

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-XXX**

**RESOLUTION TO AFFIRM THE CITY COUNCIL’S ACTION ON FEBRUARY 27, 2024 TO APPOINT  
SBEYDEH VIVEROS-WALTON TO FILL THE DISTRICT 1 VACANCY ON THE CITY COUNCIL**

**WHEREAS**, Having been duly elected on November 8, 2022, District 1 Council Member Celina Reynes tendered her resignation from the City Council effective December 31, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 250 of the Charter of the City of San Leandro, a vacancy in the office of Council Member or Mayor shall be filled by appointment by the Council within sixty days after its existence; and

**WHEREAS**, the appointee shall hold office until the next general municipal election and until a successor is elected and qualified, and any unexpired remainder of the term of such office shall be filled by the voters at such election; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 2, 2024, the City Council declared its intention to fill the District 1 Council vacancy by appointment, approved the process and timeline for filling the vacancy, and directed staff to provide public notice of the vacancy and application process; and

**WHEREAS**, eighteen applications were submitted by members of the public, of which fifteen were eligible for consideration for the vacancy; and

**WHEREAS**, an Ad Hoc committee, comprised of Mayor Gonzalez, and Councilmembers Aguilar and Bowen reviewed the application packets and selected six applicants to be interviewed by Council; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 13, 2024, Council interviewed the applicants and discussed nominations; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 27, 2024, Council continued discussion of nominations and unanimously voted to appoint Sbeydeh Viveros-Walton to fill the District 1 vacancy on the Council.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the City Council of the City of San Leandro does **RESOLVE** as follows:

That it affirms the action the Council took on February 27, 2024 to appoint Sbeydeh Viveros-Walton to the City Council to fill the District 1 vacancy caused by the resignation of Celina Reynes, to a term expiring December 31, 2024, and until a successor is elected and qualified.

Introduced by \_\_\_\_\_ and passed and adopted this 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 2024 by the following vote:

<b>AYES:</b>	(0)
<b>NOES:</b>	(0)
<b>ABSENT:</b>	(0)

**ATTEST:**

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Kelly B. Clancy, CMC  
City Clerk