Chapter 2.30

DESIGN REVIEW BOARD

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2.30.010 Establishment of Board.

There hereby is created and established the Design Review Board for the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea. (Ord. 2000-10 § 1, 2000).

2.30.020 Membership and Criteria for Appointment.

A. The Design Review Board shall consist of five members each of whom shall be appointed to serve a four-year term.

B. In establishing these criteria for appointment, the City Council seeks to insure that the Design Review Board appointees both support and will advocate for the enhancement and preservation of Carmel-by-the-Sea as "primarily, essentially and predominately a residential City..." With this being the City Council's intention:

1. All members of the Design Review Board shall be residents and electors of the City.

2. All members, if possible, should share varied backgrounds and experience in architecture, historical architecture, design art, landscaping or construction/building industry or any combination thereof. (Ord. 2000-10 § 1, 2000).

2.30.030 Appointment Process.

A. Members of the Design Review Board shall be appointed in accordance with City Council policy adopted by resolution of the Council.

B. Terms of members shall be staggered so that no more than two terms shall expire in any one year. Appointments shall be, where possible, made prior to the beginning of the term of office in order that the new member(s) shall be able to become familiar with the functions of the Board prior to being seated. Terms of office for new members shall begin at the commencement of the first regular meeting in the month of October of the appropriate year. Terms of office for outgoing members

shall end simultaneously. The newly appointed members shall be sworn in by the City Clerk. (Ord. 2000-10 § 1, 2000).

2.30.040 Termination of Members.

A member of the Design Review Board shall be terminated only under the following circumstances:

A. The member ceases to be a resident or an elector of the City.

B. The member is ill or absent from the City and unable to attend three consecutive regular Board meetings, but fails to so notify either the Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, or the Director of the Department of Community Planning and Building.

C. The member, when neither ill nor absent from the City, fails to attend three consecutive regular Board meetings.

D. The member is terminated by a majority vote of the City Council. (Ord. 2000-10 § 1, 2000).

2.30.050 Bylaws, Policies, Rules and Procedures.

The Design Review Board shall adopt or maintain bylaws, policies, rules and procedures governing parliamentary actions. The bylaws shall be filed with the City Clerk. (Ord. 2000-10 § 1, 2000).

2.30.060 Duties, Responsibilities and Authority.

The Design Review Board shall have the duties defined in CMC Title 17 and is formed generally to review residential, commercial and public works projects involving construction of new dwellings, substantial alterations and projects that do not qualify for administrative review and do not involve land use or variances. (Ord. 2000-10 § 1, 2000).