



Board Appointment Form

City Clerk's Office

Appointing Office	Mayor Renard U. Johnson
Agenda Placement	Consent
Date of Council Meeting	04/29/25
Name of Board	Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone Number 5
Agenda Posting Language	
Appointment of Steve Ortega to the Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone Number 5 by Mayor Renard U. Johnson.	
Appointment Type	Regular
Member Qualifications	
Please see resume attached.	
Nominee Name	Steve Ortega
Nominee Email Address	[REDACTED]
Nominee Residential Address	[REDACTED]
Nominee Primary Phone Number	[REDACTED]
Residing District	District 8
City Employed Relatives	N/A
Board Membership	
Ad Hoc Charter Advisory Committee (2022) El Paso Downtown Management District Board of Directors (September 2021 - August 2024)	
Real estate owned in El Paso County	
[REDACTED]	
Previous Appointee	Holt Grambling
Reason for Vacancy	Resigned
Date of Appointment	04/29/25
Term Begins On	04/30/24
Term Expires On	04/29/26
Term	Unexpired Term

STEVE ORTEGA



ATTORNEY AT LAW

AREAS OF FOCUS: ELDER LAW, ESTATE PLANNING AND PROBATE

Legal executive with over 15 years of experience in civil law and state and local government public policy advocacy

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

LAW OFFICE OF STEVE ORTEGA, P.L.L.C., El Paso, TX

2004 – Present

Attorney at Law and Public Policy Advocate

- Attorney specializing in wills, trusts and estates
- Practice areas to include estate planning, probate and civil law
- In the Top 1% of local client-reviewed attorneys
- Policy Consultant to several local leading businesses and non-profit organizations
- Vice-President of Hospice of El Paso
- Co-Chairman of the El Paso Chamber Mobility Coalition
- Board Member El Paso Heart Gallery

CITY OF EL PASO, El Paso, TX

2005 – 2013

City Council Representative

- Chairman of the Metropolitan Planning Commission
 - Chairman of the Economic Development Legislative Committee
 - Recipient of the Conquistador Award, the City of El Paso's Highest Award of Recognition
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EDUCATION & CREDENTIALS

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX

Bachelor of Arts, Sociology, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX

Juris Doctorate, The George Washington University Law Center, Washington, D.C.

Honored Alumni, Cathedral High School (2005)

Member of the Texas Bar College and the Texas Bar Foundation (2016-Present)

Former Vice-Chairman of the KCOS Board of Directors (2014-2018)

Former President of the El Paso Downtown Management District (2024)