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**Subject:** Planning Commission Chairman resignation

Hello Jay,

It is with both regret and excitement that I respectfully submit my resignation (effective August 11, 2011) as chairman of the Palm Springs Planning Commission. I consider it an honor to serve the city and during my time on the commission, I served three mayors, and many council members. It is hard to say goodbye to such a great group of people. However, I am excited to report that I have accepted a position at the University of Hawaii and will be moving with my family in September. It is my sincerest wish to acknowledge all of you including all of the past commissioners, directors and staff that I have served with over the years. All of whom have contributed to my personal development and growth as a person and citizen of this extraordinary community. Any accomplishment that I take with me comes from all of you and your dedication to serve Palm Springs and its citizens. I leave with absolute confidence in my fellow commissioners who make up one of the finest commissions ever appointed and I am proud to have served alongside them.  
Warmest regards and mahalo,

Jon Caffery