## **Memorandum**



Date December 20, 2021

To Honorable Mayor & Members of the City Council

Subject Dallas Area Rapid Transit Board (DART) Appointment - Vacant Position 02 (Partial Term; Term Expires 6/30/22)

On Thursday December 16, 2021, our office was made aware that Dominique Torres-Williams, DART Board Appointee (Position 02), had submitted her resignation. As a result of this resignation, the need exists to appoint a replacement. The individual will be appointed for a <u>partial term</u> beginning the date of the appointment and ending June 30, 2022.

- Monday, December 20, 2021, council members can begin nominating individuals to vacant Position No. 02 for the remainder of the term (date of appointment through June 30, 2022).
  - o A council member may submit their nominee(s).
    - The nomination memo must be accompanied by a NeoGov application.
  - The deadline to submit the nominating memo to the City Secretary's Office is Tuesday, January 4, 2022, no later than 5:00 p.m.
    - If no NeoGov application is submitted by this due date, the nomination will be considered incomplete and the individual will be disqualified from consideration.
- Electronic Notebooks containing information on DART Board nominee(s) will be sent to the full City Council Wednesday, January 5, 2022 via email.
- Transportation & Infrastructure Committee (TRNI) will interview the nominee(s) at a special called meeting Thursday, January 6, 2022, and select the top finalist to recommend for appointment by city council.
  - City Council invited to attend/participate.
  - City Secretary informs the city council of TRNI's top recommended finalist.
  - The recommended finalist is not guaranteed appointment as the city council may consider other nominees (if applicable).
- City Council will appoint at the Wednesday, January 12, 2022 city council meeting.

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> Only nominees interviewed by TRNI may be considered for appointment.

Please contact me if you have questions. You may also contact City Secretary, Bilierae Johnson directly.

**Omar Narvaez** 

City Councilmember, District 06

Chair, Transportation and Infrastructure Committee

## Attachments

c: Bilierae Johnson, City Secretary
T.C. Broadnax, City Manager
Christopher J. Caso, City Attorney
Majed Al-Ghafry, Assistant City Manager
Miroslava Martinez, Assistant City Secretary
Adelia Gonzalez, Manager, CSO
Parris Long, Manager, CSO

## Dallas Area Rapid Transit Board (DART) - **Vacant Position**2022 APPOINTMENT TIMELINE

## 1 Dallas Member

Position 02 (PARTIAL TERM; Term Expires 06/30/2022)

December 20, 2021 (Monday)	<ul> <li>Chair of the Transportation and Infrastructure Committee (TRNI) sends memo to City Council requesting nominee(s) via submission of a nominating memo, resume, biography and NeoGov Application</li> <li>Position to be filled: 02 [Partial term, expires 6/30/2022]</li> <li>Deadline for nominations to be submitted to City Secretary's Office is Tuesday, January 4, 2022, no later than 5:00 p.m.</li> </ul>
December 23, 2021 (Thursday) December 30, 2021 (Thursday) January 3, 2022 (Monday) [If necessary]	City Secretary sends reminders to City Council of Tuesday, January 4, 2022, 5:00 p.m. deadline to submit nominations to the City Secretary's Office
January 4, 2022 (Tuesday) 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for City Council nominations to be submitted no later than 5:00 p.m.     If NeoGov Application for a particular nominee is not received by the deadline date/time, the nomination will be considered incomplete and the nominee will not be considered for review     Background checks begin immediately
January 5, 2022 (Wednesday)	Nominee information (e-notebooks) will be forwarded to City Council     *HARDCOPIES UPON REQUEST
January 6, 2022 (Thursday)	<ul> <li>TRNI meets to interview candidates         <ul> <li>City Council invited to attend/participate</li> </ul> </li> <li>TRNI recommends one (1) candidate for appointment to City Council         <ul> <li>City Secretary informs City Council of the TRNI recommendation</li> <li>The 1 recommended individual is not guaranteed appointment as the City Council may consider other nominees, but only if they were interviewed by TRNI</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
January 12, 2022 (Wednesday)	City Council to consider appointment of one (1) member     Only nominees interviewed by TRNI will be considered for appointment