



# Board Appointment Form

City Clerk's Office

<b>Appointing Office</b>	Art Fierro, District 6
<b>Agenda Placement</b>	Consent
<b>Date of Council Meeting</b>	04/01/26
<b>Name of Board</b>	Ethics Review Commission
<b>Agenda Posting Language</b>	
Eduardo R. Castillo to the Ethics Review Commission by Representative Art Fierro, District 6.	
<b>Appointment Type</b>	Regular
<b>Member Qualifications</b>	
Attorney with over 30 years of experience in federal and state litigation. Proven track record in the civil prosecution of complex fraud cases, including healthcare and government contract fraud. Expert in defending federal agencies and employees across diverse practice areas such as civil rights, medical malpractice, and real estate litigation. Former Assistant United States Attorney with a reputation for integrity, leadership, and rigorous legal advocacy.	
<b>Nominee Name</b>	Eduardo R. Castillo
<b>Nominee Email Address</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Nominee Residential Address</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Nominee Primary Phone Number</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Residing District</b>	District 7
<b>City Employed Relatives</b>	N/A
<b>Board Membership</b>	
N/A	
<b>Real estate owned in El Paso County</b>	
[REDACTED]	
<b>Previous Appointee</b>	Patricia A. Macias
<b>Reason for Vacancy</b>	Term Expired
<b>Date of Appointment</b>	04/01/26
<b>Term Begins On</b>	02/21/26
<b>Term Expires On</b>	02/20/28
<b>Term</b>	First Term

## **Eduardo R. Castillo**



### **Professional Summary**

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### **Professional Experience**

**Assistant United States Attorney** | U.S. Attorney's Office, Western District of Texas | 1999 – 2025

- **Civil Enforcement Unit (2017 – 2025):** Led civil prosecutions against individuals and entities for fraud against the government. Managed high-stakes cases involving healthcare fraud, contract fraud, and program fraud under the False Claims Act.
- **Civil Litigation Division (1999 – 2017):** Represented the United States, federal agencies, and federal employees in a wide array of complex litigation.
  - Litigated matters involving medical malpractice, personal injury (FTCA), and civil rights.
  - Handled specialized disputes regarding water rights, real estate, contracts, and employment discrimination.

**Assistant County Attorney** | El Paso County Attorney's Office | 1993 – 1999

- **Supervisor of Civil Unit (2 Years):** Managed the legal team responsible for representing the County of El Paso in civil matters.
- Represented the County in litigation involving torts, civil rights, employment discrimination, and real estate.
- Negotiated and litigated complex contract disputes on behalf of the county government.

**Assistant District Attorney** | Bexar County District Attorney's Office | 1991 – 1993

- Prosecuted a high volume of misdemeanor and felony criminal cases.
  - Managed all stages of criminal proceedings, from initial filing through jury trial and sentencing.
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## Education

**Juris Doctorate (J.D.)** | 1990 St. Mary's University School of Law, San Antonio, TX

**Bachelor of Arts in Public Justice** | 1987 St. Mary's University, San Antonio, TX

- *Honors: Cum Laude*
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## Core Competencies

- **Litigation:** Federal & State Civil Procedure, Criminal Prosecution, Trial Advocacy, Depositions.
  - **Specialized Law:** False Claims Act, Healthcare Fraud, Tort Law (FTCA), Civil Rights, Employment Law.
  - **Leadership:** Team Supervision, Case Management Strategy, Mentorship, Community Relations.
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## Civic Engagement & Volunteerism

- **Volunteer,** El Paso Master Gardeners | 2025 – Present
- **Chapter Director,** ACTS Chapter for the Catholic Diocese of El Paso | 2016 – 2021
- **PTA President,** Eastwood Knolls Middle School | 2007 – 2009
- **Mock Trial Coach,** Mission Valley Middle School & Ysleta High School