



**KEVIN L. FAULCONER
MAYOR**

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DATE: August 14, 2014

TO: Honorable Todd Gloria, Council President
Honorable Councilmembers

FROM: Mayor Kevin L. Faulconer 

SUBJECT: Reappointments to the Wetlands Advisory Board

It is my pleasure to reappoint Mr. Chris Nordby as well as appoint Mr. Daniel Smith and Mr. Theodore Griswold to the Wetlands Advisory Board. I would also like to designate Ms. Jayne Janda-Timba as Chair.

Mr. Smith is a small business owner who owns and operates a local real estate investment/property management firm that has been in business for over 25 years. He is very active in the community and has served as member of the Navajo Community Planners Association, the City of San Diego Zoning Appeals Board, Redevelopment Advisory Committee for Grantville and as a Board Member for the Urban Corps of San Diego. Mr. Smith fulfills the requirements for the category of Land Owner on the Wetlands Advisory Board.

Mr. Griswold is head of the Native American Law practice group and a member of the firm's Clean Tech, Energy, Environmental and Resources practice group. His practice emphasizes natural resource, Native American, wetlands, habitat, and environmental land use matters. Mr. Griswold also has extensive experience resolving habitat and wetland issues of all scales and locations. His environmental practice includes wetlands law, state and federal endangered species law, NCCP, land use permitting, water quality compliance and natural resource management plans. Mr. Griswold has coordinated the development and modification of multiple species conservation plans for tribes and resources districts, single species habitat conservation plans, conservation agreements, mitigation banks, wetland permitting, streambed alterations, and public and private conservation preserves. He fulfills the requirements for the category of Land Use Expert on the Wetlands Advisory Board.

I am confident that each of these appointees will bring invaluable experience and expertise in advising the Mayor and City Council on public policy matters relating to conservation of wetlands in the City of San Diego.

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cc: Honorable Jan Goldsmith, City Attorney
Andrea Tevlin, Independent Budget Analyst
Liz Maland, City Clerk