

DATE: August 9, 2016

TO: City Clerk

FROM: Representative Cortney Niland

ADDRESS: 300 N. Campbell TELEPHONE 212-0008

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

Agenda for the Council Meeting of August 23, 2016

Appointment of Patrick Schaefer to the Regional Renewable Energy Advisory Council

Item should read as follows: (RREAC) by Representative Cortney Niland, District 8.

BOARD COMMITTEE/COMMISSION APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT FORM

NAME OF BOARD/COMMITTEE/COMMISSION: Regional Renewable Energy Advisory Council

NOMINATED BY: Representative Cortney Niland DISTRICT: 8

NAME OF APPOINTEE Patrick Schaefer
(Please verify correct spelling of name)

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

CITY: El Paso ST: TX ZIP: _____ PHONE: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

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

DOES THE PROPOSED APPOINTEE HAVE A RELATIVE WORKING FOR THE CITY? YES: _____ NO X

IF SO, PLEASE PROVIDE HIS OR HER NAME, CITY POSITION AND RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROPOSED APPOINTEE:

HAS APPOINTEE BEEN A MEMBER OF OTHER CITY BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/COMMITTEES? IF SO, PLEASE PROVIDE NAMES AND DATES:

N/A

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

NAME OF INCUMBENT: N/A

EXPIRATION DATE OF INCUMBENT: N/A

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

DATE OF APPOINTMENT: August 23, 2016

TERM BEGINS ON : August 23, 2016

EXPIRATION DATE OF NEW APPOINTEE: March 3, 2017

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

2nd TERM: _____

UNEXPIRED TERM: _____

PATRICK CHARLES SCHAEFER

Employment	HUNT INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL COMPETITIVENESS UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO <i>Executive Director and Adjunct Professor of Law</i> Direct and manage the substantive, administrative, and financial operations of the Institute; Formulate and execute the research agenda, analyzing the economic impact and effects of the comparative systems along the US – Mexico border concerning natural resources, infrastructure, education, commerce, education, and public health; Teach a course on NAFTA Law whose focus centers on the relationship between Chapters 11 and 14, and their impact on the Paso del Norte region’s environment and natural resources.	09/13-Present
	THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY, NEW MEXICO, Las Cruces, NM <i>Assistant District Attorney</i> Responsible for prosecuting misdemeanor and felony cases; Prepared legal motions and relevant responses; Prepared both civilian and police witnesses for trial or pre-trial hearings; Evaluated the availability of necessary evidence to ensure the integrity of each case; Represented the State at plea negotiations to achieve fair and equitable disposition of cases.	01/2013-09/2013
	WORLD BANK/INTERNATIONAL FINANCE CORP., Washington, D.C. <i>Private Sector Development Specialist</i> Advised sovereign state clients regarding the reform of arbitration laws regarding the resolution of sovereign, commercial, and private debts; Analyzed legal structures relating to debt resolution such as secured transactions, bank regulations, and asset management corporations; Led the monitoring and evaluation of project outcomes in client countries; Assisted in project design and implementation; Participated in missions to assist in the implementation of advisory services projects in Austria, the UK, Guatemala, and São Tomé.	01/2012-01/2013
	INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK, Washington, D.C. <i>Consultant, Board Policy Analyst</i> Charged with researching, analyzing, and clarifying the processing and approval procedures for all bank instruments, both financial (Sovereign and Non-Sovereign Guaranteed Investment Loans, Policy Loans, Guarantees, Technical Co-operations, and MIF operations) and non-financial; Compiled findings into comprehensive annotated guides and shorter policy manuals for use by the Bank Secretary and the Board of Executive Directors.	02/2011-01/2012
	URIA & MENENDEZ, Lisbon, Portugal <i>Clerk, Litigation and International Arbitration Division</i> Assisted with several arbitration cases involving Portuguese and European parties; Researched, drafted, and translated legal pleadings, from Portuguese to English and vice versa; Reported on potential effects of Draft Portuguese Arbitration Law.	10/2009-10/2010
	VOLUNTARIOS INTERNACIONALES MÉXICO, México D.F., México <i>Conservation Project Leader</i> Led several international conservation projects in rural Mexico; Assisted the <i>Centro Mexicano de la Tortuga</i> with marine turtle conservation efforts in Oaxaca; Assisted Forestry officials with mountain reforestation; Required to provide for well-being of team, maintain enthusiasm for the project, and meet periodic benchmarks for successful accomplishment.	06/1999-07/2002
Bar Admission	New York (2012); New Mexico (2013)	
Languages	English (Native); Spanish, Portuguese (Fluent); French (proficient)	
Education	HAGUE ACADEMY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, The Hague, The Netherlands Public International Law and Private International Law. Selected for the Directed Studies Program.	2010

