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RENO
Memorandum

DATE: May 12, 2026

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Jackie Bryant, City Manager

DEPT: City Manager's Office

SUBJECT: Reno Housing Authority Appointment

This memo serves as formal notice of the appointment of Mariluz Garcia as a Commissioner to the Reno Housing Authority by Reno City Manager Jackie Bryant pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 315.370.

Mariluz Garcia will fill the vacancy resulting from the resignation of Commissioner Dave Aiazzi and will serve the remainder of the unexpired term, from May 11, 2026 through February 29, 2028.

Legal Authority for Appointment

Historically, appointments to the Reno Housing Authority have been brought forward for City Council consideration. However, pursuant to NRS 315.370, the authority to appoint commissioners is vested in the chief executive of the City. Section 2.020 of the Reno City Charter designates the City Manager as the Chief Executive and Administrative Officer of the City.

Accordingly, the City Manager has the legal authority to appoint commissioners to the Reno Housing Authority and to fill vacancies for unexpired terms. This appointment is being made by the City Manager consistent with that statutory authority.

This memo is provided to ensure transparency and to formally notify the City Council and the public of the appointment.

Attachments:

Reno Housing Authority Roster [EXTERNAL BOARD]



City of Reno Board & Commission Roster

Effective Date: May 11, 2026

Reno Housing Authority Board - EXTERNAL

Reno Housing Authority owns and manages public housing units in seven different locations in the City of Reno and Sparks under the Public Housing programs and, through the use of the Neighborhood Stabilization Programs and other funding, owns rental properties specifically targeted for low income households. RHA also provides housing subsidies to low income facilities in Reno, Sparks, and Washoe County through Rental Assistance programs.

Position Title	Name & Term	Contact Information
Council Seat	Miguel Martinez Term: 04/01/2025 – 03/31/2029 Replacing: Hillary Schieve	Email: MartinezMi@reno.gov Phone: (775) 334-2012
Board Member	Vacant Term: 05/12/2026 – 12/31/2029 Replacing: Dave Aiazzi	Email: Phone:
Board Member	Mark Sullivan Term: 04/01/2025 – 03/31/2029 Replacing: Mark Sullivan	Email: Phone:
Board Member	Kathleen Taylor Term: 04/01/2025 – 03/31/2029 Replacing: Oscar Delgado	Email: TaylorK@reno.gov Phone: (775) 334-2016
Resident Board Member	Vacant Term: 05/01/2026 – 12/31/2028 Replacing: Dejanae Solley	Email: Phone: