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**DATE:** December 2, 2009

**TO:** Metropolitan Parks and Open Space Commission (MPOSC)

**FROM :** Charles Haas, MPOSC Chairperson

**SUBJECT:** Appointment of Richard Jabs as Vice-Chair to the Metropolitan Parks and Open Space Commission

**INTRODUCTION/BACKGROUND**

Section IIC. of the Metropolitan Parks and Open Space Commission Bylaws states,

- C. Vice-Chair: The Chair shall name a Vice-Chair from the Commission members subject to approval by the commission who shall act for the Chairperson during temporary absence or disability. The term of the Vice-Chair shall be for one year, commencing on the first regular meeting in January.

In accordance with the terms of the MPOSC bylaws, I am appointing Richard Jabs as Vice-Chair subject to approval by the Commission. His term would commence on January 7, 2010—the first meeting of the Commission in January.

**RECOMMENDATION**

That the Metropolitan Parks and Open Space Commission approve the appointment of Richard Jabs as the Commission's Vice-Chair for 2010.