




THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

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MAYOR

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 9, 2021

TO: Honorable Council President Jennifer Campbell
Honorable Councilmembers

FROM: Mayor Todd Gloria 

SUBJECT: Appointment to the Citizen's Advisory Board on Police/Community Relations

It is my pleasure to appoint David Burton to the Citizen's Advisory Board on Police/Community Relations to a term expiring January 1, 2022. Mr. Burton will fill the previously vacated seat representing Council District 3.

Mr. Burton is a longtime resident of San Diego and has a diverse range of personal and professional experiences that make him highly qualified to serve as a member of this board. He was raised in a low-income Black community and has performed extensive volunteer work as a community chaplain for and within historically underserved communities, including outreach to unsheltered communities. Mr. Burton is also a United States Marine Corps combat veteran with extensive experience in counterintelligence and working with law enforcement agencies both in and outside of the United States, and thus has a thorough understanding of their procedures and practices.

I am confident Mr. Burton will bring his invaluable experiences and expertise to the board, and I thank him for his willingness to serve in this capacity. I thank Council President Pro Tempore Stephen Whitburn for this nomination.

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cc: Honorable Mara Elliott, City Attorney
Elizabeth Maland, City Clerk
Andrea Tevlin, Independent Budget Analyst