

**CITY OF LA VISTA**  
**MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL REPORT**  
**MAY 6, 2014 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Submitted By:</b>
APPOINTMENT OF SAFETY STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBERS	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	JEFF SINNETT CHIEF BLDG OFFICIAL/SAFETY STEERING COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

**SYNOPSIS**

A resolution has been prepared in reference to the appointment of selected personnel to the La Vista Safety Steering Committee.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

N/A

**RECOMMENDATION**

Approval

**BACKGROUND**

In accordance with the provision of state law 48-443, the Safety Steering Committee is comprised of an equal number of representatives for the Employer and the Employees. It is intended that the committee represent a diverse cross-section of city departments and employees.

With the merger of the La Vista fire department with Papillion fire, the fire representative will be an ex-officio (non-voting) member therefore it was necessary to appoint one more person to the committee in order to keep the equal number of representatives for the Employer and Employees.

There are eight (8) voting members on the Committee. Four terms of office and the ex-officio term expired on April 1. As a result, I am recommending the Mayor and City Council re-appoint/appoint the following to serve a term of two years.

Mike Keyes	Employee Representative	2 year term	(re-appointment)
Josh Buethe	Employee Representative	2 year term	(new appointment)
Kevin Pokorny	Employer Representative	2 year term	(re-appointment)
Jeff Siebels	Employer Representative	2 year term	(re-appointment)
Don Pluta	Employee Representative	2 year term	(new appointment)
Jean Hurst	Ex-Officio (Non-Voting)	2 year term	(new appointment)
Bill Bowes (Fire)	Ex-Officio (Non-Voting)	No term limit	(new appointment)

Other members of the Safety Committee include:

Jeff Sinnett	Employer Representative
Bryan Waugh	Employee Representative (FOP)
Pam Buethe	Employer Representative

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF SAFETY STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of La Vista has determined that the appointments to the La Vista Safety Steering Committee are necessary; and

WHEREAS, a recommendation by the City Administrator, in consultation with the staff, has been made regarding appointments; and

WHEREAS, the recommended appointments comply with N.R.S. 48-443:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of La Vista, Nebraska, do hereby re-appoint/appoint the following city employees to the La Vista Safety Committee for the term specified:

Mike Keyes	Employee Representative	2 year term	(re-appointment)
Josh Buethe	Employee Representative	2 year term	(new appointment)
Kevin Pokorny	Employer Representative	2 year term	(re-appointment)
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PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 6TH DAY OF MAY 2014.

CITY OF LA VISTA

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Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Pamela A. Buethe, CMC  
City Clerk