



Office of the Mayor

CONSENT CALENDAR  
June 27, 2017

To: Honorable Members of the City Council  
From: Mayor Jesse Arreguín  
Subject: Re-Appoint Daniel Rossi to the Berkeley Housing Authority

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Resolution re-appointing Daniel Rossi to the Berkeley Housing Authority.

BACKGROUND

On May 22nd, 2007, the Berkeley City Council established a Berkeley Housing Authority (BHA) Board of Commissioners. State law mandates BHA commissioners, including successors be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council.

On September 17, 2013, the Berkeley City Council confirmed the Mayor's appointment of Daniel Rossi to a four-year term on the Berkeley Housing Authority Board of Commissioners to replace Katherine Gale.

Mr. Rossi has served with distinction on the Housing Authority Board, bringing his experience as a municipal attorney to assist BHA in policy and personnel matters.

Mr. Rossi's term will soon expire and the Mayor wishes to re-nominate him for a new four-year term on the BHA Board.

Mr. Rossi is currently employed by the City of Oakland as a Senior Deputy City Attorney. He has extensive experience with affordable housing and formerly served on the City of Berkeley's Housing Advisory Commission.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

None

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

No adverse effects to the environment.

CONTACT PERSON

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Attachments:

1: Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

RE-APPOINTMENT OF DANIEL ROSSI TO THE BERKELEY HOUSING AUTHORITY  
BOARD OF COMISSIONERS

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Berkeley, as the governing body of the City of Berkeley, declared itself to the Commissioners of the Berkeley Housing Authority (BHA) and appointed two tenant Commissioners pursuant to Health and Safety Code Section 34290; and

WHEREAS, on May 22, 2007 the Mayor appointed and the City Council by a majority vote confirmed the appointment of 5 Commissioners and 2 tenant Commissioners to the BHA Board pursuant to Health and Safety Code Section 34270; and

WHEREAS, on September 17, 2013, the Berkeley City Council confirmed the Mayor's nomination of Daniel Rossi to a four-year term on the Berkeley Housing Authority Board of Commissioners to replace Katherine Gale; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Rossi has served with distinction on the Housing Authority Board, bringing his experience as a municipal attorney to assist BHA in policy and personnel matters; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Rossi's term will soon expire and the Mayor wishes to re-nominate him for a new four-year term on the BHA Board; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Berkeley is an office filled by election of the people of Berkeley.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that by the Council of the City of Berkeley that Daniel Rossi is re-appointed to serve as Commissioner of the Berkeley Housing Authority Board.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Mayor of the City of Berkeley that, pursuant to Health and Safety Code Section 34272(a), Mr. Rossi be appointed to serve a four-year term.