CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: All Councilors

FROM: Ken Sanchez, President, City Council

Trudy Jones, Vice-President, City Council

SUBJECT: Appointments to the 2010 Redistricting Committee

DATE: September 15, 2010

CC: Laura Mason

On August 16, 2010, the City Council passed R-10-109, which creates the Charter required Redistricting Committee. That Committee's purpose is to make recommendations to the Council regarding redistricting the council districts based on 2010 census data.

The Charter requires that the Redistricting Committee be composed of an equal number of members from each Council district, must "as nearly as practicable" provide fair and balanced representation of the entire City, and its membership must "reflect the racial, ethnic and gender makeup of the City's population";

On August 27, 2010 and again on September 8, 2010, the City Council held study sessions to discuss the proposed makeup of the Redistricting Committee. The names listed below are those proposed by each Council member, and we believe that a Redistricting Committee comprised of these members represents, as nearly as practicable, the geographic, ethnic and gender makeup of the City of Albuquerque.

As such, we respectfully request your approval of the appointment of the following individuals to the city's 2010 Redistricting Committee:

VOTING MEMBERS

COUNCIL				
DISTRICT	Name	GENDER	ETHNICITY	
1	Linda Lopez	Female	Hispanic	
2	Roberta M. Rael	Female	Hispanic	
3	Ted Martinez	Male	Hispanic	
4	Bob Gurule	Male	Hispanic	
5	Sander Rue	Male	White	
6	Michael Montoya	Male	Hispanic	

7	Janice Arnold-Jones	Female	White
8	Hal Stratton	Male	Native American
9	Mickev Barnett	Male	White

ALTERNATE MEMBERS

COUNCIL			
DISTRICT	Name	GENDER	ETHNICITY
1	Vanessa Chavez	Female	Hispanic
2	Lissa Knudson	Female	White
3	Claudia Isaac	Female	African American
4	Mary Rose Twohig	Female	White
5	Betty Valdez	Female	Hispanic
6	Sandra Ortsman	Female	White
7	Wayne Johnson	Male	White
8	Barbara Morgan	Female	White
9	Bob Martinez	Male	Hispanic

STATISTICAL MAKEUP OF THE REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE VERSUS CITY POPULATION

	Voting	Total	City
Race	Member %	Member %	Population %
Hispanic	55.6%	44.4%	44.0%
White	33.3%	44.4%	44.2%
Native American	11.1%	5.6%	4.4%
African American	0.0%	5.6%	3.2%
Asian	0.0%	0.0%	2.5%
Other	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>1.8%</u>
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.1%*

		Voting	Total	City
Gender		Member %	Member %	Population %
Male		66.7%	44.4%	49.0%
Female		<u>33.3%</u>	<u>55.6%</u>	<u>51.0%</u>
	Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

^{*} Difference due to rounding.

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