

BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONFIRMING) RESOLUTION NO. 95-2184
THE APPOINTMENT OF JOHN FREGONESE)
AS THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT) Introduced by Mike Burton,
OF GROWTH MANAGEMENT AND) Executive Officer
DEVELOPMENT)

WHEREAS, The Executive Officer has created a Department of Growth Management and Development; and

WHEREAS, The Executive Officer has appointed John Fregonese to serve as the Director of the Department of Growth Management and Development; and

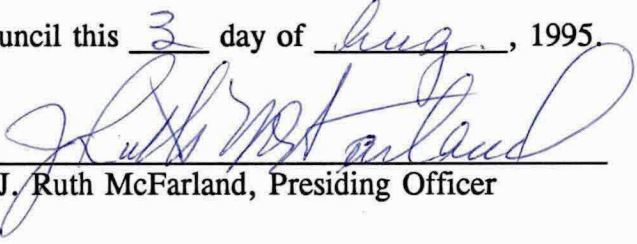
WHEREAS, The appointment of a director of a department requires confirmation by the Metro Council; and

WHEREAS, John Fregonese is well qualified to serve as the Director of the Department of Growth Management and Development, and has served in the past as Metro's Manager of the Growth Management Division; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED,


That the Metro Council confirms the appointment of John Fregonese as the Director of the Department of Growth Management and Development.

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this 3 day of Aug., 1995.



J. Ruth McFarland, Presiding Officer

Approved as to Form:



Daniel B. Cooper, General Counsel

STAFF REPORT

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF JOHN FREGONESE AS THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF GROWTH MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT

Date: July 14, 1995

Presented by: Mike Burton

In November 1992 the region's voters approved a new charter for Metro in which the regional government's primary mission became growth management and land use issues. Although Metro has been active in regional growth management issues for several years, the charter mandate that those issues become the agency's primary responsibility.

In order to reflect the impact of the charter's directive, the Executive Officer proposes to reorganize Metro's Planning Department. Under the reorganization, Metro's current Planning Department will become two separate departments. One will focus on planning for the region's transportation system and the other will focus on managing how the region grows and how best to use the land. The important link between land use and transportation decisions will still be a primary focus of both departments and coordination of these two issues should continue to support and compliment each other.

Under the reorganization, Andy Cotugno will direct the transportation program, and John Fregonese will direct growth management efforts. There will be no additional employees as a result of the change.