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Board of Supervisors
County of Ventura
800 S. Victoria Ave.
Ventura, CA 93009

SUBJECT: Recommendation of Supervisor Vianey Lopez to Appoint Mary Kennedy to the Air Pollution Control District Advisory Committee.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that our Board approve the Appointment of Mary Kennedy to the Air Pollution Control District Advisory Committee for a term ending January 6, 2025.

DISCUSSION:

Mary Kennedy has served the public in a variety of ways across different government agencies. From public health and safety, to managing statewide child welfare agency processes, she has used her extensive knowledge of the issues at hand to help others.

While serving as Deputy General Counsel at the Tennessee Department of Health, Ms. Kennedy aided in the Child Adoption process where she reviewed all social histories and agency reports to the Court. She appeared in court for entry of interim order and final judgments. This is just an example of Ms. Kennedy's qualifications, which also include a Master of Laws-LLM from the University of Illinois Chicago School of Law, and a Doctor of Law-JD from Loyola University Chicago.

I believe that Ms. Kennedy's extensive experience studying, understanding, and protecting the members of her community, while also considering the health of the environment, makes her a great addition to the Air Pollution Control District Advisory Committee.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Vianey Lopez
Supervisor, Fifth District