

## RESOLUTION NO. 2025-XXX

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNION CITY APPOINTING INDIVIDUALS TO THE SALES TAX AND UTILITY USERS' TAX COMMITTEE, APPROVING THE TRANSITION TO AT-LARGE MEMBERS, AND ESTABLISHING STAGGERED TERMS**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Union City established the Sales Tax and Utility Users' Tax Oversight Committee (the "Committee") under Resolution No. 5735-21 to ensure transparency and accountability in the allocation of revenues from Measure AA (Sales Tax) and Measure WW (Utility Users' Tax); and

**WHEREAS**, the Committee is currently composed of designated representatives from various City commissions, including the Human Relations Commission, Planning Commission, Parks and Recreation Commission, and Senior Commission, along with one at-large citizen member; and

**WHEREAS**, staff has proposed transitioning the Committee to consist entirely of at-large members to expand participation and increase flexibility in the appointment process while still allowing members of other Union City commissions and committees to serve; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council wishes to extend Committee member terms from two years to four years to ensure greater continuity and institutional knowledge; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council also seeks to implement staggered terms to provide for ongoing appointment opportunities and maintain a balance of experienced and new members on the Committee; and

**WHEREAS**, per Resolution No. 2025-029, all new appointments to City boards, commissions, and committees shall align with the calendar year, commencing on January 1 and expiring on December 31 of the final year of their term.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Union City as follows:

**SECTION 1.** The City Council approves the transition of the Sales Tax and Utility Users' Tax Oversight Committee to an at-large membership format, eliminating the requirement for designated representatives from specific commissions.

**SECTION 2.** The City Council extends the term length for Committee members from two years to four years, aligning with the structure of other City boards and commissions.

**SECTION 3.** The City Council establishes staggered terms as follows:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Initial Term Ends</b>	<b>Full Term Begins</b>	<b>Full Term Ends</b>
<b>Raymond Gonzalez</b>	December 31, 2027	January 1, 2028	December 31, 2031
<b>Albert Chin</b>	December 31, 2027	January 1, 2028	December 31, 2031
<b>Sunil Varghese</b>	December 31, 2025	January 1, 2026	December 31, 2029
<b>Santiago Gonzalez</b>	December 31, 2025	January 1, 2026	December 31, 2029
<b>Jasbir Kaur</b>	December 31, 2025	January 1, 2026	December 31, 2029

**SECTION 4.** The City Clerk is directed to ensure that all new appointments comply with the staggered term structure and update City records accordingly.

**SECTION 5.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Union City at a regular meeting held on this 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 2025 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

APPROVED:

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 GARY SINGH  
 Mayor

ATTESTED:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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 THAI NAM N. PHAM  
 City Clerk

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 KRISTOPHER J. KOKOTAYLO  
 City Attorney