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Montebello City Manager Appointed to Cal Cities Environmental Quality Policy Committee

Montebello, CA – Montebello City Manager René Bobadilla has been appointed to a one-year term to serve on the League of California Cities’ Environmental Quality Policy Committee, which took effect on December 23, 2021.

Mr. Bobadilla’s appointment to the committee was made by Cindy Silva, president of the League of California Cities (Cal Cities), and will involve reviewing issues related to air, water and water quality, California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), solid waste and recycling, hazardous materials, coastal issues, utilities, and wildfires. “I am pleased to have Montebello City Manager Bobadilla join the Cal Cities Environmental Quality Policy Committee,” said Cal Cities President and Walnut Creek Council Member Cindy Silva. “Together with a team of dedicated local leaders from throughout the state, we will work to ensure that local perspectives are informing the outcome of state policy decisions.”

Cal Cities committees, such as the Environmental Quality Policy Committee, meet four to five times a year with the ultimate goal to advocate for the common interests of California cities.

“I am honored to accept this appointment from Cal Cities and President Silva,” said Bobadilla. “I look forward to working with my colleagues on the committee to ensure we identify meaningful ways to improve how we assess and address the quality of our environments across our diverse communities in the State of California.”

Bobadilla’s term on the committee will end upon adjournment of the 2022 League of California Cities Annual Conference.

The City of Montebello was founded in 1920 and is located eight miles southeast of downtown Los Angeles. Its history dates back to the days of the Franciscan missionaries and today boasts a full array of services including police, fire and one of the region’s largest public transportation systems, [Montebello Bus Lines](#). The city’s multi-cultural resident population is approximately 65,000 covering a footprint of approximately four square miles. For more information visit www.cityofmontebello.com or follow us on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

The League of California Cities has been shaping the Golden State’s political landscape since the association was founded in 1898. Cal Cities works to defend and expand local control through advocacy efforts in the Legislature, at the ballot box, in the courts, and through strategic outreach that informs and educates the public, policymakers, and opinion leaders. Cal Cities also offers education and training programs designed to teach city officials about new developments in their field and exchange solutions to common challenges facing their cities. For more information visit www.calcities.org.

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