



City Secretary's Office
City of Frisco, Texas

Memorandum

To: Honorable Mayor Maso and Members of the Frisco City Council

Cc: George A. Purefoy, City Manager

From: Jenny Page, City Secretary

Date: 11/01/2016

Agenda Caption: Consider and act upon accepting the resignation of Mike Gfeller from Place 5 on the Community Development Corporation Board.

Action Requested: Acceptance of the resignation of Mike Gfeller from the CDC Board.

Background Information: Mike Gfeller has submitted his resignation from the Place 5 position. Mr. Gfeller was serving a two (2) year term beginning October 1, 2015 and ending September 30, 2017.

The City of Frisco Charter dictates that an appointment be made at the same meeting as the acceptance of the resignation of the position.

Supporting Documents: E-mail from Mike Gfeller.

Staff Recommendation: Accept the resignation.

Dear Mayor Maso and City Council members,

It is with great sadness that I inform you of my decision to resign my position on the FCDC, effective immediately. Unfortunately, sometimes a person has to go where the opportunity presents itself, and that opportunity for me is down in Houston. While my wife and sons will remain in Frisco and I will commute home on weekends, I can no longer fulfill the duties for which I was appointed.

It has been my pleasure to serve as your President of the Frisco Community Development Corporation for the past twelve months. I have been fortunate to serve the city for seven years now in various capacities on both the Parks and Recreation Board and the FCDC and have enjoyed every minute of it. I've gotten to meet countless people that care deeply about our city. My passion has been to wake up every day and work to make Frisco a great place to live and I'm proud of what we've accomplished together. I know I've grown as a person thanks to all the talented people with whom I've had the pleasure to work, including each of you on this email, whether we always agreed or not.

I want to thank each of you, the board members I've worked with over the years, and especially the team of city employees led by George. Thank you for allowing me to serve our fine city. We have the best city staff anywhere. They are selfless and constantly attacked by those who do not understand how hard they work or how diligent they perform their duties, and it hurts me when that happens because they don't deserve it. They deserve medals.

I cannot tell you how difficult it has been to write this email, but I feel comfortable knowing your leadership will continue to make Frisco the great city that it is and will be. If there is anything that I can do for any of you, from wherever I might be sitting, please do not hesitate to ask.

Deepest Regards,

Mike Gfeller