

ATTACHMENT A



City of Phoenix

To: City Council
From: Mayor Kate Gallego

Date: February 21, 2024

Subject: BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS – APPOINTEES

The purpose of this memo is to provide recommendations for appointments to the following Boards and Commissions:

Alhambra Village Planning Committee

Councilwoman Laura Pastor recommends the following for appointment:

Marshall Pimentel

Mr. Pimentel is a Senior Legislative Associate at the League of Arizona Cities and Towns and a resident of District 4. He fills a vacancy for a term to expire November 19, 2024.

Civil Service Board

I recommend the following for reappointment:

Elisa De La Vara

Ms. De La Vara will serve her second term to expire February 21, 2027.

Encanto Village Planning Committee

Councilwoman Laura Pastor recommends the following for appointment:

Erin Garcia

Ms. Garcia is the Vice President of Social Services & Education at Chicanos Por La Causa and a resident of District 4. She fills a vacancy for a term to expire November 19, 2025.

Robert Warnicke

Mr. Warnicke is an Attorney at Warnicke Law and a resident of District 4. He fills a vacancy for a term to expire November 19, 2025.

Samantha Weiss

Ms. Weiss is an Interpersonal Violence Program Specialist at the Department of Economic Security and a resident of District 4. She fills a vacancy for a term to expire November 19, 2025.

Maryvale Village Planning Committee

Councilwoman Laura Pastor recommends the following for appointment:

Cindy Alonzo

Ms. Alonzo is a Teacher at the Isaac School District and a resident of District 4. She fills a vacancy for a term to expire November 19, 2024.

Phoenix Business & Workforce Development Board

I recommend the following for appointment:

Pearl Esau

Ms. Esau is the Owner of Shan Strategies and a resident of District 6. She replaces Scott Holman as a Business Human Resources representative for a partial term to expire June 30, 2024.

Planning Commission

I recommend the following for appointment:

Joshua Matthews

Mr. Matthews is a Planner II at Valley Metro and Vice Chair of the North Mountain Village Planning Committee. He replaces Shannon Simon as a Village Planning Committee representative for a term to expire February 21, 2026.

Sister Cities Commission

I recommend the following for appointment:

Melissa Werner

Ms. Werner is the Director of the University Ceremonies Offices at Arizona State University and a resident of District 6. She serves a term to expire February 21, 2027.