



City of Grand Forks

Staff Report

City Council – August 4, 2025

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Agenda Item: Appointments to Civil Service Commission

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Submitted by: Brandon Bochenski, Mayor

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**Staff Recommended Action:** Reappointment of Patsy Nies to the Civil Service Commission for one term to expire April of 2028; Reappointment of Keith Reitmeier to the Civil Service Commission for one term to expire June of 2028.

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**Committee Recommended Action:**

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**Council Action:**

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## GENERAL OVERVIEW:

The Civil Service Commission consists of five members appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council. As outlined in the City Code, the Commission shall consist of one member generally associated with labor occupations; one member generally associated with management occupations; one member generally associated with the occupations or professions of personnel management, human resources, or employment regulatory compliance, having practiced within the profession for at least five years; and two members representative of the general public selected from the occupations or professions of law, banking, finance, investment, accounting, industry, commerce, labor, organized labor, education, medicine, dentistry or a recognized trade and having practiced with the profession or trade for at least five years that each serve three-year terms. The commissioners shall serve overlapping three-year terms.

## ANALYSIS AND FINDINGS OF FACT:

- Reappointment of Patsy Nies as representative of the general public from the occupations or professions of law, banking, finance, investment, accounting,

industry, commerce, labor, organized labor, education, medicine, dentistry or a recognized trade.

- Reappointment of Keith Reitmeier as representative of management occupations.