



KATY YAROSLAVSKY

COUNCILWOMAN, FIFTH DISTRICT

February 23, 2026

Patrice Lattimore
City Clerk
Room 360, City Hall
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Madam Clerk,

In accordance with CF 25-0314, I hereby appoint Mr. Tom De Simone to serve on the Budget & Finance Advisory Committee, formerly known as the Advisory Group on the City's Finances and Budget.

As President and CEO of Genesis LA, Mr. De Simone manages an extensive portfolio of financial products that provide capital for local development. His technical experience includes leading a successful Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI), utilizing tax credits and debt instruments to stabilize distressed property, economic development, and urban planning.

Mr. De Simone's background includes service with the Los Angeles Housing Department and a fellowship in the Mayor's Office, providing the institutional knowledge necessary to advise the City on asset management and the allocation of public resources.

This appointment is effective immediately.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Katy Yaroslavsky'.

KATY YAROSLAVSKY
Councilwoman, Fifth District