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City of Carson City Agenda Report

Date Submitted: May 25, 2010 Agenda Date Req

Agenda Date Requested: June 3, 2010
Time Requested: Consent

To: Mayor and Supervisors

From: Larry Werner, City Manager

Subject Title: Action to appoint one member to the Library Board of Trustees for a 4 year term to expire June 2014. (*Larry Werner*)

Staff Summary: Carson City resolution 2000-R-42 and N.R.S 379.020 provide for the Board of Supervisors to appoint five competent persons who are residents of the county to serve as county library trustees. There is one vacancy for a four year term due to an existing member's term expiring. Robert Kennedy has requested reappointment. There are no other applicants.

Type of Action Requested: (check one) () Resolution () Ordinance () Formal Action/Motion () Other (Specify)
Does This Action Require A Business Impact Statement: () Yes (X) No
Recommended Board Action: I move to reappoint Robert Kennedy to the Library Board of Trustees to a 4 year term expiring June 2014.
Explanation for Recommended Board Action: See Staff Summary.
Applicable Statute, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation: Resolution 2000-R-42 and N.R.S. 379.020.
Fiscal Impact: None
Explanation of Impact: n/a
Funding Source: n/a

Alternatives: Reopen the position announcement for additional applicants.

Supporting Material: Requests for reappointment, roster, recruitment announcement,

Resolution 2000-R-42 and N.R.S. 379.020.

Prepared By: Rose Gardner, Management Assistant

Reviewed By: (City Manager)	2	Date:	5/28	5/10
(District Attorney)	ta	Date:_ _5	· 32· 10	
Board Action Taken:				
Motion:				Aye/Nay
(Vote Recorded By)				

Rose Gardner - reappointment to Library Board of Trutees

From:

Robert and Joanne Kennedy <robjokenn@webtv.net>

To:

<rgardner@ci.carson-city.nv.us>

Date:

4/30/2010 5:31 PM

Subject: reappointment to Library Board of Trutees

Rose Gardner Carson City Executive Offices 201 N. Carson Street, Suite#2 Carson City, Nv. 89701

Dear Rose,

Please see this as my request to be reappointed to the Library Board of Trustees.

If I need to appear before the Board of Supervisors please let me know when.

Sincerely,

Robert Kennedy

UPDATED: 11/05/09

CARSON CITY LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

MEMBER Maxine Nietz 1005 W. Long Street Carson City NV 89703 887-1294(w & h) 691-6355 (c) ccnv@sbcglobal.net	APPOINTMENT Initial Term 8/06 Reappt 06/09	TERM EXPIRES 6/2013
Drew Simmons 1721 Darin Ct. Carson City, NV 89701 885-0671 x-15 (w) 7671-7030 (c) D_smmns@yahoo.com	Initial partial Term 11/09	6/2013
Sandy Foley 4455 Combs Canyon Road Carson City NV 89706 283-2816 (w) 882-1394 (h) ccsandyf@sbcglobal.net	Initial partial Term 9/07 Reapppt 06/08	6/2012
Phyllis Patton (Chair) 10 Combs Circle Carson City, NV 89703 885-9807 (w & h) phylpat@att.net	Initial Term 8/03 Reappt. 6/07	6/2011
Robert Kennedy 2193 Shadow Brook Ct. Carson City, NV 89703 883-0317 (w& h) robjokenn@webtv.net	Initial partial term 1/06 Reappt. 6/06	6/2010

AUTHORITY: N.R.S. 379.020 five members, 4 year terms, can serve two consecutive terms. No trustee shall serve more than two full consecutive terms. The Board of Supervisors approves the appointment. The Chairman is elected by the Trustees and serves a term of one year and may be reelected in subsequent years.

<u>MEETINGS:</u> The Board meets every fourth Thursday of the month at 5:30 p.m. in the Sierra Room at the Community Center, with the exception of August and December unless there are important issues pending.

PURPOSE: To govern all library policy and to hold property and effects of the library in trust for the public.

TYPICAL DUTIES:

- Establish, supervise and maintain the library.
- Appoint, evaluate, and if necessary, dismiss the library director.
- Hold property and effects of library in trust for the public.
- Submit annual budgets to Carson City Board of Supervisors.
- Establish by-laws and regulations for management of library and board.

Coordinator: Sara Jones, Carson City Library.