- LL.M., UNIVERSIDADE CATÓLICA PORTUGUESA, Lisbon, Portugal** 2010
Fulbright Scholar, 2009-2010.
 International Financial and Trade Law.
 17th Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot, coach and team captain.
 2^o Moot Madrid, *Arbitraje Comercial Internacional*, coach and team captain.
Thesis: The Challenges of Contemporary International Finance to the Spanish and Portuguese Civil Codes (Adviser, Dr. Jan Dalhuisen).
- J.D., UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO, *honor roll***, Albuquerque, NM 2009
 Inter-American Financial, Commercial and Natural Resources Law.
 Lead Articles Editor, Natural Resources Journal.
 Semester: INSTITUTO TECNOLÓGICO AUTÓNOMO DE MÉXICO (ITAM).
 Semester: FACULDADE DE DIREITO, UNIVERSIDADE DE SÃO PAULO (USP).
Thesis: A 20th Century History of Foreign Investment Law in Mexico.
- M.A., UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO, *with honors***, Albuquerque, NM 2005
 Political and Economic History of Latin America and Iberia.
 Post-revolutionary Constitutionalism in Mexico, Brazil, Spain and Portugal.
Thesis: The Contingency of State Formation: Diego Rivera and the Political Currents of Post-revolutionary Mexico, 1922-1924.
- B.A., KATHOLIEKE UNIVERSITEIT LEUVEN, *magna cum laude***, Leuven, Belgium 2004
 Political Philosophy, Metaphysics, Anglo-American Philosophy, and Existentialism.
Thesis: *La Hantise de l'Absolu*: Ontological Dynamics in *Les Fleurs du Mal*.
- B.A., ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE, Annapolis, MD** 2000
 History of Mathematics and Physics, Philosophy, Classics, and Comparative Literature.
Thesis: The Pristine Lyrical Validity of *Don Quijote*'s Spiritual Movements.
- Selected Awards**
Grant: 2009-2010 *Comissão Fulbright; Fundação Luso-Americana para Desenvolvimento*
Grant: 2009 U.S. Dept. of Education/*Ministério da Educação (Brasil)*
Fellowship: 2008 Univ. of New Mexico: Transboundary Water Resources in Mexican Law
Fellowship: 2005 *Fundação Luso-Americana para Desenvolvimento*: The Political Roots of Portugal's Post-Revolutionary Constitution.
- Publications**
The Importance of Resolving Non-Performing Loans (with Mahesh Uttamchandani), Global Insolvency & Restructuring Review 2012/13, Euromoney Books, 10th ed., 2010.
Book Review, Making Transnational Law Work in the Global Economy, International Law Association Newsletter, American Branch, No. 88, February 2010.
The Quaraí River Basin and the Cession of Sovereignty, Estudos de Direito Internacional, Volume XVII, Juruá Editora, 2009.
Science and Diplomacy: The Bellagio Draft Treaty and the Transboundary Aquifer Assessment Act, Vista, New Mexico Environmental Law Section, Winter 2009.
- Activities**
 Practicing Ashtanga and Vinyasa Yoga; Swimming
 American Society of International Law (ASIL); International Law Association: US & Mexico
 Coach of 21st Vis Arbitration Moot team for the *Universidad Autónoma de Ciudad Juárez*
 Coach of FDI Moot, 2014, team for the *Universidad Autónoma de Ciudad Juárez*