



City of Arts & Innovation

City Council Memorandum

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL DATE: SEPTEMBER 5, 2017
FROM: CITY CLERK'S OFFICE WARDS: ALL
SUBJECT: BOARD AND COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS AND RESIGNATIONS

ISSUE:

Accept the resignations of Jennifer Kidd-Humphreys from the Human Resources Board, David R. Namazi from the Commission on Disabilities, and Vicki J. Guenther from the Commission on Disabilities; and appoint Kathleen S. Barth to the Human Relations Commission, Jennifer Kidd-Humphreys to the Park and Recreation Commission, and Vicki J. Guenther to the Commission on Aging.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the City Council:

1. Accept the resignations of Jennifer Kidd-Humphreys from the Human Resources Board, David R. Namazi from the Commission on Disabilities, and Vicki J. Guenther from the Commission on Disabilities, effective immediately; and request the City Clerk to process the vacancies; and
2. Appoint Kathleen S. Barth to a Citywide seat on the Human Relations Commission for a term ending March 1, 2020; Jennifer Kidd-Humphreys to a Citywide seat on the Park and Recreation Commission for a term ending March 1, 2018; and Vicki J. Guenther to a Citywide seat on the Commission on Aging for a term ending March 1, 2020.

BACKGROUND/LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Resignations

On August 9, 2017, the City Clerk's Office received a resignation from Jennifer Kidd-Humphreys of the Human Resources Board, effective immediately. Ms. Kidd-Humphreys held the Ward 5 seat with a term ending March 1, 2021. Ms. Kidd-Humphreys has accepted a Citywide seat on the Park and Recreation Commission. David R. Namazi resigned from the Commission on Disabilities, effective August 14, 2017. Mr. Namazi held a Citywide seat with a term ending March 1, 2018. On August 15, 2017, the City Clerk's Office received a resignation from Vicki J. Guenther from the Commission on Disabilities. Ms. Guenther held the Ward 7 seat with a term ending March 1, 2018. Ms. Guenther accepted appointment to a Citywide seat on the Commission on Aging. The vacancies created by the resignations of Ms. Kidd-Humphreys, Mr. Namazi, and Ms. Guenther will be filled by registered voters in compliance with Charter requirements.

Appointments

Mayor Bailey recommends Citywide seat appointments of Kathleen S. Barth to the Human Relations Commission, Jennifer Kidd-Humphreys to the Park and Recreation Commission, and Vicki J. Guenther to the Commission on Aging. Ms. Barth will fill an unexpired term through March 1, 2020, Ms. Kidd-Humphreys will fill an unexpired term through March 1, 2018, and Ms. Guenther will fill an unexpired term through March 1, 2020.

Pursuant to Charter Section 802, each board and commission must have at least one representative from each of the Council Wards. These appointments fill the seats by registered voters in compliance with the Charter requirement.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Recruitment and appointment costs are included annually in the City Clerk's budget.

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