



ERIC GARCETTI
MAYOR

May 4, 2020

Honorable Members of the City Council
c/o City Clerk
City Hall, Room 395

Honorable Members:

Subject to your confirmation, I have appointed Mr. Fabian Garcia to the El Pueblo de Los Angeles Historical Monument Authority for the term ending June 30, 2021. Mr. Garcia will fill the vacancy created by Jessica Estrella Priego, who has resigned.

I certify that in my opinion Mr. Garcia is qualified for the work that will devolve upon him, and that I make the appointment solely in the interest of the City.

Sincerely,

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ERIC GARCETTI
Mayor

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Attachment

COMMISSION APPOINTMENT FORM

Name: Fabian Garcia
Commission: El Pueblo de Los Angeles Historical Monument Authority
End of Term: 6/30/2021

Appointee Information

1. **Race/ethnicity:** Latino
2. **Gender:** Male
3. **Council district and neighborhood of residence:** 7 - North Valley
4. **Are you a registered voter?** Yes
5. **Prior commission experience:**
6. **Highest level of education completed:** B.A., University of California, Santa Barbara
7. **Occupation/profession:** Director of Government Relations, Homeboy Industries
8. **Experience(s) that qualifies person for appointment:** See attached biography
9. **Purpose of this appointment:** Replacement
10. **Current composition of the commission (excluding appointee):**

Commissioner	APC	CD	Ethnicity	Gender	Term End
Samarjian, Natalie	Central	4	Armenian	F	30-Jun-22
DiCostanzo, Salvatore	Harbor	15	Caucasian	M	30-Jun-22
Louie, David W.	East LA	13	Asian Pacific Islander	M	30-Jun-22
Marez, Jesse	East LA	14	Latino	M	30-Jun-20
Collado, Gerlie	North Valley	12	Asian Pacific Islander	F	30-Jun-21
Vasquez, Dulce	Central	14	Latina	F	30-Jun-20
Alarcon, Patricia	East	14	Latina	F	30-Jun-21
Vinson, Robert	North Valley	12	Latino	M	30-Jun-21

Fabian Garcia

Director of Government Relations
Homeboy Industries
130 W. Bruno Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012



Fabian Garcia is currently Director of Government Relations at Homeboy Industries. Fabian provides strategic guidance on policy and advocacy issues critical to the organization's mission. Fabian manages the strategy for acquiring government funds at all levels of government, he is responsible for the writing and submission of grant applications. Fabian has secured grants from all levels of government valued at over \$11 million over the lifetime of the grants. Fabian manages the civic engagement curriculum and provide education opportunities and workshops for Homeboy staff and clients.

Additionally, Fabian has consulted under United States Agency for International Development (USAID) for projects in Mexico, Guatemala, and El Salvador. Fabian's work in El Salvador has focused on the advancement and implementation of reentry programs and services. Currently, Fabian is working with the office of President Nayib Bukele to introduce, train, and support with the implementation of a comprehensive national public safety and violence reduction strategy that will include prevention, intervention, diversion, and reentry approaches.

Prior to transitioning to Homeboy Industries, Fabian served as Senior Regional Program Coordinator for Los Angeles Mayor's Office of Gang Reduction and Youth Development (GRYD) under Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa and Mayor Eric Garcetti administrations. Fabian played an instrumental role in the development of the City's Gang Prevention, Gang Intervention, Re-entry, and Tattoo Removal Programs. He was tasked with regional oversight of contracts between the City of Los Angeles and community-based service providers. Oversight included providing technical assistance, ensuring model fidelity, maintaining contract compliance, enforcing efficient budget management, and developing community and law enforcement partnerships. Fabian was integral in developing and implementing strategies to increase police legitimacy and community trust through on-going relational approaches and efficient policies.

