


Memorandum



Date: July 11, 2025

To: Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, County of Santa Barbara

From: Wendy Sims-Moten, Director 
First 5 Children and Families Commission of Santa Barbara County

Subject: Item A-22: Appointment of Community Members to the First 5 Children and Families Commission of Santa Barbara County

CC: Mona Miyasato, County Executive Officer

The First 5 Children and Families Commission of Santa Barbara County (First 5 SBC) requests to amend the Board Letter for the July 15, 2025, Board of Supervisors Administrative Agenda to reflect updated terms C and D.

The amendment requires the following changes to the recommended actions for Item A-22:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- a) Approve the appointment of Joanna Gerber as a regular Community Member (eighth member) to the First 5 Children and Families Commission of Santa Barbara County for a term of July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2028;
- b) Approve the appointment of Susan Walsh as a regular Community Member (ninth member) to the First 5 Children and Families Commission of Santa Barbara County for a term of July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2028;
- c) Approve the appointment of Emanuel Perez as a Community Alternate (twelfth member) to the First 5 Children and Families Commission of Santa Barbara County for a term ~~of July 1, 2027, through June 30, 2030~~ starting July 15, 2025, through June 30, 2027;
- d) Approve the appointment of Karrmen Rodriguez as a Community Alternate (thirteenth member) to the First 5 Children and Families Commission of Santa Barbara County for a term ~~of July 1, 2027, through June 30, 2030~~ starting July 15, 2025, through June 30, 2027;
- e) Determine that the above-recommended actions are not a project that is subject to environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15378(b)(5), finding that the actions consist of administrative activities of the government that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.