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Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE:

September 13, 2016

TO:

Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Julie Patterson Hunter

SUBJECT:

Appointments to the Agricultural Advisory Commission (AAC

RECOMMENDATION: Approve appointment of Mr. Mark Henry as the Viticulture Industry (grape industry) representative and Mr. Matthew Shapero as an Agricultural Interests representative to the Agricultural Advisory Commission.

FUNDING: N/A

BACKGROUND:

Currently there are three vacancies on the Agricultural Advisory Commission; one Viticulture Industry (grape industry) representative, one Forest & Related Industry representative, and one Agricultural Interests representative. These vacancies were advertised and posted on the bulletin boards outside the Board of Supervisors Chambers, Board of Supervisors Office, Madelyn Helling Library, Grass Valley Library, Truckee Library, Truckee Joseph Center, Truckee Town Hall, and the District V Board of Supervisors Office in Truckee, and on the My Nevada County website.

There were three applications submitted. Applicants were interviewed by Nevada County Board of Supervisors Chair Dan Miller, Agricultural Commissioner Ms. Chris Flores, and the Agricultural Advisory Commission Chair Mr. Terry Jochim. The interview panel recommended the appointments of Mr. Mark Henry and Mr. Matthew Shapero.

Please consider appointing Mr. Mark Henry as the Viticulture Industry (grape industry) representative for an unexpired term ending November 1, 2020, and Mr. Matthew Shapero as an Agricultural Interests representative for an unexpired term ending January 1, 2018.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Julie Patterson Hunter

Submittal Date: August 18, 2016

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