointments

At the October 6, 2026, Council meeting, I will request ratification of the following.

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

Rachel Behm - Reappointment

Val Christensen - Reappointment

Alyson Ward - Reappointment

Civil Service Commission

Bill Peterson – Reappointment

Robert D. Payne (Bob) – New Appointment

Thank you.

Robert D. Payne (Bob)

Bob is a highly experienced Certified Public Accountant (CPA) and Chief Financial Officer (CFO) who would bring an elite skill set in auditing, fiscal compliance, and data-driven analysis to the Logan City Civil Service Commission. A native of Northern Utah and a proud Utah State University alumnus, Bob is deeply invested in the local community and committed to fostering civic trust through transparency, objectivity, and meticulous policy review.

Bob's career is built on a foundation of independent oversight and structural investigation. He began his professional path as a CPA at Ernst & Young in Salt Lake City, where he performed complex financial audits for major SEC-regulated corporations, including Kennecott and Morton Thiokol. This demanding public accounting background instilled a standard of professional skepticism, evidence evaluation, and objective reporting—skills directly transferable to analyzing personnel data, department policies, and compliance measures as part as of the Civil Service Commission.

For over three decades, Bob has served as a senior financial leader, including his role as Chief Financial Officer at Central Milling in Logan, Ut since 1994. In this capacity, he directs the company's internal auditing, financial planning, human resource, data analysis, and regulatory compliance. His extensive, practical experience in uncovering discrepancies, managing sensitive record-keeping, and ensuring strict adherence to complex regulations makes him an exceptionally qualified asset for an independent body tasked with unbiased, evidence-based review.