

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 310144

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE DEC 16 2015

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF SAN DIEGO CONFIRMING APPOINTMENTS TO THE
ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY BOARD

WHEREAS, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability in all services, programs, and activities provided or made available by local or state governments; and

WHEREAS, under the ADA, an individual is considered to have a disability if he or she has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities, has a record of an impairment, or is regarded as having an impairment; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego (City) complies with the ADA in various ways, including constructing accessible facilities, removing physical barriers, providing programmic access, and offering alternative forms of communications; and

WHEREAS, in 2009, former Mayor Jerry Sanders created the ad hoc Mayor's Committee on Disability (MCD), which received presentations and provided feedback and guidance to City staff on various accessibility projects, including architectural barrier removal, emergency preparedness planning, City Council policies, and other City endeavors affecting individuals with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, the MCD was staffed by the City Office of ADA Compliance and Accessibility, and met monthly for five years; and

WHEREAS, there has been a continued need for individuals with disabilities to have a permanent, Council-approved mechanism to advise the City on policies and issues related to accessibility and compliance with related laws and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Accessibility Advisory Board (AAB) thus was re-formed earlier this year as a permanent committee, by ordinance of the Council; and

WHEREAS, the AAB is composed of nine members, including five with expertise in the ADA or disabilities services, one professional in a tourist-serving industry, one Certified Access Specialist, and two members at large; and

WHEREAS, the AAB advises the Mayor, Council, and the City on disability issues and compliance with the ADA as it applies to state and local governments, including issues of access to City buildings, programs, services, and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor now seeks to appoint the nine-member board, subject to Council confirmation; and

WHEREAS, the terms presented are staggered, as these are the initial appointments to the board; NOW, THEREFORE,


BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the following appointments by the Mayor of the City of San Diego, to serve as members of the Accessibility Advisory Board, for terms expiring as indicated, are made and hereby confirmed:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>TERM ENDING</u>
Elaine Cooluris (Ocean Beach, District 2) (Initial Appointment)	ADA Expert	June 30, 2016
Michelle Crisci (Midway, District 2) (Initial Appointment)	At-Large Member	June 30, 2016
Adam Ringler (Vista) (Initial Appointment)	Tourist-Serving Industry Representative	June 30, 2016

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>TERM ENDING</u>
Sandra Miles (Pauma Valley) (Initial Appointment)	State of California Access Specialist	June 30, 2016
Sharla Hank (Tierrasanta, District 7) (Initial Appointment)	At-Large Member	June 30, 2016
Patricia Sieglen-Perry (Scripps Ranch, District 5) (Initial Appointment)	ADA Expert	June 30, 2017
Rachel Chapman (Chula Vista) (Initial Appointment)	ADA Expert	June 30, 2017
Israel Martinez (Mission Valley, District 7) (Initial Appointment)	ADA Expert	June 30, 2017
Wayne Landon (Point Loma, District 2) (Initial Appointment)	ADA Expert	June 30, 2017

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that pursuant to Council Policy 000-13, for purposes of deliberation and consideration of appointment, it is determined that Adam Ringler, Sandra Miles and Rachel Chapman are residents of San Diego County, but not the City of San Diego, and have unique qualifications to serve as members of the Board; therefore, conscious exceptions to Council Policy 000-13 are hereby declared.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By 
 Sharon B. Spivak
 Deputy City Attorney

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 Doc. No.: 1172572

I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of DEC 08 2015.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 12/15/15
(date)


KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on DEC 08 2015, by the following vote:

Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Sherri Lightner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lorie Zapf	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Todd Gloria	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Myrtle Cole	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark Kersey	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chris Cate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scott Sherman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
David Alvarez	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marti Emerald	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage DEC 16 2015

(Please note: When a resolution is approved by the Mayor, the date of final passage is the date the approved resolution was returned to the Office of the City Clerk.)

AUTHENTICATED BY:

KEVIN L. FAULCONER
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

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