

# **Board Appointment Form**

### **Submitted On:**

May 2, 2023, 04:28PM MDT

## City Clerk

Appointing Office	Mayor Oscar Leeser
Agenda Placement	Consent
Date of Council Meeting	Tuesday, May 9, 2023
Name of Board	City of El Paso Employees Retirement Trust Board of Trustees
Agenda Posting Language	Re-Appointment of Rene D. Peña to the City of El Paso Employees Retirement Trust Board of Trustees by Mayor Oscar Leeser.
Appointment Type	Regular
List the nominee's qualifications to serve on this Board	See attached resume.
Nominee Name	Rene D. Peña
Nominee Email Address	
Nominee Residential Address	
Nominee Primary Phone Number	
Which District does the nominee reside in?	
Does the appointee have a relative working for the City?	N/A
Has the appointee been a member of any other city boards?	City of El Paso Employees Retirement Trust Board of Trustee 2006 2008, 01/211 01/201, 09/2013 042015 and 05/205 04/2017
List all real estate owned in El Paso County	
Previous Appointee	Rene D. Peña
Reason for Vacancy	Term Expired
Date of Appointment	May 09, 2023
Term Begins On	May 01, 2023
Term Expires On	April 30, 2025
Term	1st Term
Upload File(s)	Resume Rene D. Peña.pdf

#### RENE D. PEÑA. CPA

CERTIFICATION Certified Public Accountant licensed by the States of Texas and New

Mexico

MEMBERSHIP American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

**Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants** 

El Paso Chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants

(Past-President)

Former Member American College of Forensic Examiners

EXPERIENCE Peña Briones McDaniel & Co., P.C.: Principal/Shareholder

Mr. Peña has over forty years of experience in public accounting. In addition to being the Audit Principal and President of the Firm, he has become a volunteer speaker and instructor of auditing and accounting to members of both public accounting and private industry throughout Texas and the El Paso Southwest area focusing on nonprofit business management.

Mr. Peña has diversified client exposure, specifically including private industries, nonprofit, governmental, financial institution, construction industries, litigation support, and healthcare.

EDUCATION B.B.A. in Accounting, University of Texas at El Paso

Mr. Peña has continued to extend his education throughout his public accounting career by attending and instructing continuing education seminars and courses. He has attended and instructed numerous courses in the following areas:

- governmental, non-profit and fund accounting, including federally assisted programs
- financial institution accounting
- current updates of technical nature in audit, tax, and advisory services
- litigation support and business valuation

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

Mr. Peña has been appointed by three Texas Governors to the Texas Healthy Kids, Texas State Board of Geoscientist, State Board of Physical Therapist and Texas Optometry Board. He recently served as Chairman of the El Paso City Employee Pensions Board, as well as Treasurer of El Paso Parochial School Board and currently serves on the Texas State Optometry Board, and the El Paso CPA Board. He also has served on the AICPA Joint Trial Board and National AICPA Council, as well as Treasurer on the Executive Committee for the Texas Society of CPA's, President, and state director for the El Paso Chapter of Certified Public Accountants and Treasurer of El Paso Parochial School Board. He has also served as a commissioner for the El Paso Housing Authority as well as a Director of the Rio Grande Girl Scout Council, Upper Rio Grande Development Corporation, a Community development corporation, Board of Directors of the El Paso Zoological Society, a local board, and director of the school ground restoration committee.