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OFFICE OF MAYOR JERRY SANDERS
CITY OF SAN DIEGO

MEMORANDUM

DATE : April 20, 2009
TO : Council President Ben Hueso & Honorable Members of the San Diego
City Council
FROM : Mayor Jerry Sanders
SUBJECT : Appointment to the Citizens' Equal Opportunity Commission

It is my pleasure to appoint Stamp Corbin to the Citizens' Equal Opportunity Commission, subject to your confirmation.

Stamp Corbin has more than 25 years experience in corporate management, business development, and entrepreneurial endeavors. As one of the founders of the e-Waste industry, Mr. Corbin has successfully pioneered and commercialized the efficient resale and recycling of information technology for Fortune 500 companies. His highly successful entrepreneurial career includes the establishment of two Ohio-based corporations, Resource One, and RetroBox. Under Mr. Corbin's executive leadership, both corporations became innovative industry leaders and national brands. From 1992-2009, Mr. Corbin was CEO of Resource One in Columbus, Ohio, a company specializing in comprehensive technology lifecycle management services to large corporate and government organizations. From 1995-2003, Resource One was named one of the largest Black-owned businesses in the United States by *Black Enterprise* magazine, and one of the largest minority-owned businesses in Ohio for the last 12 years. From 1996-2006, Mr. Corbin was the CEO of RetroBox, LLC, in Columbus, Ohio, which was ranked as one of the top three fastest growing companies in Central Ohio by *Business First* newspaper, and named Outstanding Minority Business of the Year by the National Recycling Coalition. Mr. Corbin's career includes extensive expertise in corporate strategy, business development, financial management, and the launching of innovative strategies to position companies for emerging market opportunities.

Mr. Corbin's professional expertise and insight, and personal passion for civic, charitable, and humanitarian causes have led him to serve the community in various capacities, and he has a long history and strong record of corporate governance and community involvement. Mr. Corbin has served on various corporate boards for several privately-held and non-profit organizations including Mount Carmel Hospitals, a \$1 billion health-care provider. He previously served on the National Recycling Coalition

Board of Directors, and was previously appointed to serve on the State of Ohio's Governor's Council on Minority Business, and as a National Advisor to the Small Business Administration during the Clinton Administration. Mr. Corbin also served on the National Board of Directors for the Human Rights Campaign, and the Columbus AIDS Task Force. Since relocating to San Diego in 2006, Mr. Corbin has become active with the San Diego LGBT Center Leadership Circle, Greater San Diego Business Association Charitable Foundation, and the Steering Committee for the San Diego Human Rights Campaign.

Mr. Corbin received a Master of Business Administration from Harvard Graduate School of Business, and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics from Stanford University.

Mr. Corbin will serve as the Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual/Transgender Representative on the Commission, and will replace Jonathan Schneeweiss, who is not seeking reappointment, for a term expiring January 1, 2010. He resides in Mission Hills.

I ask that you confirm this appointment and join me in thanking Mr. Corbin for his willingness to offer his time and expertise to serve the citizens of San Diego in this capacity.



JERRY SANDERS
Mayor

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cc: City Attorney Jan Goldsmith
City Clerk Elizabeth Maland