

DATE: June 18, 2008

TO: City Clerk

FROM: Representative Rachel Quintana

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

Agenda for the Council Meeting of June 24, 2008

Appointment of Rafael Hernando III, to fill an unexpired term, on the City Accessibility

Item should read as follows: Advisory Committee as requested by Representative Rachel Quintana, District 5.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: _____

BOARD COMMITTEE/COMMISSION APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT FORM

NAME OF BOARD/COMMITTEE/COMMISSION: City Accessibility Advisory Committee

NOMINATED BY: Representative Rachel Quintana

DISTRICT: 5

NAME OF APPOINTEE Rafael Hernando III

(Please verify correct spelling of name)

BUSINESS ADDRESS: (Retired)

CITY: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____ PHONE: 915-494-3680

HOME ADDRESS: _____

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

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

NAME OF INCUMBENT: Rebecca Vasquez

EXPIRATION DATE OF INCUMBENT: 09-18-2009

REASON PERSON IS NO LONGER IN OFFICE (CHECK ONE):

TERM EXPIRED: _____

RESIGNED XX

REMOVED _____

DATE OF APPOINTMENT: 06-24-2008

EXPIRATION DATE OF NEW APPOINTEE: 09-18-2009

PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

1st TERM: _____

2nd TERM: _____

UNEXPIRED TERM: XX

Rafael Hernando III

PROFILE

Co-founder of the SISD Volunteer After –School Sports Program (VASSP).
United States Army Veteran Purple Heart Recipient.
Civic Recognition: SISD school named - Spc. Rafael Hernando III Middle School.

EXPERIENCE

Socorro Independent School District

2003 - Present

Parent Volunteer Coordinator for Volunteer After School Sports Program

- Successfully raised over \$35,000 for playground shades and Student Activities
- Increased after school program from one campus to 26 campuses in 5 years
- Maximized student participation from 150 students in 2003 to 3500 students in 2008
- Volunteered 10,000 plus hours as a Parent Volunteer
- Provide training for fundraising activities
- Schedule games and events

Veterans American GI Forum

2002 -2005

Commander

- Commander 2003-2005
- Helped reactivate El Paso Chapter
- Provided information on benefits to Hispanic veterans for the El Paso area

Southwest Wheel Chair Sports Association

1979 - 1985

Co-founder

- Coached Rolling Miners wheelchair basketball team
- General Manager El Paso Wheel Chair Sports
- Successfully fundraised to enable team to travel and participate in events