

AGENDA**Recommendation for Council Action****AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL****Regular Meeting: October 4, 2018**Item Number: **007**

Human Resources

Approve a resolution confirming the appointment of Ronald Morgan and the reappointment of Eyna Canales-Zarate to the Firefighters', Police Officers' and Emergency Medical Services Personnel's Civil Service Commission.

Lead Department	Human Resources Department.
Fiscal Note	This item has no fiscal impact.
For More Information	Barry Cook, Civil Service Administrator, 512-974-3312.

Additional Backup Information:

The Firefighters', Police Officers' and Emergency Medical Services Personnel Civil Service Commission has been established to ensure general compliance with applicable provisions of Chapter 143 of the Texas Local Government Code, the local Civil Service Rules established by the Commission, and any current agreements between the City of Austin and associations representing firefighters, police officers and emergency medical services personnel. The Commission may take action on matters related to promotion, appeals of promotional exams, suspension and termination as well as other matters regarding firefighters, police officers and emergency medical services personnel in accordance with the above-mentioned statutes, rules, and agreements.

Chapter 143.006 of the Texas Local Government Code provides that the City Manager will appoint three Commissioners for staggered terms. The appointment must be confirmed by the City Council. If a vacancy occurs, the City Manager shall appoint a person to serve for the remainder of the unexpired

term in the same manner as the original appointment.

In accordance with applicable provisions of Chapter 143 of the Local Government Code, the City Manager has appointed Ronald Morgan to fill the vacancy on the Commission created when Commissioner Andrew Harris resigned from his appointment on July 2, 2018. The City Council is respectfully requested to confirm the appointment of Mr. Morgan to the Commission to fill the unexpired term ending December 6, 2019. Mr. Morgan meets the statutory prerequisites for appointment to the position.

Additionally, Eyna Canales-Zarate is a current member of the Commission, having been appointed to a term expiring October 31, 2018. The City Manager has reappointed Ms. Canales-Zarate to new term beginning November 1, 2018 and ending October 31, 2021, and seeks council confirmation of the appointment. Ms. Canales-Zarate meets the statutory prerequisites for appointment.

Attachments: Resume and Bio