

City of Grand Island

Tuesday, October 28, 2003 Council Session

Item G6

Approving Appointments to the Human Rights Commission

The Human Rights Commission is composed of nine members who shall be a representative cross section of the citizens of the City, appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council. Members serve 3-year terms, and no more than two consecutive terms. The Human Rights Commission does not hold regularly scheduled meetings, but is subject to call should the need arise under Chapter 11, Civil Rights, Grand Island City Code. The Code states that "appointees to said Commission shall serve terms of: Three for three years, three for two years, and three for one year" and that any vacancy shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointments. The terms of all previous commissioners have expired. The nine proposed commissioners would serve terms as follows:

Irene Abernethy November 1, 2003-October 31, 2006 November 1, 2003-October 31, 2006 Reverend Tim Anderson Mercedes Ayala November 1, 2003-October 31, 2006 Kris Nolan Brown November 1, 2003-October 31, 2005 Jacinto Corona November 1, 2003-October 31, 2005 November 1, 2003-October 31, 2005 Dr. Jim Keyser Anita Lewandowski November 1, 2003-October 31, 2004 Karina Morales November 1, 2003-October 31, 2004 Jose Zapata November 1, 2003-October 31, 2004

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