THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

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MAYOR

MEMORANDUM

DATE:

July 31, 2023

TO:

Honorable Council President Sean Elo-Rivera

Honorable Councilmembers

FROM:

Mayor Todd Gloria

SUBJECT:

Reappointment to the Commission on Gang Prevention and

Intervention

I am reappointing Maria Fernanda Ezquerro to the Commission on Gang Prevention and Intervention.

Ms. Ezquerro is a criminal defense attorney who manages and litigates cases in both Federal and State court. Since December 2019, she has served as a member of the Criminal Justice Act Panel — a group of qualified and courtapproved attorneys who are eligible for appointment by the Court to represent individuals in criminal cases who are unable for financial reasons to retain counsel — for the U.S. District Court for Southern California. She is a graduate of the University of California Los Angeles and earned her Juris Doctor from Thomas Jefferson School of Law. She is being reappointed to a two-year term ending July 1, 2025 in the District 3 Representative seat.

I thank Councilmember Whitburn for this nomination and Ms. Ezquerro for her willingness to continue serving in this capacity.

MTG:cwd

cc:

Honorable Mara Elliott, City Attorney Diana Fuentes, Interim City Clerk Charles Modica, Independent Budget Analyst