# CITY OF WEST DES MOINES
# CITY COUNCIL MEETING COMMUNICATION

**ITEM:** Approval of Appointments
Public Arts Advisory Commission

**DATE:** February 23, 2015

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:** None

**BACKGROUND:**

Mayor Steven K. Gaer recommends the reappointment of current Public Arts Advisory Commissioners Diane Boyd and Brenda Sedlacek. Both Ms. Boyd and Ms. Sedlacek have served a four-year term on the commission after being appointed when it was formed on April 1, 2011. The proposed reappointment term for Ms. Boyd and Ms. Sedlacek would expire on March 31, 2019.

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| Diane Boyd | 234 57th Court | 267-8142 (h) |
| Brenda Sedlacek | 1512 S. 42nd Street | 225-5017 (h) |

The term of Public Arts Advisory Commissioner Scott Fontenot is also scheduled to expire on March 31, 2015, but he does not wish to be reappointed. Mr. Fontenot has served on the Commission since April 1, 2011, and the Mayor and City Council thank him for his service to the community. Mayor Gaer would like to appoint Ryan Crane to serve on the Bicycle Advisory Commission for a four-year term with an expiration of March 31, 2019.

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| Ryan Crane | 3963 Woodland Avenue | 240-8523 (h) |

**OUTSTANDING ISSUES** (if any): None

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Approval of appointments to Public Arts Advisory Commission

**Lead Staff Member:** Ryan T. Jacobson, City Clerk RTJ

**STAFF REVIEWS**

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| Department Director | Gary Scott, Director of Parks and Recreation |
| Appropriations/Finance | |
| Legal | |
| Agenda Acceptance | RTJ |

**PUBLICATION(S)** (if applicable)

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| Dates(s) Published | |

**SUBCOMMITTEE REVIEW** (if applicable)

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| Committee | | | |
| Date Reviewed | | | |
| Recommendation | Yes | No | Split |

## CITY OF WEST DES MOINES, IOWA

## APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

The City of West Des Moines appreciates your interest in serving the community and welcomes your application. Please complete all sections of this application. If you have any questions, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (515) 222-3600 or TDD (Hearing Impaired) (515) 222-3334. The City of West Des Moines is committed to providing equal opportunity for citizen involvement.

Please indicate those Boards and/or Commissions on which you would be willing to serve by checking below:

- [ ] Board of Adjustment
- [ ] Civil Service Commission
- [ ] Library Board of Trustees
- [ ] Plan & Zoning Commission
- [ ] Sister Cities Commission
- [ ] Bicycle Advisory Commission
- [ ] Water Works Board of Trustees
- [ ] Human Services Advisory Board
- [ ] Human Rights Commission
- [x] Public Arts Advisory Commission
- [ ] Valley Junction Events Committee
- [ ] Other _____

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Name: Crane (Last) Ryan (First) Paul (Middle)

Address: 3963 Woodland Ave (Street) West Des Moines (City) IA (State) 50266 (Zip)

Occupation: Development Director

Employer's Name & Address

Primary Health Care

9943 Hickman Rd, Suite 105 Urbandale, IA 50322

Work Phone: 515-240-8523 When can you be reached at this number?: Anytime

Home Phone: 515-240-8523 When can you be reached at this number?: Anytime

E-mail address: ryancrane83@gmail.com

Length of residence in West Des Moines: 6 years

Please list any previous Board membership positions (City, Church, School, Professional, etc.) and dates of service:

Board member- First Friday Breakfast Club Scholarship Committee Chair- First Friday Breakfast Club (2012 - Present)

Chapter Co-Director- New Leaders Council (2012 - Present)

Please indicate below the reasons why you would like to be appointed to a Board or Commission and any specific skills or experience that you believe support your application.

As a transplant to West Des Moines (moved here in 2008, upon graduating from college), I believe I have a unique perspective. I already serve as an informal "ambassador" of greater Des Moines (GDMLI class of 2014), and I am passionate about civic community engagement and involvement. I want to be a young person who makes a difference!

Please list two references other than a family member:

Name: Janet Rosenbury Relationship: Donor/colleague Phone: 515-360-8761

Name: Jonathan Wilson Relationship: Board Pres, FFBC Phone: 515-288-2500

Do you sell to, or are you in any manner a part to, any contract to furnish supplies, material, or labor to the City of West Des Moines? No If so, please list: _____

Have you ever been employed by the City? No If so, please list dates of employment and positions held.

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Do you have relatives working for the City? No If so, please give name and relationship.

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Are you being sponsored by a community organization(s)? No If so, please list the following and attach a confirmation letter from said organization:

Organization: _____ Contact: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Iowa Code Section 69.16A requires City boards/commissions to be gender balanced. Please indicate whether you are male or female.

☒ Male ☐ Female

Applicant Signature: Ryan Cisne Date: 02.19.14

**Please mail completed application to the office of the City Clerk at the following address:**

**City of West Des Moines**
**P.O. Box 65320**
**West Des Moines, Iowa 50265-0320**
**ATTN: Ryan Jacobson**