



# CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

## COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**AGENDA DATE:** March 1, 2011

**TO:** Mayor and Councilmembers

**FROM:** City Clerk's Office, Administrative Services Department

**SUBJECT:** Appointments To City Advisory Groups

**RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council make appointments to the Fire and Police Commission, the newly-established Neighborhood Advisory Council, and the Rental Housing Mediation Task Force.

**DISCUSSION:**

On February 8, 2011, Council interviewed applicants of the Fire and Police Commission, the Neighborhood Advisory Council (NAC), and the Rental Housing Mediation Task Force. An additional interview opportunity for applicants to the NAC was held on February 10, 2011, by the Council Subcommittee, comprised of Councilmembers Frank Hotchkiss, Grant House and Bendy White.

The Guidelines for the City of Santa Barbara Advisory Groups, Resolution No. 06-092, states that applicants are required to appear for an interview before the City Council. The names of applicants failing to appear for an interview are removed from the list of persons eligible for appointment. A list of applicants eligible for appointment is attached.

**ATTACHMENT:** List of Eligible Applicants

**PREPARED BY:** Cynthia M. Rodriguez, City Clerk Services Manager

**SUBMITTED BY:** Marcelo A. López, Administrative Services Director

**APPROVED BY:** City Administrator's Office

**FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSION**

- One vacancy.
- Term expires 12/31/2012.
- Qualified elector of the City.
- Appointee may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	Notes
<i>Qualified Elector (1)</i>	Diego Torres-Santos		1) Neighborhood Advisory Council; 2) Fire and Police Commission	



**NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY COUNCIL (CONT'D)**

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<b><i>Neighborhood Representatives (Cont'd)</i></b>	Dorothy Littlejohn			Eastside
	Raquel Mendoza			West Downtown
	Javier Moreno			West Downtown
	Theresa Peña			Eastside
	Bonnie Raisin			Laguna
	Ana Soto			Eastside
	Diego Torres-Santos		1) Neighborhood Advisory Council; 2) Fire and Police Commission	West Downtown
	Cesar Trujillo			Laguna
	Olivia Uribe			Eastside
	Tony Vassallo			West Downtown

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**NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY COUNCIL (CONT'D)**

**Note:** Applicants of the “Neighborhood Representatives” category are also eligible for the “Public at Large” category.

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<i>Public at Large (5)</i>	Rick Goodfriend			
	Sally Kingston			
	Beatriz Molina			
	Elvira Quiroga			
	Holly Walters			

## RENTAL HOUSING MEDIATION TASK FORCE

- Five vacancies.
- One term expires 12/31/2011  
One term expires 12/31/2012
- Two appointees must be residents of the City:
  - Three landlords
  - Two tenants

- One term expires 12/31/2013
- Two terms expire 12/31/2014

Note: Non-resident members must be owners of residential rental property within the City limits or affiliated with organizations concerned with landlord-tenant issues within the City limits.

- Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	Notes
<i>Landlords (3)</i>	Meredith Furman			City
<i>Tenants (2)</i>	None			