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3 citizen members

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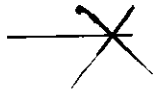
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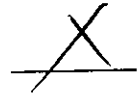


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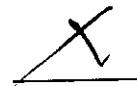
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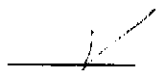
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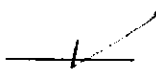
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2-26-13

From: Josh Sawislak <jsawislak@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2013 7:41 AM
To: Allison Silberberg; William Euille; John Chapman; Timothy Lovain; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Justin Wilson
Cc: Jackie Henderson
Subject: Planning Commission Recommendation for Danielle Fidler

Mayor Euille, Vice Mayor Silberberg, and Members of the Council,

Within the charter of the EPC is the role to provide recommendations to Council and the Planning Commission, so we decided at our meeting last night that a logical extension of that role would be to inform Council that the Commission strongly supports the application of Danielle Fidler for appointment to the Planning Commission. It was the unanimous decision of the Commission that I write to you this morning to let you know that the EPC believes that Ms. Fidler's appointment would bring great value and honor to the Planning Commission. As you know, she served for ten years on the EPC as both member and chair and was the driving force behind the Eco-City Charter and Environmental Action Plan. Ms. Fidler's strong commitment to the City, its citizens, and our environment would bring an important perspective to the Planning Commission as we collectively make decisions that will affect us and the next generation of Alexandrians.

Today I proudly write on behalf of the entire Commission in making this recommendation, but I would also like to add personally that I have found Danielle's service on the EPC as a model of citizen involvement in one's community and personally inspiring. As a federal environmental attorney, Danielle has certainly demonstrated her desire to improve our community, nation, and planet, but in spite of the many demands on her schedule, she made time for ten years to serve on and lead the EPC. It was Danielle who encouraged me accept a leadership position on the EPC and has always encouraged me and others to fight to make Alexandria a better place for all of us.

I know that you have many applicants for this position and that your decision today will not be an easy one. I can only tell you that from my perspective and that of your environmental policy commission, selecting Danielle Fidler to serve on the Planning Commission is a decision that will pay dividends to all of us for years to come.

Respectfully submitted,

Josh Sawislak, AICP
Chair
City of Alexandria
Environmental Policy Commission
jsawislak@gmail.com

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Jackie Henderson

From: carterflemming@gmail.com
Sent: Monday, February 25, 2013 12:32 PM
To: City Council; City Council Aides; JoAnn Maldonado; Elaine Scott; Jackie Henderson
Subject: Call.Click.Connect. #29643: Mayor, Vice Mayor, City Council I am writing to support Derek Hyra for a

Dear *Call.Click.Connect.* User

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Request Details:

- Name: Carter Flemming
- Address: No Address Specified
- Phone Number: 703-461-9099
- Email: carterflemming@gmail.com
- Service Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, City Council
- Request Description: I am writing to support Derek Hyra for a position on the Planning Commission. As a fellow board member with Derek on ARHA, I have had the opportunity to work closely with him and observe his range of knowledge and leadership skills. The fact that he was able to become Chair of the ARHA Board after a short time on the board indicates his ability to work with others to achieve consensus and compromise when necessary. I think this is a skill that is very much needed on the Planning Commission. His educational and professional background in urban issues will provide him a strong foundation to make the tough decisions that are necessary on the Planning Commission. I urge you to appoint Derek to the Planning Commission as I believe he will work as hard as he can to represent the interests of all the citizens of Alexandria.
- Expected Response Date: Monday, March 4

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Jackie Henderson

From: ginabaum@aol.com
Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2013 2:35 PM
To: City Council; City Council Aides; JoAnn Maldonado; Elaine Scott; Jackie Henderson
Subject: Call.Click.Connect. #29708: Mayor, Vice Mayor, City Council Endorsement of Nate Macek for Planning C

Dear *Call.Click.Connect.* User

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Request Details:

- Name: Gina Baum
- Address: No Address Specified
- Phone Number: 703-548-4690
- Email: ginabaum@aol.com
- Service Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, City Council
- Request Description: Endorsement of Nate Macek for Planning Comm.

Dear Mayor Euille, Vice Mayor Silberberg and Council Members,

As Chair of the Waterfront Commission, Nate Macek has proven skills as a leader. He has kept the peace in tense situations, brokered agreements between opposing factions and moved stalemates forward for betterment of the City and the Waterfront. His work on the Waterfront Work Group demonstrated his ability to moderate positions in difficult circumstances. As a member of the the Planning Commission, Nate's temperament, skills of leadership, and ability to negotiate seemingly insurmountable differences will no doubt be valuable assets on the Commission. His knowledge of City issues and his experience in the community make him the best candidate to serve on the Planning Commission moving forward.

Many thanks,
Gina Baum
District I Commissioner, Parks & Rec Commission, & Waterfront Commissioner

- Expected Response Date: Tuesday, March 5

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