Attorney Assignment: Thoran Towler, District Attorney's Office

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CARSON CITY LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Carson City Board of Supervisors is seeking applications from persons interested in serving on the Carson City Library Board of Trustees. This Committee oversees all Library policy and budgets. They meet the 4th Thursday of every month at 5:30 p.m. at the Community Center, in the Sierra Room. Applicants must be willing to serve approximately six to eight hours a month. There is one opening for a four year term, expiring June 2014.

The Board of Supervisors shall appoint a qualified person who is a resident and registered voter of Carson City to the board for four years. Applications will be accepted until May 17, 2010.

Let it be known that all applications submitted to this office for this position will be considered public information.

Volunteer applications may be obtained on our website or by contacting:

CARSON CITY EXECUTIVE OFFICES
201 N. Carson Street #2
Carson City, Nevada 89701
(775) 887-2100 FAX 887-2286
E-Mail Rgardner@ci.carson-city.nv.us
Web Page http://www.carson-city.nv.us
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RESOLUTION NO. 2000-R-42

A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION 1999-R-18 BY ADDING THE CARSON CITY LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO THE CARSON CITY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ESTABLISHED LIST OF BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS AND THEIR ESTABLISHED METHODS FOR APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO CERTAIN BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.

WHEREAS, the Carson City Board of Supervisors has the authority pursuant to the Carson City Municipal Code and the Nevada Revised Statutes to appoint members to certain boards and commissions; and

WHEREAS, NRS 379.020 specifically states that vacant positions on the Carson City Library Board of Trustees must be filled by the Carson City Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS, Carson City Charter Section 2.320 provides that the Board of Supervisors may, by resolution or ordinance, create advisory boards to advise the board in specific areas of local government including public safety, public employees, finance, human resources, public property and facilities; and

WHEREAS, the voluntary contribution of time and effort of the citizens who serve on Carson City's boards and commissions is a valuable asset which should be managed in the most efficient and effective way; and

WHEREAS, the Board passed Resolution 1992-R-11 at is February 20, 1992 meeting and amended that Resolution by passing Resolution 1993-R-58 at its June 3, 1993 meeting and amended that Resolution by passing Resolution 1994-R-18 at its February 17, 1994 meeting and amended that Resolution by passing Resolution 1999-R-18 at its February 18, 1999 meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to amend Resolution 1999-R-18 by adding the Carson City Library Board of Trustees to the list of boards and commissions that are exempt from the appointment process referred to in the following paragraph (3).

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors resolves as follows:

1. The Carson City Personnel Manager shall publicize vacancies on the City's boards and commissions and solicit and review applications for membership for interested citizens.

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- 2. When a board or commission is first created, the members shall be appointed by the Board of Supervisors after review of the applications and interviews.
- 3. After the initial formation of a board or commission, any vacancy occurring for any reason shall be filled by the following method:
 - a. The remaining members of the public body, if the number constitutes a quorum, shall review the applications submitted to the Personnel Manager and shall by majority vote select a number of people equal to the number of vacancies occurring and shall submit those names to the Board of Supervisors for approval.
 - b. Upon receipt of the recommendations of a public body for the appointment or reappointment of a member, the Board of Supervisors may confirm or reject the recommendation or the Board of Supervisors may interview the applicants.
 - Any member of a board or commission whose term is near expiration may apply for reappointment by sending a letter seeking reappointment to the Personnel Manager on or before the date of the expiration of his or her term. An application and an interview are not necessary. Reappointment shall be in the manner provided in paragraph a.
- 4. The provisions of paragraph 3 above do not apply to the following Carson City boards and commissions: Parks and Recreation Commission, Planning Commission, Carson City Convention and Visitor's Bureau, Charter Review Committee, Open Space Advisory Committee, Storm Drainage Advisory Committee, Carson River Advisory Committee, Carson City Public Transit Advisory Committee, Redevelopment Citizen's Committee, Building and Fire Appeals Board, Capital Projects Advisory Committee, Airport Authority, the Regional Transportation Commission and the Carson City Library Board of Trustees. For the boards and commissions mentioned in this paragraph (4) the screening of applicants, interview of prospective members and appointment shall be conducted by the Board of Supervisors unless otherwise provided by statute.
 - a. Any member of a board or commission referred to in paragraph (4) whose term is near expiration may apply for reappointment by sending a letter seeking reappointment to the Personnel Manager on or before the date of the expiration of his or her term. The applicant will not be required to fill out a new application, however, he or she must participate in the interview process with the other prospective members, if any, conducted by the Board of Supervisors.

