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ALEXANDRIA PARK AND RECREATION COMMISSION

(3-Year Term)

1 Representative From Planning District II

_____Montgomery Canfield

_____Gustav Chiarello

_____William Hendrickson

_____Linda Porter

_____Allison Silberberg

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Time: [Wed Jan 21, 2004 19:05:20] IP Address: [68.83.214.55]

Response requested: []

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Comments: Dear Mayor Euille, Vice Mayor Pepper, and all
City Council members: This e-mail is in support
of Gustav "Gus" Chiarello's application for a
position on the City's Park and Recreation
Commission for Planning, District II.

I am the Past President of the Rosemont Garden
Club and have worked with Gus and seen his
strong interest in the community. Gus has
assisted the Club in his efforts to improve garden
areas and I know that he has a strong interest in
the City's parks. He has become active in our
Rosemont Citizens Association activities. On a
personal level, Gus is an intelligent and highly
caring individual that could bring focus, attention

and creative scope to this position. As two of our parks are in a state of renovation -- Hoofs Run and Beach -- I would very much like to have a Rosemont resident serve in this role. Gus would be an excellent choice. Thank you for your consideration of Mr. Chiarello's application....Sincerely, Francine Neville, Past President Rosemont Garden Club, Board Member Rosemont Citizens Association, writer of Rosemont Neighborhood column, Alexandria Gazette.



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Response requested: ☐

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State: VA

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Email Address: ouibike@att.net

Comments: January 23, 2004

Dear Mayor and City Council:

I am writing to ask you to appointment Bill Hendrickson to fill the Planning District II vacancy on the Park and Recreation Commission. Bill is an active participant making substantive and positive contributions at many the public meetings in the city. Among others, he has been active in the Potomac Yards development, open space planning, and tree preservation. I have found that he thoroughly examines all sides of the issue to work toward solutions that are fair, balanced, and in the best interest of the city as a whole. With this

background I believe that he would be a valuable addition to the Commission and hope that you see likewise by appointing him to this important position.

Thank You

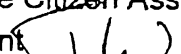
Bruce Dwyer
Park & Recreation Commissioner
Chair, Alexandria Bicycle Committee
Member, Open Space Steering Committee

Del Ray Citizens Association

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Alexandria VA 22301

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To: The Honorable Mayor & Members of the City Council
Rose Boyd, Director of the Citizen Assistance Office
From: Justin M. Wilson, President 

Date: Friday January 23, 2004

Subject: Recommendation for Alexandria Park & Recreation Commission

At your meeting on Tuesday January 27th, you will be filling a vacancy from Planning District II to the Alexandria Park & Recreation Commission.

The Executive Committee of the Del Ray Citizens Association is proud to endorse Bill Hendrickson for this vacancy. Bill continues to serve the Del Ray community in a variety of ad hoc roles—including representing Potomac West on the Potomac Yard Design Advisory Committee.

Previously Bill was President of the Del Ray Citizens Association from 2001-2002. He was a previous chair of our Land Use Committee and he was responsible for the founding of the Tree Program—which to date has planted over 100 trees on neighborhood Del Ray streets.

Bill brings with him a wealth of experience which will serve the City well in his service on this commission. He currently participates in the City Manager's Open Space Steering Committee and was a participant in the committee that examined the need for a citywide tree master plan.

Bill will make an excellent member of this important Commission and we fully support his application.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 703.363.4218. Thanks for your consideration.



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Response requested: []

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Email Address: pdclkg@msn.com

Comments: I ask that you support Bill Hednrickson to fill the
Planning District II vacancy on the Parks and
Recreation Commission. Bill has been very
active in the Del Ray Community and in the
planning for the Potomac Yard redevelopment. I
found Bill to be very deliberate, conscientious
and fair in his approach to problem solving
contentious issues - able and needed qualities in
considering future open space and recreational
needs in a city with limited space. I hope you will
give Bill due consideration for this position.
Thank You.



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Response requested: ☐

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Comments: Dear Mayor Euille, Vice Mayor Pepper, and City
Council Members:

I ask for your support of my candidacy for the
Park and Recreation Commission, District II
position, on which you will be voting Tuesday,
January 27.

Because it will be involved in implementing the
city's open space plan and recreational needs
assessment, this commission will have an
important role to play during the next few years. I
believe I can make a major contribution to these
efforts. I actively participated in the process that
led to the development of these plans. I have

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studied them carefully and given a great deal of thought as to how they can be best implemented. Currently, I am participating in the City Manager's Open Space Steering Committee as an interested citizen, developing specific actions to implement these documents so vital to the future of this city.

