



# Commission of the Deaf Memorandum

*City of Arts & Innovation*

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**TO: COMMISSION OF THE DEAF** **DATE: JANUARY 8, 2025**  
**FROM: CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE** **WARDS: ALL**  
**SUBJECT: SELECTION OF THE CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR**

**ISSUE:**

Open nominations for Commission of the Deaf members to select a Chair and Vice Chair.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

That the Commission of the Deaf:

1. Open the nomination process for Chair and Vice Chair of the Commission of the Deaf;

**DISCUSSION:**

Pursuant to Riverside City Charter, Article VIII Appointive Boards and Commissions, Section 804. Organization; meetings; subpoena power, "At the first meeting of each board or commission after the last day in February of each year, each of such boards and commissions shall organize by electing one of its members to serve as presiding officer at the pleasure of such board or commission."

During this inaugural selection of Chair and Vice Chair, each shall be selected by a simple majority vote of Commissioners present. Following selection, the Chair shall call the meeting to order and preside over the meeting.

Approved by: Rene Goldman, HR Director