

ATTACHMENT A



City of Phoenix

To: City Council
From: Mayor Kate Gallego

Date: January 24, 2024

Subject: BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS – APPOINTEES

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

Ahwatukee Foothills Village Planning Committee

Councilman Kevin Robinson recommends the following for appointment:

Jill Ostendorp

Ms. Ostendorp is a Realtor Team Lead at West USA and a resident of District 6. She fills a vacancy for a term to expire November 19, 2025.

Camelback East Village Planning Committee

Councilman Kevin Robinson recommends the following for appointment:

Kelli Williams

Ms. Williams is a Senior Litigation Counsel at CNA Insurance Companies. She fills a vacancy for a term to expire November 19, 2025.

Citizens Commission on Salaries for Elected City Officials

The City Charter Chapter III, Section 12 requires the City Council to appoint a Commission on Salaries for Elected Officials every four years during the same year a regular election for Mayor is scheduled.

The Commission is required to conduct a review of the rates of pay of elected City officials. The purpose of this review is to determine a recommendation of pay levels appropriate to the duties and responsibilities of city elected officials. The Commission must submit to the City Clerk, no later than April 1, 2024, a report of the results of the review and its recommendations.

The Commission's salary recommendations must be certified by the Commission to the City Clerk. If the Commission recommends a salary increase, the City Council shall submit the question to the qualified electors at the next regular municipal election for their approval or rejection. In the event the Commission recommends no change in salaries for the elected officials, it shall file such recommendation of no change with the City Clerk and no question shall be submitted to the electorate.

The Commission is composed of a Chair plus six residents to serve a term not to exceed three months.

Councilman Jim Waring recommends the following for appointment:

Matthew Kenney

Mr. Kenney is the President at Public Square Public Affairs.

Councilwoman Debra Stark recommends the following for appointment:

Barbie Johnson

Ms. Johnson is a neighborhood leader.

Councilwoman Laura Pastor recommends the following for appointment:

Tony Moya

Mr. Moya is the Director of Strategic Projects at Chicanos Por La Causa.

Councilwoman Betty Guardado recommends the following for appointment:

Paul Johnson

Mr. Johnson is a former mayor of the City of Phoenix.

Councilman Kevin Robinson recommends the following for appointment:

Michelle Kemp

Ms. Kemp is a local neighborhood leader.

Councilwoman Yassamin Ansari recommends the following for appointment:

Brent Kleinman

Mr. Kleinman is a Professor at Glendale Community College.

Councilwoman Kesha Hodge Washington recommends the following for appointment:

Dr. Ann Hart

Dr. Hart is an educational consultant at The Heart of Education.

Development Advisory Board

I recommend the following for appointment:

Emilio Gaynor

Mr. Gaynor is the Director of International Development at Chicanos Por La Causa, and a resident of District 1. He replaces Marcia Busching as the Planning Commission representative for a term to expire January 24, 2027.

Fast Track Cities Ad-Hoc

I recommend the following for appointment:

Dr. Angel Algarin

Dr. Algarin is an Assistant Professor at Arizona State University. He fills a vacancy for a term to expire January 24, 2025.

Stacey Jay Cavaliere

Ms. Cavaliere is the Executive Director of Aunt Ritas. He replaces Jimmy Thomason for a term to expire October 6, 2030.

Human Services Commission

I recommend the following for appointment:

Gail Knight

Ms. Knight is a Balsz School District Board Member and a resident of District 8. She fills a Category III vacancy for a term to expire January 24, 2026.

Mayor's Human Trafficking Task Force

I recommend the following for appointment:

Kaleigh Jenkins

Ms. Jenkins is a representative of the Maricopa County Attorney's Office. She replaces Sarah Micfilikier for a term to expire May 18, 2025.

Lt. Chris Parese

Lt. Parese is a member of the HEAT Unit at the Phoenix Police Department. He replaces Lt. Rick Leyvas for a term to expire September 7, 2030.

James Sampanes

Mr. Sampanes is a Prosecutor at the City of Phoenix. He replaces Bob Smith for a term to expire October 7, 2025.

Shauna Sexton

Ms. Sexton is the Executive Director of Young Adults Programs with the Dream Center. She will serve a term to expire January 24, 2025.

North Mountain Village Planning Committee

Vice Mayor Debra Stark recommends the following for appointment:

Steve Pamperin

Mr. Pamperin is a retiree and resident of District 3. He fills a vacancy for a term to expire November 19, 2024.