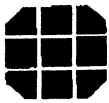
In my view, a key priority in acquiring open space should be development and completion of the multiuse trail/bicycle system that would allow residents to go virtually anywhere in the city without a car. This could be this generation's equivalent of the open space system along the waterfront. My sense is that in the years ahead, as Alexandria becomes even denser and more traffic-choked than it is today, this trail system will contribute significantly to Alexandria's quality of life. As a member of the Commission, I will work actively to seek completion of the trail system. In addition, I plan to become particularly involved with the Commission's Bicycle Study Committee.

In terms of other relevant experience, I founded the Del Ray Citizens Association's (DRCA's) tree program, which has worked closely with the city to plant more than 100 trees on neighborhood streets. After the city's environmental quality of life summit, I was involved in a committee that examined the need for a citywide tree master plan and led the organization of a conference to promote greater tree cover in Alexandria. As DRCA past president and chairman of its Land Use Committee, I actively participated in the process leading to the approval of the Potomac Yard plan, which includes a major park and recreation component. Although I currently serve as a member and chair of the Potomac Yard Design Advisory Committee, I believe that, given my support of the Open Space Steering Committee and my past citywide and neighborhood activities, I can make an even more valuable contribution to the Park and Recreation Commission.

Thank you for your consideration. Please call if you have any questions at 703-549-7365 (days) or 703-519-9410 (nights).

Sincerely,

Bill Hendrickson



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Mayor Euille & Members of the Alexandria City Council:

I am writing to recommend Mr. Gustav "Gus" Chiarello for appointment to the Alexandria Parks and Recreation Commission for Planning District II.

As a fellow Rosemont resident, my family has known Gus for nearly 15 years. As the father of three young children, he understands the important role our city's parks play in the quality of life we all enjoy. He and his wife, Jill, have also been most active in the Rosemont Garden Club which has put in countless volunteer hours improving the visual appearance of the Rosemont neighborhood.

He is a strategic planner with the foresight and vision to examine and assess not only our current resources, but how we can enhance, maximize and develop our city's resources to meet our community's future recreational needs. Additionally, he is a very capable attorney with a prestigious law firm, and, therefore he would bring much valuable legal expertise to this appointment.

As a small business owner and member of the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce, I appreciate his understanding of the important role that our parks and open space play in attracting new businesses to Alexandria. Safe parks and quality recreational services help to create a positive economic environment.

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Sincerely,

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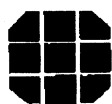
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Thank you!



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Subject: FW: Commission Appointment

Rose,

I thought I had included you but then I didn't see your name so am doing it with this message.

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Sent: Monday, January 26, 2004 1:31 PM

To: Joyce Woodson; Andrew Macdonald; Ludwig Gaines; Rob Krupicka; Paul Smedberg; Bill Euille; Del Pepper

Cc: Jackie Henderson; Lavalle, Nancy; Tom Raycroft; Elizabeth Jones; Kathryn Hubler; Joanne. Pyle; Fay Slotnick

Subject: Commission Appointment

Tomorrow night, please consider casting your vote for Bill Hendrickson for membership on the Parks and Recreation Commission. As I understand it, Bruce Dwyer is stepping down as the person on the Recreation Commission to represent the City's bicycle enthusiasts, leaving the Commission without a specific proponent. Bill would be a wise choice for that vacancy. I consider the Parks and Recreation Commission one of the City's Commissions which greatly impact the Alexandria residents. The responsibilities are varied and yet it all seems to come together to benefit all of us. I do believe that every aspect needs to be represented though with experience in the specific area and Bill certainly qualifies for biking and/or running. I appreciate your consideration.

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Response requested: ☐

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Last Name: Butler

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State: VA

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Comments: Dear Mayor Euille and Council Members:
We are writing to ask for your support of the
candidacy of Bill Hendrikson for the vacancy on
the Parks and Recreation Commission.

We believe he is well-qualified. Bill has a track
record of thoughtful activism on our City's open
space and recreation concerns, and he has direct
planning experience on related issues through his
involvement in the Potomac Yards plans.

Also, he is serving on the City Manager's Open
Space Steering Committee.

Bill is the kind of Alexandria citizen that takes all

aspects of the City's diverse population into consideration when he makes decisions, and thinks carefully about both short- and long-term consequences. He has no personal agenda other than our City's best interests -- and it is probably for this reason that many of us trust and respect his judgment on important issues before us.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,
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