

APPOINTING AUTHORITY NOMINATION LETTERS



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August 2, 2018

Mr. Gary Spivack  
Deputy Executive Officer  
Metro San Fernando Valley Service Council  
One Gateway Plaza  
Los Angeles, CA 90012-2952

**Re: Nomination of Burbank Councilmember Jess Talamantes to the Metro San Fernando Valley Service Council**

Dear Mr. Spivack:

As you know, the term of one of the two San Fernando Valley Service Council seats representing the East Cluster cities of Burbank, Glendale, and San Fernando has expired. In order to maintain full representation to this important oversight group, I respectfully request that Burbank Councilmember Jess Talamantes be re-nominated to serve as a member of the Service Council to represent transit riders in the three cities. This nomination has been discussed with officials from the Cities of Glendale and San Fernando, who agree that Councilmember Talamantes is the appropriate person to join San Fernando Councilmember Robert Gonzales in representing the East Cluster cities on the Service Council.

Thank you for considering our request to nominate Jess Talamantes to the San Fernando Valley Service Council. Should you require any further information, please feel free to contact David Kriske in our Community Development Department at 818.238.5269 or via email at [dkriske@burbankca.gov](mailto:dkriske@burbankca.gov).

Sincerely,

Ron Davis  
City Manager  
City of Burbank

CC: John Takhtalian, Deputy City Manager – City of Glendale  
Alexander P. Meyerhoff, City Manager – City of San Fernando



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August 1, 2018

Gary S. Spivack  
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Los Angeles, CA 90012

RE: Support for Nomination of Jess Talamantes to Metro San Fernando Valley Service Council

Dear Mr. Spivack:

The City of Glendale is in support of the nomination of Jess Talamantes to serve as one of two appointees for Metro San Fernando Valley Service Council, representing the Eastern Cluster cities of Burbank, Glendale, and San Fernando, for a term running from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

Council Member Vartan Gharpetian has respectfully withdrawn his nomination to serve on this Service Council, and thanks Mr. Talamantes for his service. We look forward to the great work the Service Council will provide in reviewing the NextGen Bus study, and representing the best interests of the residents of our three cities.

Should you or your staff have any questions, please contact John Takhtalian, Deputy City Manager at (818) 548-4844 or [jtakhtalian@glendaleca.gov](mailto:jtakhtalian@glendaleca.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Yasmin K. Beers".

Yasmin K. Beers  
City Manager  
City of Glendale

CC: Ron Davis, City Manager, City of Burbank  
Justin Hess, Assistant City Manager, City of Burbank  
John Takhtalian, Deputy City Manager, City of Glendale

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**SAN FERNANDO**

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August 28, 2018

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SUBJECT: Support for Nomination of Jess Talamantes to Metro San Fernando Valley  
Service Council

Dear Mr. Spivack:

The City of San Fernando is in support of the nomination of Jess Talamantes to serve as one of two appointees for Metro San Fernando Valley Service Council, representing the Easter Cluster cities of Burbank, Glendale, and Fernando, for a term running from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

We look forward to the great work the Service Council will provide and in representing the best interests of the residents of our three cities.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact City Manager Alexander Meyerhoff at (818) 898-1202 or [AMeyerhoff@sfcity.org](mailto:AMeyerhoff@sfcity.org).

Sincerely,



Sylvia Ballin  
Mayor

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