



**STAFF REPORT
HOLLISTER CITY COUNCIL
MEETING DATE: January 5, 2026
REPORT # City Clerk-2026-01**

AGENDA ITEM: RATIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT TO FILL VACANCIES ON THE BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMISSION AND PARKS, ARTS, RECREATION, AND CULTURE COMMISSION

DEPARTMENT: City Clerk

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Jennifer Woodworth, City Clerk

STAFF CONTACT: Angie Gonzalez, Deputy City Clerk

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Ratify the appointments of Peter Hernandez to fill a vacancy on the Business Advisory Commission and Francisco Rodriguez to fill a vacancy on the Parks, Arts, Recreation, and Culture Commission.

DISCUSSION: The Business Advisory Commission (BAC) was established by Resolution 2025-115 on August 18, 2025. The commission currently has five vacancies. Appointments to City commissions require ratification by the City Council.

The City Clerk has received one application for the Business Advisory Commission. The Mayor has recommended the appointment of Peter Hernandez to fill a vacant seat.

The Parks, Arts, Recreation, and Culture Commission (PARC) was established by Resolution 2025-135 on October 6, 2025. The commission currently has six vacancies, including two youth members. Appointments to City commissions require ratification by the City Council.

The City Clerk has received one application for the Parks, Arts, Recreation, and Culture Commission. Councilmember Morales has recommended the appointment of Francisco Rodriguez to fill a vacant seat.

The recruitment will remain open for vacancies on all other Hollister advisory bodies.

FISCAL IMPACT: N/A

PREVIOUS COUNCIL OR COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

CEQA: Not a project under CEQA.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Redacted Commissioner Application for Peter Hernandez
2. Redacted Commissioner Application for Francisco Rodriguez