

DATE: May 3, 2011

TO: City Clerk

FROM: Representative Rachel Quintana

ADDRESS 2 Civic Center Plaza 10th Floor, El Paso, TX TELEPHONE 915-541-4189

Please place the following item on the (Check one): CONSENT XXX REGULAR _____

Agenda for the Council Meeting of May 10, 2011

Item should read as follows: Appointment of Oscar Silva to the Districting Commission by Representative Rachel Quintana, District 5.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: _____

BOARD COMMITTEE/COMMISSION APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT FORM

NAME OF BOARD/COMMITTEE/COMMISSION: Districting Commission

NOMINATED BY: Representative Rachel Quintana DISTRICT: 5

NAME OF APPOINTEE Oscar Silva
(Please verify correct spelling of name)

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____ PHONE: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____ PHONE: _____

WHO WAS THE LAST PERSON TO HAVE HELD THIS POSITION BEFORE IT BECAME VACANT?

NAME OF INCUMBENT: New Commission

EXPIRATION DATE OF INCUMBENT: _____

REASON PERSON IS NO LONGER IN OFFICE (CHECK ONE): TERM EXPIRED: _____
RESIGNED _____
REMOVED _____

CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL DATE: 05/10/2011

TERM BEGINS ON : 05/10/2011

EXPIRATION DATE OF NEW APPOINTEE: 12/31/9999

PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING: 1st TERM: x

2nd TERM: _____

UNEXPIRED TERM: _____

Oscar Silva

Campus Address:
600 Bagby Ave., Apt. 2C
Waco, TX 76706

OBJECTIVE:

Effectively use and amplify skills as part of a legal staff to play a key role in progressive change

EDUCATION:

Baylor University Waco, TX

Hankamer School of Business

Bachelor of Business Administration in International Business, Economics, and Public

Administration; Pre-Law; December 2010

Major GPA: 3.83/4.0

EMPLOYMENT:

Chet Edwards for Congress Campaign

June 2010-November 2010

Communications Intern, Election 2010

- Played a key role in building Congressman Edward's grassroots organization
- Promoted Latino engagement, managed daily news clips, created a valuable contacts database

Center for Civic Engagement – University of Texas at El Paso

Summer 2009

CYnergy Fellowship Advisor

- Guided 19 selected high school students throughout a strategically prepared process
- Informed and empowered students' involvement in community activism

Baylor University Electronic Library, Waco, TX

Sept. 2006-Dec. 2007

Lab Assistant for Technology Inquiries

Bilingual Research Services, El Paso, TX

Sept. 2004-July 2007

Senior Executive, Quality Control

ACTIVITIES:

Hispanic Student Association, Baylor University, Waco, TX

President (Fall '08, Spring '09, Fall '09)

Public Relations (2007-2008)

Freshman Representative (2006-2007)

Phi Iota Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated, Baylor University, Waco, TX

Scholarship Pageant Master of Ceremonies (2007 - 2010) **Scholarship Pageant Chair** (2007)

Templo Cristiano, Waco, TX

Youth President (2009-2010)

Worship Group Leader (2008-2010)

Youth Leader (2007-2009)

Templo Puerta del Cielo, Cd. Juarez, Chih., México

Youth Dept. Treasurer(2007-Present) **Por Amor A Juárez Ministry Leader** (2007-Present)

Children's/Adult English Educator (Summer 2009) **Children's Ministry** (Summer 2009)

SKILLS AND QUALITIES:

Fluent in Spanish, superb interpersonal skills, well-organized, skilled at multitasking, detail-oriented, eager under stress, problem solver, eager to work in group/individual settings, charismatic, committed

Oscar Silva

REFERENCES

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Relationship: CYnergy Fellowship Advisor, Contact Provider

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Relationship: Director of my work as an advisor of the CYnergy Fellowship

Joseph A. McKinney

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Relationship: Professor of Business in the Global Economy and Economic Development

Phil Van Auken

International Business and Management – Hankamer School of Business Professor, Baylor University

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Relationship: Professor of Global Business and Doing Business Across Cultures