



# CITY OF RAPID CITY

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### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** City Council  
**FROM:** Mayor Sam Kooiker *SK*  
**DATE:** May 1, 2012  
**SUBJECT:** **Appointments to Urban Forestry Board**

#### PURPOSE:

Please confirm the reappointments of Jay Powell and Paul Ruder to the Urban Forestry Board whose terms have expired as of December 31, 2011. Their names were on the list with Ken Vahle but should have been specifically identified as reappointments. See attached Citizens Interest Applications.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Position</i>	<i>Expiration</i>	<i>Voting</i>
Jay Powell	Citizen	12/31/2014	voting
Paul Ruder	Citizen	12/31/2014	voting

#### CURRENT COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP:

Following is the current committee membership. Italicized are the individual terms up for reappointment.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Position</i>	<i>Expiration</i>	<i>Voting</i>
<i>Paul Ruder</i>	<i>Citizen</i>	<i>12/31/2011</i>	<i>voting</i>
<i>Jay Powell</i>	<i>Citizen</i>	<i>12/31/2011</i>	<i>voting</i>
Bill Keck	Citizen	12/31/2012	voting
Joshua White	Citizen	12/31/2012	voting
Cathy Druckrey	Citizen	12/31/2013	voting
Eirik Heikes	Citizen	12/31/2013	voting
Scott Eccarius	Citizen	12/31/2013	voting
Jean Van Alstyne	Citizen	12/31/2013	voting
Ken Vahle	Citizen	12/31/2014	voting



**Howard Michael**

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**From:** websiteforms@rcgov.org  
**Sent:** Friday, December 23, 2011 10:04 AM  
**To:** Kooiker Sam; Howard Michael  
**Subject:** Form Submitted from City of Rapid City Website - Citizen Interest Application

The Citizen Interest Application was submitted from the City of Rapid City website. Here are the responses given.  
Name: Jay R. Powell

Street address: 3249 Marvel Mt.Road

City, State, Zip: Rapid City, SD 57702

City resident: No

Ward (see link at the top of this page if you are not sure what ward you are in): 1

Daytime Phone: 605 381 3917

Evening Phone: 605 381 3917

Email Address: [willys@live.com](mailto:willys@live.com)

Please list the specific committee(s) for which you are applying: Urban Forestry Board

Work and/or business experience related to the committee(s): Engineer Technician for SDARNG at Camp Rapid. I am involved with the development and sustainment of ranges and training areas/facilities throughout SD.

Education, license, certification, & experience: Have been a member of the UFB for several years and am currently the Secretary

Community involvement, activities, service organizations: Currently I am not active with other service organizations

Additional information/qualifications relevant for the committee or committees to which you are applying: I maintain a thorough understanding of the purpose and goals of the UFB and I would like to remain involved.

**Howard Michael**

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**From:** websiteforms@rcgov.org  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 22, 2011 1:33 PM  
**To:** Kooiker Sam; Howard Michael  
**Subject:** Form Submitted from City of Rapid City Website - Citizen Interest Application

The Citizen Interest Application was submitted from the City of Rapid City website. Here are the responses given.  
Name: Paul Ruder

Street address: 604 Crestview Dr.

City, State, Zip: Rapid City, SD 57702

City resident: Yes

Ward (see link at the top of this page if you are not sure what ward you are in): 5

Daytime Phone: 721-6989

Evening Phone: 209-2909

Email Address: [apruder@midco.net](mailto:apruder@midco.net)

Please list the specific committee(s) for which you are applying: Urban Forestry Board

Work and/or business experience related to the committee(s): Masters Degree in Forest Mgt. University of Minnesota, 30 years experience in Forest Mgt

Education, license, certification, & experience: 30 years experience in forest mgt

Community involvement, activities, service organizations:

Additional information/qualifications relevant for the committee or committees to which you are applying: