

# TOWN OF FAIRFAX STAFF REPORT May 6, 2020

**TO:** Mayor and Town Council

**FROM:** Michele Gardner, Town Clerk

**SUBJECT:** Appoint Mayor Goddard and Councilmember Hellman to the Economic Recovery

MCCMC Ad Hoc Subcommittee

### RECOMMENDATION

Make appointments as appropriate.

# **DISCUSSION**

The Mayors Select Committee of the Marin County Council of Mayors and Councilmembers (MCCMC) have formed a new ad hoc committee in response to the economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on Marin County cities and towns: the Economic Recovery Committee. The Committee is co-chaired by San Rafael Vice Mayor Kate Colin and San Anselmo Vice Mayor Steven Colbert, who provided the following Mission Statement.

<u>Mission</u>: Facilitate local economic recovery. A successful recovery comprises two components – increasing revenue and decreasing expenditures. We recognize that there are many avenues which could address these two components. We also recognize that we can't do it all so are prioritizing the areas listed below. We know that the need is immediate and the recovery will take years so we will look to identify both near- and long-term tools and programs.

While it is an ad hoc committee, Mayor Goddard has requested that the Council formally appoint her and Councilmember Hellman to serve on the MCCMC Economic Recovery Ad Hoc Committee. The Mayor indicates they both have been working closely with the Fairfax Chamber of Commerce and local businesses to help launch the "Fairfax Open for Business" website as well as other activities. As a result, they are very familiar with local economic issues and would be well suited to represent Fairfax on this ad hoc committee.

## FISCAL IMPACT

N/a

#### **ATTACHMENT**

None