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Any provisions of Resolutions 1992-R-11, 1993-R-58, 1994-R-18 or 1999-R-18 5. which are inconsistent with this resolution are hereby rescinded. ADOPTED this 7thday of September 2000. AYES: Supervisors Robin Williamson Jon Plank Pete Livermore Kay Bennett Ray Masayko, Mayor NAYES: Supervisors None ABSENT Supervisors None RAY MASAYKO, MAYOR GLOVER, Clerk/Recorder

COUNTY, DISTRICT, CONSOLIDATED AND TOWN LIBRARIES

NRS 379.010 County library: Establishment and maintenance; county library fund.

- 1. The board of county commissioners of each county may set apart a sum of money to be used in the establishment and maintenance of a public library in the county. Each year thereafter the board of county commissioners may set apart an amount of money for the purpose of operating and maintaining the library.
 - 2. The fund so created is the county library fund.

[1:187:1925; A 1927, 84; 1943, 53; 1949, 110; 1955, 333]—(NRS A 1957, 20; 1967, 1060; 1981, 997)

NRS 379.020 Trustees of county library: Appointment; terms; vacancies; compensation; expenses; removal.

- 1. The board of county commissioners shall appoint five competent persons who are residents of the county to serve as county library trustees. Three trustees shall hold office for the terms of 1, 2 and 3 years respectively, and two trustees shall hold office for terms of 4 years. Annually thereafter, the board of county commissioners shall appoint one trustee who shall hold office for a term of 4 years, except that in those years in which the terms of two trustees expire, the board of county commissioners shall appoint two trustees for terms of 4 years. County library trustees shall hold office until their successors are appointed and qualified.
- 2. No trustee may be appointed to hold office for more than two consecutive 4-year terms.
- 3. All vacancies which may occur at any time in the office of county library trustee must be filled by appointment by the board of county commissioners.
- 4. County library trustees serve without compensation, except that the board of county commissioners may provide for compensation in an amount of not more than \$40 per meeting, with a total of not more than \$80 per month, and may provide travel expenses and subsistence allowance for the members in the same amounts as are allowed for employees of the county library.
- 5. The board of county commissioners may remove any trustee who fails, without cause, to attend three successive meetings of the trustees.

[2:187:1925; A 1956, 214]—(NRS A 1959, 329; 1967, 1060; 1971, 133; 1981, 997; 1989, 612)

NRS 379.021 County library district: Procedure for formation; levy of tax for maintenance; library fund; separate account for gift fund and library fund.

1. Whenever in any county a petition or petitions praying for the formation of a county library district and the establishment of a public library therein setting forth the boundaries of the proposed library district, certified by the district judge of any judicial district as being signed by 10 percent of the taxpayers or by taxpayers representing 10 percent of the taxable property in the proposed county library district, as shown by the last preceding assessment roll of the county, is presented to the board of county commissioners of the county in which the territory of the proposed county library district is situated, accompanied by an affidavit or affidavits of one or more of the signers thereof that the signatures thereto are genuine, the board of county commissioners shall, at its next regular meeting after the petition or petitions are so presented:

- (a) Pass a resolution to the effect that a county library district with properly defined boundaries is to be established and cause to be published a notice thereof in a newspaper of general circulation within the district once a week for a period of 2 weeks; and
- (b) Allow 30 days after the first publication of the notice during which all taxpayers of the district in which the district library is to be situated have the right to file protests with the county clerk.
- 2. If the aggregate of protests is less than 10 percent of the taxpayers voting in the last general election, the board of county commissioners shall order the creation of the county library district and the establishment of a public library therein and levy taxes in support and continued maintenance of the library in accordance with subsection 5.
- 3. If the aggregate of protests is more than 10 percent of the taxpayers voting in the last general election, the board of county commissioners shall proceed no further with reference to the establishment of a county library district without submitting the question to the voters at a primary or general election.
- 4. If the majority of votes cast at the election is against the establishment of the county library district, the question is lost and the board of county commissioners shall proceed no further. If the majority of votes is in favor of the county library district, the board of county commissioners shall, within 10 days after the election, order the creation of the county library district and establishment of a public library therein.
- 5. Upon the creation of a county library district and establishment of a public library therein, the board of county commissioners shall, at the next time for levying taxes and in each year thereafter, at the time and in the manner other taxes are levied, levy a tax upon all taxable property in the county library district to create and maintain a fund known as the library fund.
- 6. All money received by the county treasurer pursuant to subsection 5 and <u>NRS</u> <u>379.026</u> may be transferred to a separate account established and administered by the trustees of a district library in accordance with the provisions of <u>NRS 354.603</u>.