Fabian earned his bachelor's degree from the University of California Santa Barbara in Chicano Studies and Minor in Philosophy with an emphasis on Ethics and Public Policy. He has worked for the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF) and the National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials (NALEO). Fabian has dedicated himself to serving the traditionally underserved communities and creating opportunities for closing the inequality gaps.



May 4, 2020

Dear Mr. Garcia:

I am pleased to inform you that I hereby appoint you to the El Pueblo de Los Angeles Historical Monument Authority for the term ending June 30, 2021. In order to complete the process as quickly as possible, there are several steps that must be taken, many of which require visiting City Hall. If you require parking during these procedures, please call Claudia Luna in my office at (213) 978-0621 to make arrangements for you.

To begin the appointment process, please review, sign and return the enclosed Remuneration Form, Undated Separation Forms, Background Check Release and Information Sheet **within one week** of receiving this letter. These documents are necessary to ensuring the most efficient, open and accountable City government possible. Further, Mayor's Office policy requires you to be fingerprinted as part of the background check that is done on all potential Commissioners. To do so, please bring this letter to the Background Unit of Employment Services Division, Personnel Department Building, 700 East Temple Street, Room 235, Los Angeles, California 90012. The division phone number is (213) 473-9343. Fingerprints must be taken **within three working days** from the **receipt** of this letter.

Under separate cover you will be receiving a packet from the City Ethics Commission containing information about the City's conflict of interest laws and a copy of the State Form 700/Statement of Economic Interests. You are required to complete and return this form **within 21 days** of your nomination to the City Ethics Commission, 200 North Spring Street, City Hall, 24th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90012. Any inquiries regarding this form should be directed to Nicole Enriquez at the Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960.

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As part of the City Council confirmation process, you will need to meet with Monica Rodriguez, your Councilmember, and Councilmember David Ryu, the Chair of the Health, Education, Neighborhood, Parks, Arts, and River Committee, to answer any questions they may have. You will be hearing from a City Council committee clerk who will let you know when your appointment will be considered by the Health, Education, Neighborhood, Parks, Arts, and River Committee. Sometime thereafter, you will be notified by the committee clerk when your appointment will be presented to the full City Council for confirmation. Once you are confirmed, you will be required to take the oath of office in the City Clerk's Office in Room 395 of City Hall. Claudia Luna will assist you during the confirmation process if you have questions.

Commissioners must be residents of the City of Los Angeles. If you move at any point during your term, have any changes in your telephone numbers, or in the future plan to resign (resignation must be put in writing), please contact my office immediately.

Congratulations and thank you for agreeing to serve the people of Los Angeles.

Sincerely,

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Attachment I
Mr. Fabian Garcia
May 4, 2020

Nominee Check List

I. Within three days:

- _____ **Get fingerprinted to complete a background check.**
No appointment is necessary. Bring the Mayor's letter to:
Background Unit of Employment Services Division, Personnel
Department Building, 700 East Temple Street, Room 235, Los Angeles,
California 90012. Phone: (213) 473-9343.

II. Within seven days:

Mail or email the following forms to: Claudia Luna, Office of the Mayor, Office of
Legislative and External Affairs, City Hall, 200 N. Spring Street, Los Angeles, CA
90012 or email: Claudia.Luna@lacity.org.

- _____ **Remuneration Form**
_____ **Undated Separation Forms**
_____ **Background Check Release**
_____ **Commissioner Information Sheet/Voluntary Statistics**

III. Within 21 days:

File the following forms with the City Ethics Commission. *If you are required to
file, you will receive these forms via email from that office.*

- _____ **Statement of Economic Interest ("Form 700")**
IMPORTANT: The City Council will not consider your nomination until
your completed form is reviewed by the Ethics Commission.
_____ **CEC Form 60**

IV. As soon as possible, the Mayor's Office will schedule a meeting with you and:

- _____ **Your City Councilmember Monica Rodriguez**
_____ **Councilmember David Ryu, Chair of the Council Committee
considering your nomination.**

Staff in the Mayor's Office will assist you with these arrangements.