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**TITLE:** Update on 2023 McKinney Board & Commission Member Appointments

**COUNCIL GOAL:** Direction for Strategic & Economic Growth  
(1E: Increase community involvement and participation within local government / community)

**MEETING DATE:** May 23, 2023

**DEPARTMENT:** Visit McKinney / City Secretary

**CONTACT:** Aaron Werner, Executive Director of Visit McKinney  
Sabine Smith, Board Clerk  
Empress Drane, City Secretary

**RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION:** No action - for Information Sharing purposes only

**ITEM SUMMARY:**

- On Tuesday, August 22, the McKinney City Council will appoint members to the various city Boards & Commissions. Unless noted otherwise, those appointed will serve terms effective October 1, 2023-September 30, 2025.
- To be considered, interested individuals (including incumbent members with terms expiring in 2023) must complete an application and participate in an interview.
- The deadline to apply is Friday June 16, 2023. Apply online at <https://mckinney.granicus.com/boards/apply>. Incumbent board members should use the email address on file to update their existing application.
- Interviews will be conducted in July / August, and all approved candidates will be contacted to confirm their schedule.
- Prior to October 1, new and reappointed members must complete Open Government Training and any related training as assigned.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- Every year, approximately half of all McKinney Boards & Commissions appointments expire, with those vacancies filled by City Council vote.

- Appointment terms last two years. Board Members can serve up to two (2) or three (3) consecutive terms, depending on which board they are assigned to.
- Information about McKinney Boards & Commissions is available online at <https://mckinneytexas.org/Boards>
- Candidates should be familiar with the general purpose and procedures of their boards of interest, and
  - [Texas Open Meetings Act](https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/legislation/open-meetings)  
<https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/legislation/open-meetings>
  - [Texas Public Information Act](https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/legislation/public-information)  
<https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/legislation/public-information>
  - [McKinney Boards & Commissions Eligibility Policy](https://www.mckinneytexas.org/DocumentCenter/View/6284)  
<https://www.mckinneytexas.org/DocumentCenter/View/6284>
  - [McKinney Code of Ethical Conduct](https://library.municode.com/tx/mckinney/codes/code_of_ordinances?_f=t&_a=code)  
[https://library.municode.com/tx/mckinney/codes/code\\_of\\_ordinances?](https://library.municode.com/tx/mckinney/codes/code_of_ordinances?_f=t&_a=code)  
, which applies to elected and appointed officials of the city
- Current Visit McKinney Board

*Maximum consecutive full terms allowed for this board: two (2)*

Name	Expiration Year	Eligible for Reappointment in 2023?	Appointment History (Regular Full Term)
Connie Gibson	2023	No, term limited	(1) 2017-19, (2) 2019-21, (3) 2021-23
Patrick McGuire	2023	Yes	n/a
Whitney Nash	2023	Yes	(1) 2021-23
Katie Scott	2023	Yes	(1) 2021-23
Jon Christopher Davis, Alternate	2023	Yes	n/a
Juanita Peña	2024	n/a	(1) 2022-24
Emily McClure	2024	n/a	(1) 2022-24
Deidre Woodard	2024	n/a	(1) 2022-24

**FINANCIAL SUMMARY: N/A**

**BOARD OR COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION: N/A**

**SUPPORTING MATERIALS:**

[About McKinney Boards & Commissions](https://mckinneytexas.org/Boards)

[Member Eligibility Policy](#)  
[Apply Online](#)