



MAYOR ALAN AUTRY

NOTIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT BY MAYOR  
TO BOARD OR COMMISSION

**TO:** City Council

**THROUGH:** Becky Klisch, City Clerk

**BY:** Alan Autry, Mayor

Reappointment

New Appointment

**Name of person replaced:** N/A

**Name:** Kendall J. Groom

**Address:** 490 E. Walnut Hill, Fresno, CA 93720

**Phone:** (559) 447-8484 Business  
(559) 434-7420 Home

**Appointed to:** Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control District Board of Directors

**Term:** Through August 3, 2012

*City Council Agenda 8/26/08*



FRESNO METROPOLITAN FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT

File 130.44

August 8, 2008

The Honorable Alan Autry  
Mayor  
City of Fresno  
2600 Fresno Street  
Fresno CA 93721

Dear Mayor Autry,

**Expiration of Term of City Representative,  
Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control District Board of Directors**

The term of Mr. Kendall Groom as a member of the District Board of Directors expires on August 3, 2008. Mr. Groom was first appointed by the City of Fresno to represent the City on the District's Board November 1996.

Mr. Groom remains eligible to serve, has maintained an excellent attendance record, serves on the District Board's Administrative Committee and represents the District as a Board Member of the Association of California Water Agencies/Joint Powers Insurance Authority. Mr. Groom has expressed his desire to continue to serve as a District Director.

Very truly yours,

Bob Van Wyk  
General Manager-Secretary

BVW/ems

cc: Council President, Blong Xiong, City of Fresno  
Director Kendall Groom

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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO BOARD OR COMMISSION

Resume or letters of recommendation may be attached.

Applicants may be required to live within the Fresno City limits. I reside in Council District No. 9

Name: Kendall J. Groom Hm. Phone: 559-434-7420 Wk. Phone: 559-447-8484

Home Address: 490 E. Walnut Hill Fresno, CA Zip: 93720

Work Address: 7576 N. Ingram Ave. Suite 102 Fresno, CA Zip: 93711

Occupation/Employer: CPA/Dritsas Groom McCormick Yrs. 30 Months

Educational Background, Schools Attended, Degrees and Certifications: Bachelors of Science BA, University of Nevada, Reno; Certified Public Accountant; Securities License, Genworth; Insurance License, Genworth

Professional and Community Affiliations: Treasurer - FresnoCrimestoppers, Past Board Member of Community Food Bank and Better Business Bureau

For what Board or Commission are you applying? Director Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control District (FMFCD)

Briefly explain why you are interested in serving on this Board(s) or Commission(s): I have served as director since November 1996. I believe my training and experience as a Certified Public Accountant has added a valuable perspective to the FMFCD.

Provide 3 Personal and Professional References. Provide name, address, and phone number where they may be reached during the day.

Thomas C. McGowan, 341 W. Fallbrook, Fresno, CA 559-431-3288

Walter B. Lake, 5205 N. Pleasant Ave. Fresno, CA 559-431-2806

Bruce C. Lackey, 3440 W. Alluvial, Fresno, CA 559-233-6668

I declare under penalty of perjury the above information is true and correct.

Dated: 8/19/08 Applicant: *Kendall J. Groom*  
Signature

Return completed, signed application to the City Clerk's Office, 2600 Fresno Street, Room 2133, Fresno, CA 93721-3603 or FAX to 559-488-1005. Your application will be kept on file for two years. Please re-file after that time if you are still interested in serving on a Board or Commission.

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**Reappointment**

**New Appointment**

**Name of person replaced:** N/A

**Name:** Jennette Williams

**Address:** 4635 W. Yale Avenue, Fresno, CA 93722

**Phone:** (559) 261-9068 Business  
(559) 276-2584 Home

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Dear Mayor Autry,

**Expiration of Term of City Representative,  
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The term of Ms. Jennette Williams as a member of the District Board of Directors expires on August 3, 2008. Ms. Williams was first appointed by the City of Fresno to represent the City on the District's Board August 2003.

Ms. Williams remains eligible to serve, has maintained an excellent attendance record, and serves on the District Board's Administrative Committee, Policy Committee, and Community Relations Committee. Ms. Williams has expressed her desire to continue to serve as a District Director.

