

DATE: 12/01/2011

TO: City Clerk

FROM: Representative Eddie Holguin, Jr.

ADDRESS 2 Civic Center Plaza 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, El Paso, TX TELEPHONE 915-541-4182

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

Agenda for the Council Meeting of December 6, 2011

Item should read as follows: Appointment of Edward Hernandez, to the Civil Service Commission by Representative Eddie Holguin, District 6.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

**BOARD COMMITTEE/COMMISSION APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT FORM**

NAME OF BOARD/COMMITTEE/COMMISSION: Civil Service Commission

NOMINATED BY: Representative Eddie Holguin, Jr. DISTRICT: 6

NAME OF APPOINTEE Edward Hernandez  
(Please verify correct spelling of name)

BUSINESS ADDRESS: 2110 E. Yandell

CITY: El Paso ST: TX ZIP: 79903 PHONE: 915-838-0338

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: Fernando Chacon

EXPIRATION DATE OF INCUMBENT: 04/13/2010

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

CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL DATE: 12/06/2011

TERM BEGINS ON : 04/14/2010

EXPIRATION DATE OF NEW APPOINTEE: 04/13/2013

PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING: 1<sup>st</sup> TERM: X

2<sup>nd</sup> TERM: \_\_\_\_\_

UNEXPIRED TERM: \_\_\_\_\_

**EDWARD HERNANDEZ**  
**Attorney and Counselor at Law**  
 2110 East Yandell Drive  
 El Paso, Texas 79903

Office Phone (915) 838-0338

Facsimile (915) 808-6869

**EDUCATION:**

**Yale Law School, J.D. , 1994**

Awards and Activities: Editor and Permissions Editor of the Yale Journal on Regulation, J.D. Student Marshall, Connecticut Bar Foundation Fellow, Intern with Valley Legal Assistance Society in Derby, Connecticut

**Congressional Fellow, Washington D.C., 1990-1991**; Funded by the Ford Foundation which also sponsored a course in politics at American University during Summer 1989

**The University of Texas at El Paso, B.A., 1990**, Major Philosophy, Minor Russian Language

Awards and Activities: Honors Program, High Honors, Top 10 Seniors, Men and Women of Mines. Who=s Who in American Colleges and Universities, Alpha Chi National Honor Society, Student Marshall for the College of Liberal Arts, Dean=s List, Honors List, 1<sup>st</sup> Place- 1989 Hispanic Heritage Student Writing Competition (Poetry in English), Founder and Co-Editor of MEGLOPSYCHIA (an unofficial student periodical), Founder of POLITEA (a student-faculty discussion group), Selectee and participant in the Ford Foundation Undergraduate Hispanic Leadership Opportunity Program(1989)

**Baylor College of Medicine/Rice University Honors Premedical Academy, Summer 1989**; Funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

**WORK EXPERIENCE:**

**Hernandez & Hernandez**

**Linebarger Goggan Blair and Sampson, L.L.P.**

**El Paso Legal Assistance Society**

**Kemp Smith Duncan and Hammond, P.C.**

**Texas Eighth Court of Appeals**

**Scott Hulse et al, PC**

**Texas Rural Legal Aid**

**American Civil Liberties Union**

**Organization of American States**

**Centro De Salud Familiar La Fe, Inc.**

**United States Navy**

Managing Partner	2003-present
Partner, Litigation	2003
Associate, Litigation	1997-2002
Staff Attorney	1996-1997
Associate, Com. Litigation	1994-1996
Summer Associate (split)	1993
Summer Clerkship (split)	1993
Summer Associate (split)	1993
Summer Clerkship	1992
Intern, Nat'l Leg, Branch, Wash, D.C.	1990-1991
Intern, Department for the Codification and Development of Int'l Law, Washington, D.C.	1990-1991
Volunteer	1989-1990
Hull Maintenance Technician	1980-1986

**LAW LICENSES**

**United States District Court, Western District of Texas**

**State Bar of Texas**

1997- present  
 1995-present

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS, ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS**

**State Bar of Texas**

**Texas Civil Rights Project**

**American Diabetes Association**

**Texas Civil Rights Project**

**Hispanic Leadership Institute**

Leadership Development Committee

Law School Endowment Committee

**El Paso Bar Association**

Legal Aid Lawyer Referral Committee

**Mexican American Bar Association-El Paso**

**United States Navy**

Past Chair

Frank J. Scurlock Award	2009
State Board Member	2009
Attorney Advocate Network	2007-Present
Henry B. Gonzalez Civil Rights Award	2006
Former Board Member	1999-2003

Past Chair

Co-chair

1996-1998

Member of the Year	1999
Navy Expeditionary Medal (Multinational Force, Beirut, Lebanon)	
Good Conduct Medal	
Sea Service Deployment Ribbons (two)	

**LANGUAGES**

Spanish, Russian (rusty)