



**OFFICE OF MAYOR JERRY SANDERS
CITY OF SAN DIEGO**

MEMORANDUM

DATE : June 15, 2009

TO : Council President Ben Hueso & Honorable Members of the
San Diego City Council

FROM : Mayor Jerry Sanders

SUBJECT : Appointment to the Funds Commission

It is my pleasure to appoint David Tam to the Funds Commission, subject to your confirmation.

David Tam is a Financial Advisor for Edward Jones Investments, a firm specializing in assisting individual investors and business owners with long-term financial objectives in the areas of retirement, education, estate considerations, insurance, and home ownership. As a Financial Advisor, Mr. Tam has effectively managed more than 500 accounts, while achieving performance records and providing award-winning customer service. With Edward Jones since 2003, in his first year, Mr. Tam was the recipient of the Ted Jones Award which acknowledged Mr. Tam's outstanding performance record and account openings. He also received the Edward Jones Partners Award, which acknowledged Mr. Tam's efforts in the community, ethical behavior, and volunteerism.

Prior to joining Edward Jones, Mr. Tam was a Senior Personal Banker from 1996-2003 for Bank of America in San Diego and San Francisco. While at Bank of America, Mr. Tam successfully generated, served, retained, and assisted numerous clients with home, equity and small business loans. Mr. Tam's achievements while in the banking industry include being ranked in the top 10% in personal banking out of more than 300 California personal bankers. He also honed his skills in the areas of loan mortgage sales, credit lines, investments, retirement and deposit accounts, and customer service.

Beyond Mr. Tam's professional responsibilities, he actively seeks out opportunities to serve his community. Mr. Tam is a Member and Former Vice President of the Mira Mesa Town Council. He has also served on the Asian Business Association Board of Directors since 2004 and is currently serving on the Executive Board.

Mr. Tam received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics from the University of California, San Diego. Mr. Tam was nominated by Councilmember Carl DeMaio. He will

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replace Hilbert Chu, who is termed out, for a term expiring January 28, 2013. He resides in Carmel Valley.

I ask that you confirm this appointment and join me in acknowledging Mr. Tam for his willingness to serve the City of San Diego in this capacity.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jerry Sanders", with a stylized flourish at the end.

JERRY SANDERS
Mayor

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cc: City Attorney Jan Goldsmith
City Clerk Elizabeth Maland