



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO


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MAYOR

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 3, 2021

TO: Honorable Council President Jennifer Campbell
Honorable Councilmembers

FROM: Mayor Todd Gloria 

SUBJECT: Reappointments to the San Diego Housing Commission Board of Commissioners

I am reappointing Stefanie Benvenuto and Eugene Mitchell San Diego Housing Commission Board of Commissioners each to four-year terms ending January 2, 2025

Ms. Benvenuto is Director of Public Affairs for the San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce. She previously served as the Chamber's Public Policy Manager where she led efforts on housing affordability and availability. She is also a member of the Advisory Board of Housing You Matters, a broad-based coalition that convenes, advocates, and educates around solutions for increasing housing supply and lowering the cost of building new homes. Ms. Benvenuto has a bachelor's degree in political science from California State University, Fullerton.

Mr. Mitchell is the Senior Vice President of Diversity and Community Partnerships for Sempra, the parent company of San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E) and other utility companies. Mr. Mitchell also serves on the Boards of Directors of the Children's Hospital of Los Angeles Foundation, San Diego Museum of Art, Voice of San Diego, Sharp Healthcare, the Lucky Duck Foundation and the San Diego Opera. Mr. Mitchell has a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science from University of Redlands.

I thank them for their willingness to serve in this capacity.

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