



City of Arts & Innovation

City Council Memorandum

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL DATE: JUNE 4, 2019
FROM: CITY CLERK'S OFFICE WARDS: ALL
SUBJECT: BOARD AND COMMISSION RESIGNATION AND APPOINTMENT

ISSUES:

Accept resignation of James R. Rush from the Human Relations Commission Ward 5 seat and appoint Rochelle P. Motley-Kanatzar to the Human Relations Commission Citywide seat.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the Mayor and City Council:

1. Accept the resignation of James R. Rush from the Human Relations Commission Ward 5 seat, effective May 1, 2019, and request the City Clerk to process the vacancy; and
2. Appoint Rochelle P. Motley-Kanatzar to the Human Relations Commission Citywide seat for term ending March 1, 2022.

BACKGROUND/LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

On May 1, 2019, the City Clerk's Office received resignation from James R. Rush from the Human Relations Commission Ward 5 seat, effective May 1, 2019. Mr. Rush's term on the Commission expires on March 1, 2023. The vacancy created by this resignation will be filled with a registered voter in compliance with the Charter requirement.

Mayor Bailey recommends appointment of Rochelle P. Motley-Kanatzar to the Human Relations Commission Citywide seat. Ms. Motley-Kanatzar will fill an unexpired term through March 1, 2022. Pursuant to Charter Section 802, each board and commission must have at least one representative from each of the Council Wards. This appointment fill the seat 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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