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San Diego Council President Pro Tem Mark Kersey elected Second Vice President of League of California Cities

San Diego (April 24, 2017) – San Diego Council President Pro Tem Mark Kersey was elected second vice president of the League of California Cities, a nonprofit association of California city officials who serve as a voice for cities at the state and federal levels.

"It is an honor to be selected to serve as the League's second vice president and to assume a leadership role in shaping statewide and federal policy to support San Diego and our fellow California cities. There are many challenges facing cities today, and together we can solve them," says CPPT Kersey.

As second vice president, CPPT Kersey will serve alongside first vice president, South San Francisco Councilmember Rich Garbarino, and the League's president, Lodi Councilmember JoAnne Mounce.

"Council President Pro Tem Kersey brings years of leadership and expertise in economic development, technology and infrastructure to his League role. Cities are working on many significant issues to ensure they are able to deliver essential services to their residents," said League Executive Director Carolyn Coleman. "As the League's second vice president, Council President Pro Tem Kersey will play an important role in advancing policy solutions to help maintain the vibrancy of our local communities."

In addition to his new role with the California League of Cities, CPPT Kersey will continue to advocate for San Diego at the federal level through his appointment on the National League of Cities Transportation and Infrastructure Services Federal Advocacy Committee.