

# Consent Agenda

<b>Agenda Item #</b>	4F
<b>Meeting Date</b>	November 25, 2013
<b>Prepared By</b>	Jessie Carpenter City Clerk
<b>Reviewed By</b>	Brian T. Kenner City Manager

<b>Discussion Item</b>	Resolution Providing for Appointments to the Residential Streetscape Task Force
<b>Background</b>	<p>On June 3, 2013, the City Council heard a presentation from residents on improving the streetscape of Takoma Park's residential neighborhoods. The report included two short term recommendations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The Council should adopt residential streetscape guidelines. The guidelines could be developed by staff and submitted to the community for comment or the guidelines could be developed by a committee of residents and submitted to the staff for comments.</li> <li>2. The Council should consider appointing a temporary committee of residents to assist in development and/or review of the streetscape guidelines, conduct community outreach, and monitor implementation of the guidelines.</li> </ol> <p>Among the presenters, several expressed interest in serving on the temporary committee.</p> <p>On July 1, the City Council discussed whether the work of the temporary committee should be combined with the work of the newly re-established Safe Roadways Committee. It was decided to keep the two separate. Subsequently, the opportunity to apply to serve on the Streetscape Task Force was published in the Takoma Park Newsletter.</p> <p>The Council has reviewed applications received and desires to begin making appointments at this time. Members will continue to be recruited so as to have additional areas of the City represented on the Task Force.</p> <p>The resolution provides for the appointments of David Cookson (Ward 1), John Lorenz (Ward 1), Thomas Luebke (Ward 3), Pierre Perrolle (Ward 1), and Frances Phipps (Ward 1).</p>
<b>Policy</b>	The City Council appoints/reappoints members to City boards, commissions, and committees.
<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	N/A
<b>Attachments</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resolution</li> <li>• The complete presentation on residential streetscapes may be viewed online at: <a href="http://www.takomaparkmd.gov/citycouncil/agendas/2013-06-03">http://www.takomaparkmd.gov/citycouncil/agendas/2013-06-03</a></li> </ul>
<b>Recommendation</b>	Adopt the resolution as part of the consent agenda.

<b>Special Consideration</b>	
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Introduced by:

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND**

**RESOLUTION 2013-  
APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE RESIDENTIAL STREETSCAPE TASK FORCE**

WHEREAS, after hearing a presentation by residents interested in improving the streetscape of Takoma Park's residential neighborhoods, the City Council agreed to appoint a task force of residents to assist in development and/or review of residential streetscape guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the opportunity to serve on the task force has been advertised in the Takoma Park Newsletter and elsewhere; and

WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed applications received and has determined that the applicants are qualified for service on the task force; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND THAT:

1. The following individuals are hereby appointed to serve on the Residential Streetscape Task Force:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Ward</u>
David Cookson	1
John Lorenz	1
Thomas Luebke	3
Pierre Perrolle	1
Frances Phipps	1

2. Applications will continue to be accepted until there is more geographic diversity on the Task Force.
3. The Task Force shall complete its work and provide a report to the City Council by November 30, 2014.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2013.