

ATTACHMENT A



**City of Phoenix**

**To:** City Council  
**From:** Mayor Kate Gallego

**Date:** March 25, 2026

**Subject:** BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS – APPOINTEES

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

**Audit Committee**

I recommend the following for appointment:

Aaron Mertz

Mr. Mertz replaces Amber Williamson as the Budget and Research Director.

Ed Zuercher

Mr. Zuercher replaces Jeffrey Barton as Chair.

I recommend the following for reappointment:

Kesha Hodge Washington

Vice Mayor Hodge Washington will serve a second term to expire July 1, 2028.

Karlene Keogh Parks

Ms. Keogh Parks will serve a second term to expire July 1, 2028.

Adam Lang

Mr. Lang will serve a second term to expire July 1, 2028.

Ann O'Brien

Councilwoman O'Brien will serve a third term to expire July 1, 2028.

Christian Osmeña

Mr. Osmeña will serve a second term to expire July 1, 2028.

## **Design Review Committee**

I recommend the following for reappointment:

### Alan Beaudoin

Mr. Beaudoin will serve a second term to expire March 25, 2028.

## **Environmental Quality and Sustainability Commission**

I recommend the following for appointment:

### Sotiria Anagnostou

Ms. Anagnostou is the CEO of Arizona Sustainability Alliance. She fills a vacancy for a term to expire March 25, 2029.

## **Neighborhood Block Watch Fund Oversight Committee**

I recommend the following for appointment as Chair:

### Roxanne Smith

Ms. Smith will replace Carmen Arias as Chair for a term to be effective July 1, 2026, and to expire July 1, 2027.

I recommend the following for appointment:

### Barbie Johnson

Ms. Johnson is a retiree and a resident of District 3. She fills a vacancy for a term to expire March 25, 2028.

## **North Mountain Village Planning Committee**

I recommend the following for appointment:

### Efstathia "Effie" Bouras

Ms. Bouras is an independent contractor and a resident of District 3. She fills a vacancy for a term to expire March 25, 2028.

## **Youth and Education Commission**

I recommend the following for appointment:

### Lucas Galdamez-Salvatierra

Mr. Galdamez-Salvatierra is a student at Brophy College Preparatory and a resident of District 6. He fills a vacancy as a youth commissioner for a term to expire August 31, 2027.