



## MEMORANDUM

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Date: October 1, 2013 – 6:00 p.m. work session  
To: Mayor Stephens and City Council  
From: Dara MacDonald  
RE: General items

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### **I. Planning Commission applicant**

An application to join the Planning Commission is attached. An interview has been scheduled for 6:00 p.m. There is one opening for an alternate position at this time. An opening for a full member is anticipated when Cheryl Brown-Kovacic vacates her seat to assume her anticipated position as City Treasurer next month.

### **II. Fire Authority**

Staff has been participating in ongoing discussions about the potential creation of a fire authority in Chaffee County and would like to update Council on the substance of the discussions and next steps.

### **III. Holiday decorations**

Following discussions with the Council about the desire to increase holiday decorations in City parks and facilities staff has come up with an initial plan with a cost of approximately \$5,000. Staff would like to review the proposed plans with Council during the work session.

### **IV. Upcoming meetings**

October 10<sup>th</sup> – Chisholm Pavilion grand opening, 4:00 p.m.  
October 15<sup>th</sup> – Budget work session 7:00 a.m.  
October 29<sup>th</sup> – Budget work session 7:00 a.m.  
November 19<sup>th</sup> – Budget work session (if needed) 7:00 a.m.



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APPLICATION FOR CITY OF SALIDA  
COMMITTEES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS

DATE 9-25-13  
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APPLYING FOR:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Board of Adjustment              | <input type="checkbox"/> Salida/Chaffee County Airport Board |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board of Appeals                 | <input type="checkbox"/> SteamPlant Commission               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Historic Preservation Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Tree Board                          |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Planning Commission   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation Advisory Board        |  |

Please fill out the following information about yourself and why you are applying for this position. (Attach resume or extra sheets if necessary)

BACKGROUND AND/OR EXPERIENCE (Business and/or Personal):

• Retired teacher - Social Studies (History, Civics, Geography, Economics) = Englewood, Colorado  
 • Adjunct Professor - Teacher Training = Metro State College of Denver  
 • Oil + Gas Geographer, Cartographer  
 • Chaffee County Census Worker 2010  
 • 'BEST' Grant volunteer  
 • Heart of the Rockies Hospital Healing Garden Volunteer  
 • KHEN radio-volunteer

• Vino Salida - Tasting room manager + volunteer

PERSONAL AND JOB RELATED INTERESTS:

- outdoor pursuits - Hiking, Cycling, XC Skiing
- Educational excellence in our schools
- Regional History

REASONS FOR APPLYING:

My desire is to work with the Community to maintain the character and vitality of our town. My background in geography and my work as a volunteer prepares me for the planning commission. I am concerned about sensible growth to satisfy our communities broad based needs.

Thank you for applying. Salida City Council

Please return the completed application to:

[audrey.gilpin@cityofsalida.com](mailto:audrey.gilpin@cityofsalida.com)

- Or -

Deputy City Clerk

City Hall

448 E. 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Suite 112

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