## **Planning Commission**

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**Subject:** Planning Commission

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I have served eight years as a commissioner for the city of Garden Grove on the Parks and Recreation, Traffic and Planning commissions.

Councilman and the mayor have term limits. To anyone who would listen I have purposed that commissioners should also have term limits. This would open up to all residents of the city who have an interest a chance to become involved in the process of the workings of the city. Some commissioners have become entrenched in their positions, serving many years thus not allowing the many people on the list of candidates for these positions a chance to serve. Others have used the commission positions as a filler in their resumes for future political positions.

The current term is almost over and the planning commission has not had a meeting in six weeks with the next one just cancelled and only three items on the agenda for the rest of the year

As of Nov. 1 2022 I am putting forth this letter as my resignation from the planning commission. I have several personal commitments to take care of and I fell this will not be of any hardship to the commission

It has been my privilege and honor to serve as a commissioner for the city of Garden Grove where I have deep family roots, where I was raised, where I went to school and where I raised my family

Sincerely,

Dale Soeffner