



Department of Human Resources

MAYOR
Renard U. Johnson

August 21, 2025

Patricia Palafox
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CITY COUNCIL

District 1
Alejandra Chávez

Dear Ms. Palafox:

District 2
Dr. Josh Acevedo

REFERENCE: DEMOTION APPEAL CASE

District 3
Deanna M. Rocha

The Civil Service Commission has assigned the case listed below to you. I have enclosed a copy of the appeal letter and the appropriate documents. Please contact the named employee and Assistant City Attorney, Matt Marquez, MarquezMG@elpasotexas.gov, to schedule a hearing. This appeal was timely filed.

District 4
Cynthia Boyar Trejo

District 5
Ivan Niño

NAME: Samantha Sapien

District 6
Art Fierro

DEPT: Zoo

TYPE: Suspension Appeal

District 7
Lily Limón

DOCKET NO. CSC Case 25-ZD-06PP

EMPLOYEE REP: Brian Kennedy Law

District 8
Chris Canales

*Either party may request that the hearing be recorded. If you have any questions, please reference the Recording Rule or call Stacey Gonzalez at 915-212-1241 for more details.

CITY MANAGER
Dionne Mack

Sincerely,

Mary Wiggins
Chief Human Resources Officer

cx: Joseph Montisano, Zoo Director
Zoo HR/Payroll
Benefits
Pension Administration
Employee's file

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