

SONOMA COUNTY

575 ADMINISTRATION DRIVE, ROOM 102A SANTA ROSA, CA 95403

Legislation Text

File #: 2020-1142, Version: 1

To: Board of Supervisors

Department or Agency Name(s): County Administrator's Office **Staff Name and Phone Number:** Christina Rivera, 565-2431

Vote Requirement: Majority

Supervisorial District(s): Countywide

Recommended Action:

Approve the reappointment of John Hadzess and Martin Jones to additional 2-year term on the Independent Citizens Pension Committee ending on September 11, 2022.

Executive Summary:

Request Board of Supervisors ("Board") approval to appoint John Hadzess and Martin Jones to serve an additional 2-year term of the Independent Citizens Pension Committee ("Committee"). Mr. Hadzess and Mr. Jones were originally appointed to the Committee in September 2017 for a 3-year term. The Committee Charter provides that incumbents are re-appointed to a standard two-year term. This appointment of an additional 2-year term will continue their membership on the Committee to September 11, 2022.

Discussion:

The Board has adopted Pension Reform as one of its key priorities, with a goal of ensuring a fair, equitable, and sustainable pension system for taxpayers and employees alike. In April 2017, the Board created the 7-member Committee to represent the best interests of the entire community in a non-partisan manner, and to help improve communication between the County and local residents on pension issues.

The scope of the Committee is intended to improve accountability and transparency of the County's pension reporting, and provide a way for the County to engage citizens in the process of developing and refining its pension reform strategies.

Prior Board Actions:

01-14-2020: Re-appoint Committee Members Betchley and Withington to an additional 2-year term expiring in 09/2021.

09-12-2017: Appointed seven individuals to serve in the Independent Citizens Pension Advisory Committee 04-25-2017: Approved the charter for the 2016-17 Pension Ad Hoc Advisory Committee; adopted a Resolution to establish an ongoing Independent Citizens Pension Committee and approved its charter; and directed the Pension Ad Hoc and staff to initiate an open application process.

02-21-2017: Directed the Pension Ad Hoc and staff to explore options for establishing an ongoing pension advisory committee.

11-15-2016: Appointed Supervisors Shirlee Zane and David Rabbitt to serve as co-chairs of the new Pension Ad Hoc Committee.

FISCAL SUMMARY

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Expenditures	FY 20-21 Adopted	FY21-22 Projected	FY 22-23 Projected
Budgeted Expenses			-
Additional Appropriation Requested			
Total Expenditures			
Funding Sources			
General Fund/WA GF			
State/Federal			
Fees/Other			
Use of Fund Balance			
Contingencies			
Total Sources			

Narrative Explanation of Fiscal Impacts	Narrative	Explanation	on of Fiscal	Impacts:
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n/a

STAFFING IMPACTS:

Position Title (Payroll Classification)	Monthly Salary Range (A-I Step)	Additions (Number)	Deletions (Number)

Narrative	Explanation	of Staffing	Impacts	(If Regi	iired):
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Attachments:

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Related Items "On File" with the Clerk of the Board:

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