



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, September 11, 2018

Council Session

Item G-3

Approving Appointment of Jaimie Parr to the Library Board

Mayor Jensen has submitted the appointment of Jaimie Parr to the Library Board to replace Rob Czaplewski who retired. The appointment would become effective immediately upon approval by the City Council and would expire on June 30, 2020.

Staff Contact: Mayor Jeremy Jensen



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TO: Mayor Jeremy Jensen
FROM: Steve Fosselman, Library Director
RE: Library Board Appointment

August 22, 2018

On behalf of the Grand Island Public Library board of trustees, I am forwarding to you their recommendation for filling a vacancy on the board, and asking for your approval and City Council confirmation at the September 11, 2018 meeting.

Rob Czaplewski has retired from the library board after over eight years of exemplary service including Vice President and President. Rob was appointed to fill an unexpired term on the library board in November 2009 and was in his second full term. He was instrumental in adopting the GILIBRARY 2020 plan.

The library board invited applications from community members through various channels, with responses on file in the office of City Clerk RaNae Edwards. The library board met and has approved a recommendation of the following candidate who demonstrates strong advocacy for quality library services and community betterment.

Appointment of Jaime Parr to fill the remainder of a four-year term on the library board through June 30, 2020. Jaime resides at 2106 Pioneer Boulevard in Grand Island and is employed as director of sales at the Nebraska State Fair. She is on the board of the Multicultural Coalition, is a member of Kiwanis and Grand Island Chamber Connectors, and is very involved as a community volunteer.

Thank you so much for your consideration and please let me know if you have any questions.

cc: RaNae Edwards, City Clerk
Marlan Ferguson, City Administrator
Library Board