

City of Garden Grove

INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To: Matthew Fertal  
Dept.: City Manager  
Subject: APPOINTMENT OF ROGER TORRIERO  
TO VIETNAM WAR MUSEUM  
AD HOC EXPLORATORY COMMITTEE

From: Kimberly Huy  
Dept.: Community Services  
Date: March 23, 2010

OBJECTIVE

The purpose of this memorandum is to request that the City Council appoint Roger Torriero to sit as the fifth member of the Vietnam War Museum Exploratory Committee.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

At the City Council meeting of January 26, 2010, the City Council established an Exploratory Committee to provide a level of independent investigation in defining the development of a Vietnam War Museum. The Committee was to consist of two Council Members and three others who have the expertise to assist in defining the scope of development for the feasibility study.

At the January 26th meeting, the City Council appointed Councilmembers Bruce Broadwater and Dina Nguyen; Peter Katz and General Bailey McCune to sit as the Committee, with the fifth position left vacant.

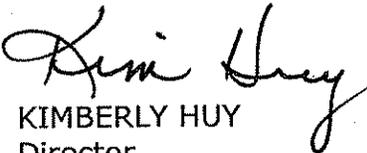
Since that time, staff received inquiries from two people interested in serving on the Committee; staff interviewed both applicants and is recommending that the City Council appoint Roger Torriero as the fifth member of the Exploratory Committee.

Mr. Torriero is a registered architect and licensed contractor; he is a member of the Urban Land Institute and the Associated General Contractor's of America. In addition to numerous professional organizations, Mr. Torriero's public service has included serving on the Board of Governors of the Bowers Museum of Cultural Art in Orange County, as the Chair of its Facilities Committee during its expansion and renovation.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council:

- Approve the appointment of Roger Torriero as the fifth member of the Ad Hoc Exploratory Committee

  
KIMBERLY HUY  
Director

Approved for Agenda Listing

  
Matthew Fertal  
City Manager