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October 20, 2015

MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach

RECOMMENDATION:

To receive and approve the following non-charter commission and board appointments.

DISCUSSION:

Homeless Services Advisory Committee

Peter Griffith – Council District 4 Seat

Peter Griffith is a community and government relations consultant focusing on healthcare and is the former Communications Director for the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA). At LAHSA he worked closely with their commission, engaging stakeholders and public outreach. Peter also serves as the Community Issues Lead and Coordinator of the East Artcraft Manor Community Group.

Human Relations Commission

• Stephen Gallagher – At Large Seat – District 2 Resident

Stephen Gallagher is retried after a 35 year career working in the Financial Services Industry. He had served as Vice President of Citibank, North America and prior to that, he was an Accounting Manager for the MacMillan Publishing Company. He remains active in the community working on equality issues, HIV/AIDS and Parkinson research and care, and animal rescue efforts.

Board of Health and Human Services

Jamellah Terrell – At Large Seat – District 2 Resident

Jamellah Terrell is a Community Outreach Worker at the LGBTQ Center in Long Beach focusing on HIV outreach. She has worked on the Long Beach HIV Planning Committee and the Happy and Healthy at Houghton Park health fair. Jamellah is a California State University, Long Beach graduate and a member of the Alamitos Beach Neighborhood Association.

Pacific Gateway Workforce Development Board

- Reggie Harrison City of Long Beach Representative
- Elizabeth Castillo Labor Representative, California Nurses Association

Reggie Harrison has years of experience in the area of economic development for the City of Long Beach having served as the Deputy City Manager and numerous other positions. Reggie is a retired Lieutenant Colonel from the California Army National Guard and is an alumni of Leadership Long Beach.

Elizabeth Castillo is a nurse at Long Beach Memorial Medical Center and is an active member of the California Nurses Association. She is a Forensic Nurse who works with police departments to assist victims of sexual crimes. Elizabeth also volunteers with the YWCA and the Sexual Assault Response Team assisting with the 24 hour Hotline for victims.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation

Respectfully submitted,

Mayor Robert Garcia
City of Long Beach

Dated: October 16, 2015