

Commission on Disability

CONSENT CALENDAR March 22, 2022

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Commission on Disability

Submitted by: Commission on Disability, T. Michai Freeman (Chair)

Subject: Vacancies on Commission on Disability

RECOMMENDATION

Appoint new members to fill vacancies on the Commission on Disability from

District 3, District 4, District 5, District 6, District 7, and Mayor Jesse Arreguin

FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION NONE

## CURRENT SITUATION AND ITS EFFECTS

The Commission on Disability is charged with promoting the total integration and participation of persons with disabilities in all areas of economic, political, and community life. Currently three commissioners are seated on the Commission on Disability out of a nine-member panel. We ask councilmembers and Mayor Jesse Arreguin make appointments to the Commission on Disability to enable this body to effectively pursue the Commission's mandate. Item passed January 19, 2022. Submitted to Secretary February 9, 2022. (Motion: Freeman Second: Walsh, Freeman: aye, Walsh: aye, Singer: aye)

## RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

The Commission on Disability commissioners, while dedicated, are limited in their work to effectively advise the City of Berkeley.

## ALTERNATIVE ACTIONS CONSIDERED NONE

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