

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

Meeting Date: April 27, 2010	1 st Reading _____ 2 nd Reading _____	Legal Review: N/A	Work Plan #	Agenda Location: Presentations	Agenda Item: 6A-2
Subject: A RESOLUTION COMMENDING ERIC JOHNSON FOR HIS SERVICE AS A MEMBER OF THE THORNTON DEVELOPMENT PERMITS AND APPEALS BOARD.					
Prepared by: Pam Meis		Approved by: Jack Ethredge		Ordinance previously introduced by: _____	
Reviewed by: Jeff Coder		Presented by: City Council			

KEY CONSIDERATIONS:

- This Resolution is in accordance with City Council's desire to recognize citizens who have served on Boards and Commissions.
- Mr. Johnson served on the Development Permits and Appeals Board from March 23, 2004 through March 1, 2010, and as Chairman from April 2004 through January 2005.
- Council wishes to express its appreciation to Mr. Johnson.

BUDGET/STAFF IMPLICATIONS:

- None.

RECOMMENDATION:

- Staff recommends approval of the resolution commending Mr. Johnson, and presentation of a plaque expressing the City's appreciation for his dedicated service.

HISTORY:

- Commensurate with Mr. Johnson's service, the Development Permits and Appeals Board was involved in many important decisions that have positively shaped the physical development of the City. Mr. Johnson participated in critical land use and development decisions including: TGI-Friday's, Rolling Hills Primrose School, North Metro Cancer Care Center, Villas at Sunny Acres Alzheimer's Unit, Village 88 Clubhouse, Old Chicago Restaurant, Caring Hands Animal Hospital, Lambertson Lakes retail, Cherrywood Park Compass Bank, Country Hills Mountain Fitness, Autumn Creek Self-Storage, Country Hills Trinity Medical Center, View Point Liquors, Cottonwood Lakes Medical Center, Alternative Auto Care, as well as numerous residential developments.
- Mr. Johnson was also instrumental in the development of the Commercial Design Standards.
- Mr. Johnson's familiarity with the community and dedication to the City enhanced the professionalism of the Thornton boards and commissions.
- Mr. Johnson's vision and commitment proved an asset to the Development Permits and Appeals Board that will continue to be realized in years to come.

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION COMMENDING ERIC JOHNSON FOR HIS SERVICE AS A MEMBER OF THE THORNTON DEVELOPMENT PERMITS AND APPEALS BOARD.

WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson served as a member of the Thornton Development Permits and Appeals Board from March 23, 2004 through March 1, 2010; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson served as Chairman of the Thornton Development Permits and Appeals Board from April 2004 through January 2005; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson's service on this Board was marked by a fine record of accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, commensurate with Mr. Johnson's service, the Development Permits and Appeals Board was involved in several landmark efforts related to the overall improvement of the City; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson, during his tenure, was an active participant in the development decisions related to TGI-Friday's, Rolling Hills Primrose School, North Metro Cancer Care Center, Villas at Sunny Acres Alzheimer's Unit, Village 88 Clubhouse, Old Chicago Restaurant, Caring Hands Animal Hospital, Lambertson Lakes retail, Cherrywood Park Compass Bank, Country Hills Mountain Fitness, Autumn Creek Self-Storage, Country Hills Trinity Medical Center, View Point Liquors, Cottonwood Lakes Medical Center, Alternative Auto Care, as well as numerous residential developments; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson was instrumental in the development of the Commercial Design Standards; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson's overall contributions to the Board had a substantial impact on the City's growth and development.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF THORNTON, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

That the City Council wishes to express to Eric Johnson its gratitude and appreciation for his time, involvement, knowledge and dedicated service to the citizens of Thornton.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Thornton, Colorado, on _____, 2010.

CITY OF THORNTON, COLORADO

Erik Hansen, Mayor

ATTEST:

Nancy A. Vincent, City Clerk