



ERIC GARCETTI
MAYOR

May 24, 2020

Honorable Members of the City Council
c/o City Clerk
City Hall, Room 395

Honorable Members:

Subject to your confirmation, I have reappointed Mr. Adam Nathanson to the Board of Fire and Police Pension Commissioners for the term ending June 30, 2025. Mr. Nathanson's current term expires on June 30, 2020.

I certify that in my opinion Mr. Nathanson is qualified for the work that will devolve upon him, and that I make the appointment solely in the interest of the City.

Sincerely,

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ERIC GARCETTI
Mayor

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Attachment

COMMISSION APPOINTMENT FORM

Name: Adam Nathanson
Commission: Board of Fire and Police Pension Commissioners
End of Term: 6/30/2025

Appointee Information

1. **Race/ethnicity:** Caucasian
2. **Gender:** Male
3. **Council district and neighborhood of residence:** 5 - West
4. **Are you a registered voter?** Yes
5. **Prior commission experience:** Board of Library Commissioners, Board of Fire and Police Pension
6. **Highest level of education completed:** Tulane University
7. **Occupation/profession:** President & CEO, Mapleton Investments, LLC
8. **Experience(s) that qualifies person for appointment:** See attached resume
9. **Purpose of this appointment:** Reappointment
10. **Current composition of Mayor appointments:**

Commissioner	APC	CD	Ethnicity	Gender	Term End
Nathanson, Adam	West LA	5	Caucasian	M	30-Jun-20
Pendleton, Brian	South Valley	4	Caucasian	M	30-Jun-23
Salimpour, Pedram	South Valley	5	Caucasian	M	30-Jun-22
Tapia, Corinne E.	West LA	11	Latina	F	30-Jun-24
Vega, Belinda M	Central	4	Latina	F	30-Jun-21

Adam Nathanson, President & CEO, Mapleton Investments, LLC

Adam Nathanson is President and CEO of Mapleton Investments, LLC which invests in a broad range of global ventures including private equity, direct investments, fixed income, hedge funds, and domestic and international equity managers. In addition, Mapleton owns and operates an active and diversified real estate portfolio of 40 plus properties including apartment, medical, office and industrial buildings, valued at over \$500 Million Dollars.

Prior to joining Mapleton Investments in 2011, Mr. Nathanson was President and CEO of Mapleton Communications. During his nine-year tenure, he built and grew the company into the 4th largest radio group serving the Western United States focused on mid-sized markets (2nd largest in California).

Mr. Nathanson began his career in 1992 as an executive at MTV Europe (Music Television) headquartered in London, working on the team that marketed MTV Europe to over 25 Countries. Nathanson then served as Director of New Business Development for MTV Latin America based in Miami where he supervised and licensed the MTV brand, building businesses in nineteen countries throughout Latin America, including the platinum awarded “MTV Unplugged” album series.

Aside from his responsibility at Mapleton Investments, Mr. Nathanson is also part-owner of the Seattle Sounders, the Major League Soccer team which won the MLS Champions Cup in 2019 and part-owner of the National Hockey League’s (NHL) new franchise in Seattle, which debuts in 2022.

Mr. Nathanson also serves as a Commissioner and President of the 26,000 member City of Los Angeles Fire and Police Pensions with \$25 billion (AUM), appointed by Mayor Eric Garcetti; he is a member of the Pacific Council on International Policy; and is a member of the Los Angeles Chapter of YPO (Young Presidents’ Organization), and previously served as a Library Commissioner for the City of Los Angeles. On a personal side, Adam enjoys art collecting, fly fishing, road biking, and competing in Triathlon’s.

Mr. Nathanson is a graduate of Tulane University and lives in Los Angeles with his wife, Lauren, and three children.



May 24, 2020

Dear Mr. Nathanson:

I am pleased to inform you that I hereby reappoint you to the Board of Fire and Police Pension Commissioners for the term ending June 30, 2025. In order to complete the process as quickly as possible, there are several steps that must be taken, many of which require visiting City Hall. If you require parking during these procedures, please call Claudia Luna in my Office at (213) 978-0621 to make arrangements for you.

To begin the reappointment process, please review, sign and return the enclosed Remuneration Form, Undated Separation Forms, Background Check Release and Information Sheet **within one week** of receiving this letter. These documents are necessary to ensuring the most efficient, open and accountable City government possible.

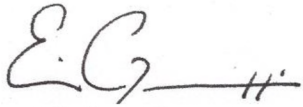
As part of the City Council confirmation process, you will need to meet with Paul Koretz, your Councilmember, and Councilmember Paul Krekorian, the Chair of the Budget and Finance Committee, to answer any questions they may have. You will be hearing from a City Council committee clerk who will let you know when your reappointment will be considered by the Budget and Finance Committee. Some time thereafter, you will be notified by the committee clerk when your reappointment will be presented to the full City Council for confirmation. Once you are confirmed, you will be required to take the oath of office in the City Clerk's Office in Room 395 of City Hall. Claudia Luna will assist you during the confirmation process if you have questions.

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If you move at any point during your term, have any changes in your telephone numbers, or in the future plan to resign (resignation must be put in writing), please contact my office immediately.

Congratulations and thank you for agreeing to serve the people of Los Angeles.

Sincerely,

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Attachment I
Mr. Adam Nathanson
May 24, 2020

Nominee Check List

I. Within seven days:

Mail or email the following forms to: Claudia Luna, Office of the Mayor, City Hall, 200 N. Spring Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012 or email: Claudia.Luna@lacity.org.

_____ **Remuneration Form**

_____ **Undated Separation Forms**

_____ **Background Check Release**

_____ **Commissioner Information Sheet/Voluntary Statistics**

II. As soon as possible, the Mayor's Office will schedule a meeting with you and:

_____ **Your City Councilmember Paul Koretz**

_____ **Councilmember Paul Krekorian, Chair of the Council Committee considering your nomination**

Staff in the Mayor's Office of Legislative and External Affairs will assist you with these arrangements.