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TO: Urbana City Council Members Carol Ammons, William Brown, Eric Jakobsson,  
Michael Madigan, Diane Marlin, Dennis Roberts, and Charlie Smyth

FROM: Laurel Lunt Prussing

RE: Annual Staff Appointments

I am attaching my recommendations for staff appointments for the fiscal year 2014-2015 (July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015).



**APPOINTMENTS TO BE APPROVED FOR FY 2014/15  
WITH INITIAL DATE OF APPOINTMENT**

**Executive Department**

Michael R. Monson	Chief of Staff- 8/09
Vacellia P. Clark	Human Resources Manager- 2/94
Todd E. Rent	Human Relations Officer- 3/07
James L. Simon	City Attorney- 11/12
Sanford Hess	Information Technology Manager- 12/13

**Community Development Services Department**

Elizabeth Tyler	City Planner/Director of Community Development- 12/01
Michael Schwarz	Planning Manager- 6/14
John Schneider	Building Safety Manager- 9/05
Kelly Mierkowski	Grants Manager- 8/11
Vacant	Economic Development Manager

**Finance Department**

Richard Hentschel	Comptroller- 12/13
Elizabeth Beaty	Administrative Service Manager- 9/10
Matthew Dillon	Deputy Comptroller- 12/13

**Fire Department**

Brian Nightlinger	Fire Chief- 12/13
Russell Chism	Division Chief- 10/07
Chad Hensch	Division Chief- 8/11
Kyle Hensch	Division Chief- 7/13
Phillip Edwards	Fire Marshall- 7/10

**Police Department**

Patrick Connolly	Police Chief- 9/10
Sylvia Morgan	Deputy Chief- 3/12
Robert Fitzgerald	Police Lieutenant- 10/10
Richard Surles	Police Lieutenant- 10/10

**Public Works**

William Gray	Director of Public Works and City Engineer- 10/92
Brad Bennett	Assistant City Engineer- 12/13
Craig Shonkwiler	Assistant City Engineer- 12/13
John Collins	Operations Manager- 12/11
Larry Fredrick	Fleet Manager-1/89
Mike Brunk	City Arborist- 7/92
Scott Tess	Environmental Manager- 8/12
Bruce Cubberley	Arbor Division Manager- 7/12