

June 22, 2006

City Council Meeting
June 27, 2006

Mayor and Members
of the City Council

**VACANCIES - BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
EXPIRATION OF TERM - CIVIL SERVICE BOARD**

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the City Council reappoint John Wisdom, current Civil Service Board member, to fill the expiring term and serve another four-year term ending July 15, 2010.

Civil Service Board - one term which expires July 15, 2006 - one applicant. Only the incumbent has applied for appointment. There are no other current applications on file and no new applications have been received.

Background:

At its meeting of May 23, 2006, the City Council directed that the City Clerk advertise for applicants for the Civil Service Board. Notice was published in the Easy Reader June 1 and June 8, with a June 21, 2006 deadline for submitting applications. Only one application (from incumbent John Wisdom) has been received.


Elaine Doerfling, City Clerk

Noted:


Stephen R. Burrell, City Manager

CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH
BOARD/COMMISSION APPLICATION



NAME OF COMMISSION CIVIL SERVICE

Name John Wisdom Home Phone: 372-0011

Address: 522-24TH PLACE HERMOSA BEACH

Occupation/Profession: GENERAL CONTRACTOR

Name of Employer J. WISDOM INC. Bus. Phone: 372-0011

Address of Employer 522-24TH PLACE HERMOSA BEACH

REFERENCES:

Local: MICHAEL EARL

Professional: SEE RESUME

Other: _____

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION AND SERVICE (past and present): _____

JUDGED 2 YRS AT HOME TOWN FAIR

SPONSORED BASEBALL, SOCCER

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONER 1989 TO PRESENT

Why do you wish to become a Commission member? IT IS MY WAY OF

GIVING SOMETHING BACK TO OUR COMMUNITY

What do you feel are the duties and responsibilities of a Commission member? TO BE A

FAIR AN IMPARTIAL JUDGE IN CITY LABOR DISPUTES,

MONITOR HIRING LIST & TO HELP PREVENT ANY TYPE

OF FAVORITISM

Do you have any current obligations or responsibilities, which could be construed as a conflict of interest with your being a board/commission member? ___ Yes No (If yes, please explain)

Please give a resume of your education, employment, memberships, past activities and other experience that you feel would qualify you as a Board/Commission member.

INCLUDED

This Board/Commission meets on 3RD WED. at 5:00 p.m. Do you foresee any scheduling problems that might make you miss meetings? ___ Yes No

How long have you lived in Hermosa Beach? 37 YRS

Comments: I LOOK FOREWORD TO CONTINUING AS
A CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONER, THANK YOU.

Signed: John Wisdom

Date: 6/7/06

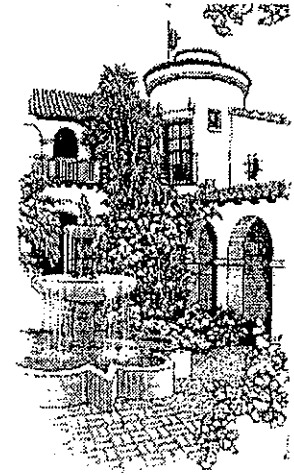
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J. WISDOM INC.,

General Contractor

522 24th Place, 310/372-0011

Hermosa Beach, California 90254



EDUCATION

California Contractors License Service, State License B#302334
BA and Secondary Teaching Credential, Industrial Arts., CSULB
Apprenticeship School, Carpenter's Local 1478
Lumbléau Real Estate School, Sales License
Military Construction Techniques, U.S Navy, Seabees

EXPERIENCE

General Contractor/Custom homes for owners	20 yrs.	1984- Present
General Contractor/Developer, <i>South Bay Area</i>	8 yrs.	1984- Present
Commissioner, <i>Hermosa Beach Civil Service</i>	13 yrs.	1989- Present
Bank Director, <i>Manhattan National Bank. I.O.</i>	4 yrs.	1991 - 1988
Industrial Arts Instructor, <i>Long Beach Unified District.</i>	4 yrs.	1972 - 1977
Carpenter, <i>Bechtel Construction. Co.</i>	2 yrs.	1971 - 1969
Framing and Concrete, <i>U. S. Navy, Seabees</i>	2 yrs.	1967 - 1969

PROJECTS-GENERAL CONTRACTOR

OWNER	SIZE/STYLE	COMPLETION TIME
Marlene Thompson 2205 Laurel Avenue, Manhattan Beach, 310/545-7456	1800 SF French Provincial	10 months, 2 weeks
Gwen Gorsline, 200 S. Dianthus, Manhattan Beach, 310/374-0283	4,100 SF French Provincial	12 Months
Lesa Baronsky 201 S Dianthus, Manhattan Beach,, 310/372-3067	4,100 SF Craftsman	12 Months, 3 weeks
Katherine Inouye 3012 Elm, Manhattan Beach, 310/546-1458	4,000 SF Cape Cod	12 Months,
Kathy Fay 948 Loma Drive, Hermosa Beach, 310/ 379-7841	3,000 SF Mediterranean	11 Months
Patrick Gregoire, Realtor 2401 Alma, Manhattan Beach, 310/545-4739	4,100 SF French Provincial	12 Months

REFERENCES

DICK HILL, VINEYARD NATIONAL BANK	310/376-6520	DOUG LEACH, ARCHITECT	310/372-5580
LOUIE TOMARO, ARCHITECT	310/318-8089	JAY STEVENSON, ARCHITECT	310/379-6230

Please feel free to contact past clients and *References*.