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CML Executive Board welcomes new members

Appointments of James Marsh-Holschen and Joshua Rivero
fill vacancies

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DENVER, Colo. – Tuesday, Jan. 30, 2024– The Colorado Municipal League (CML) Executive Board recently made strategic appointments to fill two midyear vacancies, enhancing its leadership team. Following careful consideration, the board recommended and approved the immediate appointment of City of Broomfield Councilmember James Marsh-Holschen and Town of Parker Councilmember Joshua Rivero to serve on the Executive Board as representatives for the large population category (population between 50,000 and 250,000), with CML board terms set to expire at the end of the current board term in June 2024.

James Marsh-Holschen, Broomfield councilmember

Marsh-Holschen grew up in Spokane, Wash., before attending law school in DC, where he met his wife, who was born and raised in Broomfield. He holds a bachelor's in political science and economics from Eastern Washington University and a Juris Doctorate from Georgetown University Law Center. After graduation in 2013, his family proudly decided to make Broomfield their home. Marsh-Holschen possesses a professional background as an anti-money laundering analyst for a financial services corporation that contracts with financial institutions to monitor client accounts for fraud and money laundering. He lends his voice and expertise to shaping Broomfield's future through diverse roles on the Health and Human Services Advisory Committee, Parks, Recreation and Senior Services Advisory Committee, and Board of Equalization. Additionally, he serves on CML's Policy Committee and with the Metro Area County Commissioners.

Joshua Rivero, Parker councilmember

Rivero - owner of Fika Coffee House and Idyllwilde resident since 2006 - brings a wealth of experience. In addition to his current term, he served as a Parker Town Councilmember from 2012-2020. Rivero is actively involved in the community having also served as president of the Downtown Development Council, a precursor to Parker's Downtown Business Alliance. His

passion for Parker shines through his commitment to preserving its traditions and ensuring its future prosperity.

These appointments were prompted by vacancies in the Large Municipality category. In accordance with its bylaws, the Executive Board conducted a thorough application and appointment process to address these vacancies. The positions became available when existing board members departed from their CML roles after the November 2023 elections. Qualified individuals were invited to submit applications, and following a comprehensive evaluation, Marsh-Holschen and Rivero were chosen to contribute to the Executive Board's responsibilities. The board immediately confirmed the new appointees after their selection and approval, and they attended their first board meeting on January 26.

The CML Executive Board is comprised of 21 elected officials and key municipal staff members who are elected by the membership at an annual business meeting, held each year in June. The board is responsible for the overall finances, management, and policy affairs of the League. The entire board with photos and backgrounds can be viewed at cml.org.

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