

Mayoral Appointment to the Denver Health and Hospital Authority

To approve the Mayoral appointment of the following individual to the Denver Health and Hospital Authority Board of Directors:

Thomas Kim , Centennial (M)(Asian) to serve for a term expiring June 30, 2025 and occasioned by the resignation of Paul Washington, appointed.

Purpose/Scope of the Board: Direct DHHA on financial management, education and quality assurance, personnel and compensation and Denver Health Medical Plan.

Member Qualifications: Have an interest and knowledge of issues before DHHA and commitment to participation.

Selection Process and why these applicants were chosen: Tom Kim is a finance professional who has worked in the industry for many years. As part of his background, he has worked across many industries, including health care. Mr. Washington was a member of the finance committee and his departure, along with Kevin Quinn’s term ending next June, leaves the Authority with a need to add finance expertise now, so there can be overlap on the committee. In addition to his financial expertise, Tom is an attorney with significant experience in strategic planning/partnerships, governmental relationships, business and community engagement Tom is an Asian American, an ethnicity that has never been represented on our Board. The Pena clinic is the medical home to a large number of Asian Americans – having this representation on the Board would be very good.

Current Makeup of Board:

John Reilly, Denver (M)(C)(CD6), appt.

Kevin Quinn, Greenwood Village,(M)(C) appt.

Patti Klinge, Denver, (F)(C) (CD1)

Anne Warhover, Denver, (F)(C)(CD11), reappt.

Irene Aguilar, MD, Denver, (F)(H)(CD1) reappt.

Fernando Carreira, Denver (M)(H)(CD6)

Richard James “Jim” Chavez (M)(H) Highlands Ranch, reappt.

Hollie Velasquez-Horvath, Denver (F)(H)(CD5) appt.

Elias Provencio-Vasquez, Denver (M)(H)(CD9), appt.

Patricia Dean, Denver (F)(C)(CD6), reappt.

Thomas Kim, Centennial (M)(Asian), appt.

Additional Information: None.