

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors
FROM: Holly Heinzen, Chief Assistant County Executive Officer
DATE: January 22, 2013
SUBJECT: COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS – Introduce an Ordinance amending the provision in Placer County Code Section 17.60.040A (2) that requires the at-large members of the Planning Commission to reside in the unincorporated area of Placer County

ACTION REQUESTED:

Introduce an Ordinance amending the provision in Placer County Code Section 17.60.040A (2) that requires the at-large members of the Planning Commission to reside in the unincorporated areas of Placer County

RECOMMENDATION

Currently the provision states that the two at-large Planning Commission members must reside in the unincorporated area of the county. Your Board is being asked to consider amending the provision to allow for potential applicants who reside in the incorporated areas of Placer County to serve as at-large members of the Placer County Planning Commission.

If approved, the attached ordinance shall read as follows:

Section 1: That Article 17.60, Section 17.60.040 of Chapter 17 of the Placer County Code is hereby amended and shall read as follows:

ARTICLE 17.60: ZONING ADMINISTRATION

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SEC. 17.60.040 Planning commission

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A. Appointment and term of office.

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2. Two commissioners shall be at-large members of the planning commission. The at-large members shall be residents of the ~~unincorporated area of the county~~ and can be nominated by any supervisor but require approval by a majority vote of the supervisors. One at-large commissioner shall reside east of the Sierra Crest in an unincorporated area of the county and will be appointed to recognize the unique nature of that region. The term of this commissioner will commence January 1, 1998 and run for one year to January 1, 1999 and then a new term will continue on four year intervals thereafter. If a vacancy occurs during any term, any appointee will only complete the unexpired balance of the then current term. The other at-large commissioner shall reside west of the Sierra Crest in an ~~unincorporated part of the county~~. The term of this at-large commissioner will commence January 1, 1998 **2013, for a term of four (4)** and run for ~~three years~~. Starting January 1, 2001, this at-large commissioner's term will become a four year term and continue on four year intervals thereafter. A vacancy in this appointment during the period January 1, 1998 and January 1, 2001 shall be filled only for the unexpired balance of the short term. Thereafter, **A** a vacancy in this appointment will be filled only for the unexpired balance of the then current four year term.

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FISCAL IMPACT:
None

Before the Board of Supervisors County of Placer, State of California

In the matter of: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING
ARTICLE 17.60 of CHAPTER 17 REGARDING
APPOINTMENT OF AT-LARGE MEMBERS TO
THE PLANNING COMMISSION

Ord. No. _____
First Reading: _____

The following ORDINANCE was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer at a regular meeting held _____, by the following vote on roll call:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

Attest:
Clerk of said Board

Jim Holmes, Chairman, Board of Supervisors

Ann Holman

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF PLACER, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DOES
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