

MEMORANDUM – DENVER HOUSING AUTHORITY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

TO:	Denver City Council
FROM:	Office of Boards & Commissions
DATE:	4/23/25
PURPOSE:	Reappointment for Denver Housing Authority Board of Commissioners

Purpose of Commission:

Guide and advise DHA staff. Review, consider, and pass resolutions. Approve DHA budget. Responsible for hiring the Executive Director. The Resident Commissioner is expected to represent the voice of DHA residents.

Appointment Process:

The Mayor appoints 9 members and City Council confirms appointments for a term of 5 years.

Reappointment Candidates:

Term: 7/20/2025-7/20/2030 or until a successor is duly appointed.

Federico C. Alvarez (Male, Hispanic)

Federico C. Alvarez is a retired attorney and judicial officer. Last, Federico served as a hearing officer for the City and County of Denver's Career Service. Previously he served as arbitrator for the American Arbitration Association, and as a mediator, in consumer, commercial and employment cases. Federico had been a partner at Kelly Garnsey Hubbell & Lass LLC, litigating commercial, employment and family law cases; a corporate attorney with Qwest Communications International, Inc.; a Denver District Court judge; a Denver County Court judge; an Assistant Attorney General; and began his career as a Deputy State Public Defender. Federico has been involved with numerous legal and community organizations throughout his career, including a longstanding interest in affordable housing. Federico received his law degree from Harvard Law School in 1980.