

## THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

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## MEMORANDUM

DATE:

December 17, 2021

TO:

Honorable Council President Sean Elo-Rivera

**Honorable Councilmembers** 

FROM:

Mayor Todd Gloria

SUBJECT:

Appointments to Mission Bay Park Committee

It is my pleasure to appoint James Hauser to the Mission Bay Park Committee to a term ending June 30, 2022. I am also happy to appoint Josh Coyne to the Mission Bay Park Committee to a term ending June 30, 2023.

Mr. Hauser brings a wealth of knowledge and experience dealing directly with Mission Bay Park. Having previously resided in a community along the Bay for nearly a decade, Mr. Hauser is uniquely familiar with the complex issues impacting Mission Bay Park particularly serving as a member of the Mission Bay Athletic Club for over five years. He also provides a long history of public service through leadership positions dealing in public policy. His professional experience includes having served as Chief of Staff to Councilmember Chris Cate representing Council District 6 where he became known for his unique perspective on conservation, development, and land use. I thank Councilmember Chris Cate for this nomination.

Mr. Coyne is an active volunteer with experience that includes five years as a digital crisis counselor with The Trevor Project, the leading national organization providing crisis intervention services and suicide prevention resources for LGBTQ young people. He became more involved in the San Diego LGBTQ community and co-chaired the San Diego Chapter of The Trevor Project volunteer group to coordinate outreach and fundraising events. Mr. Coyne also has experience working on campaigns and in elected office which includes having served as Director of Policy in the District 2 San Diego City Council office under Council President Dr. Jennifer Campbell. Currently, Josh serves as Director of Government Affairs for the Downtown San Diego Partnership. I thank Council President Dr. Jennifer Campbell for this nomination.

I thank Mr. Hauser and Mr. Coyne for their willingness to serve in this capacity.