



MEMORANDUM

Appointments of Pat Case to the ADA Advisory Board, Deb Curtis to the Library Advisory Board and Reappointment of Deborah Isaak to the Economic Development Advisory Commission

Item Type: Action Memorandum
Prepared For: Homer City Council
Date: March 24, 2025
From: Rachel Lord, Mayor

Pat Case is appointed to fill the seat held by Bradley Parsons, which was vacated when he moved to the Council seat on the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Advisory Board. His term will expire on August 31, 2027.

Deb Curtis is appointed to the seat held by Kate Finn who did not seek re-appointment on the Library Advisory Board. Her term to expire on April 1, 2028.

Deborah Isaak is reappointed to the Economic Development Advisory Commission for a term to expire on April 1, 2028.

Recommendation

Confirm the appointments of Pat Case to the ADA Advisory Board, Deb Curtis to the Library Advisory Board and Reappointment of Deborah Isaak to the Economic Development Advisory Commission.

Attachments:

Application of Pat Case
Application of Deb Curtis



Advisory Body Application For Appointment to Committees, Commissions, Board & Task Forces

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The Information provided on this form will provide the basic information to the Mayor and City Council on your interest in serving on the selected Advisory Body. It is considered public and will be included in the City Council meeting packet. This information will be published in the City Directory and within city web pages if you are appointed by the Mayor and your appointment is confirmed by the City Council.

Applicant Information

Full Name: Pat Case

Physical Address Where you Claim Residency: 641 W Fairview av. Homer, AK

Mailing Address: Same

City: Homer State: AK Zip: 99603

Phone Number(s): 907 399-3139

Email: patcase57@outlook.com

Advisory Body You Are Requesting Appointment To

- ☐ **Planning Commission** – Meetings held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. and Worksessions at 5:30 p.m. prior to each meeting. No first meeting in July or second meetings in November and December.
- ☐ **Parks, Art, Recreation & Culture Advisory Commission** – Meetings held on the 3rd Thursday of February through June and August through November at 5:30 p.m.
- ☐ **Port & Harbor Advisory Commission** – Meetings held on the 4th Wednesday of January, February, March, April, September, and October at 5:00 p.m.; the 4th Wednesday of May, June, July, and August at 6:00 p.m.; and the 2nd Wednesday of December at 5:00 p.m.
- ☐ **Economic Development Advisory Commission** – Meetings held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.
- ☐ **Library Advisory Board** – Meetings held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month, excluding June and July, at 5:30 p.m.
- ☒ **ADA Advisory Board** – Meetings held on the 2nd Thursday in the months of April, May, June, July, October, November, and as needed at 5:00 p.m.
- ☐ **Other** – Please Indicate _____

Please Answer the Following

Are you a City Resident? ☒ Yes ☐ No If yes, how long have you been a City resident? 43 years

How long have you been a resident of the South Peninsula Area? 43 yrs

Background Information

Have you ever served on a similar advisory body? If so please list when, where, and how long:

Please list any current memberships or organizations you belong to related to your selection(s):

Please list any special training, education, or background you may have which is related to your selection(s):

VP Board of Directors Independent Living Center (Honor)

Why are you interested in serving on the selected Advisory Body? This may include information on future goals or projects you wish to see accomplished or any additional information that may assist the Mayor in the decision making process. You may attach an additional page if needed.

they keep asking me to join
and I want to honor —
Joyanna Geisler

FOR PLANNING COMMISSION ONLY:

Have you ever developed real property other than a personal residence? If yes, briefly explain:

FOR PORT & HARBOR ADVISORY COMMISSION ONLY:

Do you use the Homer Port and/or Harbor on a regular basis? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, what is your primary use? ☐ Commercial ☐ Recreational ☐ Other: _____

Submission information

Form: [Application for Appointment to an Advisory Body](#) ^[1]
Submitted by Visitor (not verified)
Wed, 08/21/2024 - 5:46pm
209.112.137.148

Applicant Information

Full Name
Deb Curtis

Physical Address Where you Claim Residency
4225 Gavin Court

Mailing Address
4225 Gavin Court

Phone Number(s)
(907)299-1516

Email
debdcox@mac.com

Advisory Bodies
Library Advisory Board – Meetings held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month, excluding June and July, at 5:30 p.m.

Residency

Are you a City Resident? Yes

If yes, how long have you been a City Resident? 20 years

How long have you been a resident of the South Peninsula Area? 21 years

Background Information

Have you ever served on a similar advisory body?
If so please list when, where, and how long: I was on a temporary Parks and Recreation Committee in 2011 when I was a Co-Chair for the community build project for Karen Hornaday Park.

Other memberships
Please list any current memberships or organizations you belong to related to your selection(s): American Library Association, Alaska Library Association and Alaska Association of School Libraries.

Special Training & Education
Please list any special training, education, or background you may have which is related to your selection(s): Certified Teacher, Library Media Certification and Librarian at Homer High School

Why are you interested in serving on the selected Advisory Body?
Please briefly state why you are interested in serving on the advisory body selected. This may include information on future goals or projects you wish to see accomplished or any additional information that may assist the Mayor in the decision making process. I would like to see a KPBSD school librarian on the Library Advisory Board. It would be great to strengthen the connection between our school libraries and Homer Public Library. I would also like to encourage student and youth voice when advocating for our libraries.

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Links
^[1] <https://www.cityofhomer-ak.gov/cityclerk/application-appointment-advisory-body>



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Applicant Information

Full Name: Deborah Isaak (Formerly Deborah Brown)
Physical Address Where you Claim Residency: 210 Island View Ct Homer AK 99603
Mailing Address: same as above
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone Number(s): 907-756-3414
Email: islandviewgarden@gmail.com

Advisory Body You Are Requesting Reappointment To

- ☐ Planning Commission
- ☐ Parks, Art, Recreation & Culture Advisory Commission
- ☐ Port & Harbor Advisory Commission
- ☒ Economic Development Advisory Commission
- ☐ Library Advisory Board
- ☐ ADA Advisory Board
- ☐ Other - Please Indicate _____

Please Answer the Following

Do you have a current Public Official Conflict of Interest Disclosure Statement on file with the City Clerk as required by HCC 1.18.043? ☒ Yes ☐ No

What resident type is your current seat? ☒ City Resident ☐ Non-City Resident

Has your residency changed since your last appointment? ☐ Yes ☒ No

How long have you served on this advisory body? since 2017

Background Information

Please list any current memberships or organizations that you belong to related to the advisory body you serve on:

None.

Please explain why you wish to be reappointed to the Advisory Body to which you currently serve. This may include information on accomplishments or projects completed, future goals for the body, or any additional information that may assist the Mayor in the decision making process. You may attach an additional page if needed.

I have served on the EDC for the past 8 years and as Vice Chair for the past several years. I very much enjoy serving on this commission and believe I have contributed positively to this commission and the Homer community. Siting the positive contributions I've made on the EDC, Chair Marks and several fellow commissioners have encouraged me to apply for reappointment. I will gratefully continue to serve if I am reappointed. I recently married and have a name change (From Brown to Isaak). I currently live in Homer within city limits where I have lived for 25 years. At some point, possibly within the next year, I will likely move full-time to the Soldotna area. At such time I will notify the city and resign my seat. I believe I can continue to serve in a positive role in this commission seat and I am grateful for the opportunity and the Mayor's and City Council's consideration.