



MEETING DATE: 2/2/04

INTERVIEWS

## COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

DATE: FEBRUARY 2, 2004  
TO: MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL  
FROM: TOWN CLERK *mvc*  
SUBJECT: NOTE FROM JIM DOSS AND JEANNE DREXEL  
REGARDING COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS

### RECOMMENDATION:

Information regarding Council appointments.

### DISCUSSION:

Jim Doss sent a Fax to the Council earlier today to submit his regrets that he will not be able to attend the interviews for Boards and Commissions tonight. He related that pressing family commitments will not allow him to interview for the vacancy on the Planning Commission at this time but he hopes to apply again in the future.

Jeanne Drexel Faxed a note to Council this afternoon recommending two of the applicants for the Planning Commission opening.

### ATTACHMENTS:

Note from Jim Doss received 2/2/04.

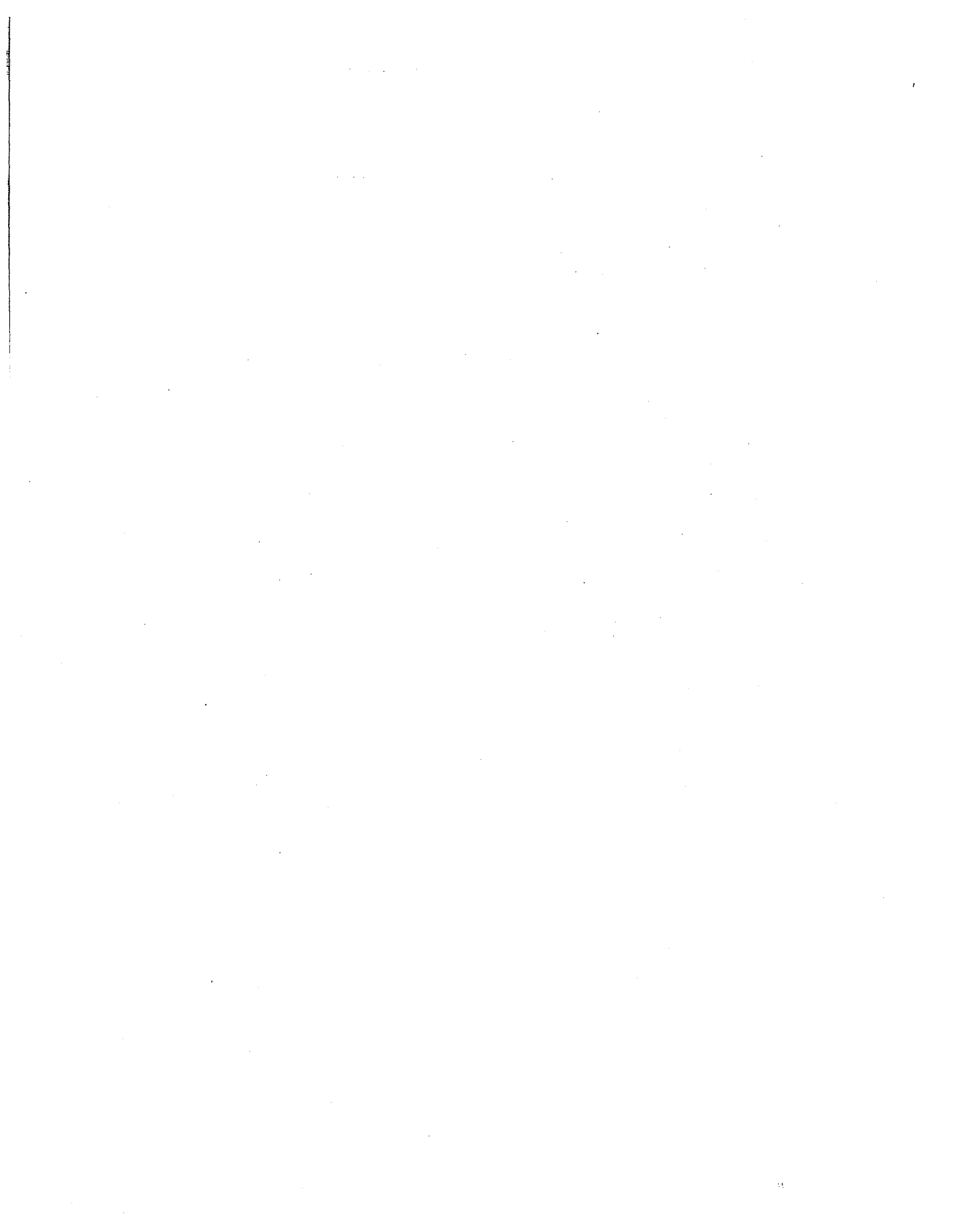
Note from Jeanne Drexel received 2/2/04

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Reviewed by: *gc* Attorney *W* Manager \_\_\_\_\_ Assistant Manager \_\_\_\_\_ Revised: 2/2/04 4:29 pm



James F. Doss  
257 Longridge Road  
Los Gatos, CA 95032

2/2/04

To: Mayor Steve Glickman  
Vice-Mayor Mike Wasserman  
Councilwoman Sandy Decker  
Councilwoman Diane McNutt  
Councilman Joe Pirzynski

Dear council members:

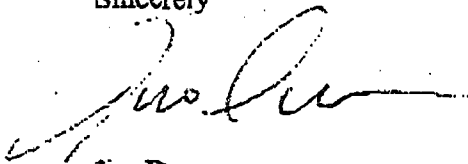
It is with deep regrets that I must withdrawal my application for the open planning commission seat.

My mother recently had to undergo surgery and for the next 6 months during her rehabilitation, she will be requiring a great deal of my family time. After to speaking to my family at great length this weekend, we feel that my time availability will be too limited to do the job thc way I feel it needs to be done this year.

I have every intention of applying for the next open seat the following year. I also look forward to getting involved in town committee that would require less of a time commitment this year.

Thank you all for your consideration and I look forward to working along side you in the near future.

Sincerely



Jim Doss

**Debra Figone - Candidates for Planning Commission**

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**From:** "Jeanne Drexel" <jeanne.drexel@comcast.net>  
**To:** "Steve Glickman" <steve@glicktech.com>, "Sandy Decker" <sdecker@losgatosca.gov>, "Mike Wasserman" <mwasserman@losgatosca.gov>, "Joe Pirzynski" <jpirzynski@losgatosca.gov>, "Diane McNutt" <dmcnutt@losgatosca.gov>  
**Date:** 2/1/2004 2:22 PM  
**Subject:** Candidates for Planning Commission

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Hi!

I want to recommend two of the candidates who will be applying for a position on the planning commission.

First, Joanne Talesfore has been very good for the commission as a consensus builder and communicator. It takes time to get a handle on the job and I would hate to see her removed and replaced with a neophyte when she has just come into her own and is making a real contribution to the commission.

The second person I would like to recommend is Gary Ball. He is a neighbor of mine. Gary is smart and has experience dealing with all the forces that got the Jewish community center off the ground. He has a real affection for our town. As a commissioner, I think he would be fair, cool headed, a quick study, and articulate. Also, he has time to devote to the commission.

Sincerely,  
Jeanne Drexel