(Added to NRS by 1967, 1058; A 1981, 997; 1993, 1075; 1995, 2201)

NRS 379.022 Trustees of county library district: Appointment; terms; vacancies; compensation; expenses; removal; additional trustees if service extended.

- 1. After ordering the creation of a county library district and the establishment of a public library therein as provided in <u>NRS 379.021</u>, the board of county commissioners shall appoint five competent persons who are residents of the county library district to serve as district library trustees.
 - 2. The term of office of the trustees appointed pursuant to subsection 1 is as follows:
 - (a) Three persons must be appointed for terms of 2 years.
 - (b) Two persons must be appointed for terms of 4 years.
- → Thereafter the offices of district library trustees must be filled for terms of 4 years in the order in which the terms expire. No person may be appointed to hold office for more than two consecutive 4-year terms.
- 3. A vacancy in the office of district library trustee which occurs because of expiration of the term of office must be filled by appointment by the board of county commissioners for a term of 4 years. A vacancy which occurs other than by expiration of the term must be filled by appointment by the board of county commissioners for the unexpired term.
- 4. The board of district library trustees may provide for compensation of members of the board in an amount of not more than \$40 per meeting, with a total of not more than \$80 per month, and may provide travel expenses and subsistence allowances for the members in the same amounts as are allowed for employees of the county library district.

- 5. The board of county commissioners may remove any district library trustee who fails, without cause, to attend three successive meetings of the trustees.
- 6. If the library trustees of any county library district have entered into a contract pursuant to NRS 379.060 with any city within the county, they may add to their number two additional library trustees who are appointed by the governing body of the city to represent the residents of the city. The terms of office of the two additional library trustees are 3 years or until the termination of the contract with the city for library services, if that termination occurs sooner. The additional library trustees have the same powers and duties as the trustees appointed pursuant to subsection 1.

(Added to NRS by 1967, 1059; A 1971, 133; 1981, 336, 998; 1989, 612)

NRS 379.0221 Consolidated library district: Consolidation of city into county library district in certain counties. The trustees of a county library district in any county whose population is 400,000 or more and the governing body of any city within that county may, to establish and maintain a public library, consolidate the city into the county library district.

(Added to NRS by 1985, 7; A 1989, 1923)

NRS 379.0222 Trustees of consolidated library district: Appointment; terms; compensation; removal; executive director.

- 1. After the consolidation of a city into a county library district, the board of county commissioners and the governing body of the city shall each appoint five competent persons who are residents of the new consolidated library district to serve as trustees.
- 2. The terms of office of the trustees appointed pursuant to subsection 1 are as follows:
- (a) Three persons appointed by each governing body must be appointed for terms of 4 years.
 - (b) Two persons so appointed must be appointed for terms of 2 years.
- → Thereafter the offices of trustees must be filled for terms of 4 years in the order in which the terms expire. No person may be appointed to hold office for more than two consecutive terms.
- 3. A vacancy in the office of trustee which occurs because of the expiration of the term must be filled by appointment for a term of 4 years. A vacancy which occurs other than by expiration of the term must be filled by appointment for the unexpired term.
- 4. The trustees are entitled to receive a salary of \$40 per meeting, but not more than \$80 per month, in addition to the travel and subsistence allowances in the same amounts as are provided for employees of the consolidated library district.
- 5. The board of county commissioners or governing body of the city, as the case may be, may remove any trustee appointed by it:
 - (a) For cause, as described in NRS 283.440; or
 - (b) Who fails, without good cause, to attend three successive meetings of the trustees.
- 6. The trustees may appoint an executive director for the consolidated library district who serves at the pleasure of the trustees.

(Added to NRS by 1985, 7; A 1989, 613; 1993, 2547)