Very truly yours,

Bob Van Wyk  
General Manager-Secretary

BVW/ems

cc: Council President, Blong Xiong, City of Fresno  
Director Jennette Williams

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Name: Jennette Williams Hm. Phone: 276-2584 Wk. Phone: 261-9068

Home Address: 4635 W. Yale Ave. Fresno Ca Zip: 93722

Work Address: 8375 N. Fresno St. Fresno Ca Zip: 93720

Occupation/Employer: Commercial Loan Officer, River Park Commercial Yrs 7 Months 2

Educational Background, Schools Attended, Degrees and Certifications: Team & SBA Team Manager - Central Valley Community Bank

Hoover High School Graduate, Fresno City College, Commercial Lending School Hiperèon

Professional and Community Affiliations: Board of Directors, Spirit of Woman Inc., Member Commercial Real Estate Women, Board of Directors FMFCD

For what Board or Commission are you applying? Board of Directors FMFCD

Briefly explain why you are interested in serving on this Board(s) or Commission(s): I have been a Director on the FMFCD Board for 5 years and wish to continue to serve as a city representative. It has been an honor to serve my community and to work with such distinguished gentlemen.

Provide 3 Personal and Professional References. Provide name, address, and phone number where they may be reached during the day.

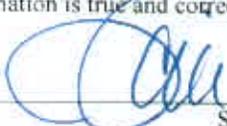
Bob Van Wyke, General Manager FMFCD 456-3292, 5469 E. Olive, Fresno 93727

Audrey Riley, Executive Director Spirit of Woman, Inc. 233-4353 327 W. Belmont, Fresno 93728

Darius Assemi, Granville Homes, Inc. 436-0900, 1396 W. Herndon, Fresno 93711

Tim Rios, Community Development Manager Wells Fargo Bank 437-3017, 8405 N. Fresno, Fresno 93720

I declare under penalty of perjury the above information is true and correct.

Dated: 8-14-08 Applicant:  Signature

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# JENNETTE C. WILLIAMS

4635 West Yale Avenue, Fresno, CA 93722  
(559) 276-2584

## OBJECTIVE

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To continue my position on the board of The Fresno Metropolitan Flood District.

## EXPERIENCE

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6/2001 – Present Central Valley Community Bank                      Fresno, CA  
*Vice President, Commercial Loan Officer, Manager of River Park Commercial Team and SBA Dept.*

In my current position a CVCB I am responsible for Managing the River Park Commercial Team including two Commercial Loan Officers, a Business Development Officer and a Credit Analyst. I am also charged with managing the SBA department Commercial Loan Officers. In addition I underwrite and manage a \$30,000,000 loan portfolio while developing new business for the bank. My position requires that I have a good understanding of business and personal financial statements, analysis and risk management. I work closely with my clients to ensure that all their financial needs are met.

1998–2001 Westamerica Bank    Fresno, CA  
*Vice President, Financial Services Officer*

My present position at Westamerica has allowed me to grow my expertise in both commercial banking and business development. I'm charged with developing new and existing relationships with clients to ensure we meet all of the business owners' financial needs ranging from business financing to cash management services. My employment with this organization has enabled me to create a network of referral sources from new business. These partnerships include Chambers of Commerce, government agencies and other business trade organizations. Additionally, my commercial lending experience has opened doors for me with several reputable Real Estate and CPA firms and their customers.

1994-1998 Union Bank of California    Fresno, CA  
*Financial Services Officer (FSO)*

As FSO at Union Bank of California, my duties included leading a diversified sales team by coordinating and tracking all consumer and business banking promotions in my office. My strong sales background proved extremely valuable in this position and the company empowered me to create and implement successful sales plans.

1981-1991 Guarantee Savings/Glendale Federal                              Fresno, CA  
*Branch Supervisor*

As branch supervisor, my responsibilities were several and varied. My duties included managing and training 17 employees. Customer service was top priority and I was charged with the implementation of all branch training programs to ensure the success of this goal. As supervisor, I was also responsible for motivating subordinates through team building, coaching, and career pathing.

## EDUCATION

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Fresno City College Fresno, CA  
▪ Two years general education  
Omega Institute of Commercial Lending  
American Institute of Banking  
Hipereon Commercial Lending School  
Hiperion Graduate Commercial Lending School

## SKILLS

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- Strong oral and written communication skills
- Proven management and leadership abilities
- Excellent sales and business development track record
- Extensive knowledge of computers and computer programs
- Knowledge of accounting and finance including analysis of business financial statements and underwriting commercial loans
- Marketing and promotions experience
- Familiar with all consumer and business financial products including cash management, payroll, investment and financing products.
- Excellent relationship building techniques

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

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- Greater Fresno Chamber of Commerce
- Central California Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
- Valley Small Business Development Corporation Loan Committee
- Marjaree Mason Center
- Spirit of Women, Board Member
- FMFCD