CITY OF WEST DES MOINES
CITY COUNCIL MEETING COMMUNICATION

ITEM: Approval of Appointment
Human Services Advisory Board

DATE: July 15, 2019

FINANCIAL IMPACT: None

BACKGROUND:

Jim Miller has served on the Human Services Advisory Board since July 2015, and the Mayor and City Council thank him for his service to the community. Mayor Gaer would like to appoint Chris Aldinger to serve the remainder of the three-year term on the Human Services Advisory Board with an expiration of June 30, 2021.

Chris Aldinger	2001 Ashworth Road	223-4577 (w)	249-3290 (h)

RECOMMENDATION:

Motion – Approve Mayor's recommendation for appointment to the Human Services Advisory Board.

LEAD STAFF MEMBER: Ryan T. Jacobson, City Clerk RTJ

STAFF REVIEWS

Department Director	Ryan T. Jacobson, City Clerk
Appropriations/Finance	
Legal	
Agenda Acceptance	RTJ

PUBLICATION(S) (if applicable)

Published In	
Dates(s) Published	

SUBCOMMITTEE REVIEW (if applicable)

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
- [x] Human Services Advisory Board
- [ ] Human Rights Commission
- [ ] Public Arts Advisory Commission
- [ ] Valley Junction Events Committee
- [ ] Other _____

Name: Aldinger (Last) Chris (First) _____ (Middle)

Address: 2001 Ashworth Road (Street) WDM (City) Iowa (State) 50265 (Zip)

Occupation: Director of Operations St Francis of Assisi Church

Employer's Name & Address

St Francis of Assisi 7075 Ashworth Road WDM 50266

Work Phone: 515.223.4577 When can you be reached at this number?: M-F 7:30-4

Home Phone: 515.249.3290 When can you be reached at this number?: 24/7

E-mail address: caldinger44@gmail.com

Length of residence in West Des Moines: 35 yrs

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

East South Des Moines Chamber of Commerce 2015-2018 Christ t

Des Moines Open Streets Tri Chair 2014-2017, SW 9th Street Revi

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.

i have a strong commitment in supporting people of need, our elder
I appreciate the work that WDM Human Services does and want to
having lived in WDM most of my life and now working here I want t

Please list two references other than a family member:

Name: Dave Heddinger Relationship: Friend Phone: 515.250.2396

Name: Brian Freund Relationship: Banker Phone: 515.222.2323

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.

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

Are you being sponsored by a community organization(s)? _____ 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.

[X] Male [ ] Female

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: 7-10-19

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

East South Des Moines Chamber Board 2015-2018 Member

SW 9th Street Revitalization Committee 2016-2018 Member

Christ the King Foundation Board 2005-2018 Director

Christ the King Housing Services Board 2009-2018 Executive Director

Des Moines Open Streets Community Event Tri Chair 2014-2017

Reason to Service:

I have a strong commitment in supporting people of need, elderly and affordable housing. Throughout my time work in the city proper of Des Moines I became civically minded and realized the importance. Now that I work in West Des Moines, I want to carry that over.

WDM Human Services is a well-run respected organization. I would like to be a part of that